

"Walk It Out" from Laurentian Wesleyan Church

Inspiration and Information to Help You "Walk Out" Your Faith Everyday.

Sunday February 4th, 2024

Thanks for joining us! We pray you are filled with the grace and peace of Jesus. We encourage you to fill out a welcome card, located in the pews, and give it to me, Pastor Jason. You can also head over to www.laurentianchurch.com and click on "HELLO" to let us know more about yourself.

Today - Sunday Service - 10am In-Person & Online

Nursery available (unstaffed) Refreshments to follow

How To Study the Bible

Guidance, wisdom, instruction, love, but most of all, the story of Jesus and the plan of salvation unfolds in the Bible. Last Sunday, I shared some tools to help us study the Bible for ourselves. Here they are.

- **1. Choose Your Translation.** You need a Bible translation that you will read and understand. We recommend the New International Version (NIV), but there are many great ones!
- **2. Choose Your Plan.** Without a plan, you plan to fail. What's your plan to read and study the Bible?
- 3. Understand the Context. It helps to know the bigger story. One way to do that is get a study Bible and read the introduction to each Book. You can pick up a Basic NIV Study Bible on Amazon for about \$20 (or talk to me).

4. Read Slowly and Ask Questions.

Here's some questions to ask (SPECK acrostic)

- i. Is there a SIN to be avoided?
- ii. Is there a PROMISE to be claimed?
- iii. Is there an EXAMPLE to follow?
- iv. Is there a COMMAND to obey?
- v. Is there something to KNOW about God?

5. Pray for God to Speak to You and Apply what He Shows You. God wants to speak to YOU through His Word.

Prayer Corner

- •Sharon Graff. She is in the CCU and they have called the family. Pray for healing and peace. We are thankful that Sharon has put her hope in Jesus. Pray for Lloyd as well as this is a very hard time.
- •Pastor Jason. Upcoming angiogram on Feb. 9th
- •Peace & Justice: Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6). Persecuted church. War in Ukraine.
- •Healing & Comfort: Lorna Powell, Loes Verlinden (Tony's sister-in-law), Tony Verlinden, Sharon Graff, Nancy (Ernie Reise's wife), Sharon Webster, Lorna Powell, Kevin Trombley (Chrissy's Uncle), Pauline (Nancy Mercier's sister), Cecile Muise (Madeleine Daly's mom), Annabelle (Fern Turcott's sister), Thomas & Johnathan (Barb Daw's sons).•Wisdom & Freedom: Accessibility Project. Celebrate Recovery Ministry, Braydon, Andrew.
- •Salvation. Lift up some names that come to mind. This website gives a clear presentation of the Gospel: peacewithgod.net

If you have requests to add or remove, or an update to share, please let Pastor Jason know.

Join and share requests on our "Laurentian Prays" Facebook group: https://www.facebook.com/groups/laurentianprays

Want to go deeper? Why not take a FREE course?

Kingswood University in Sussex, New Brunswick launches www.kingswoodlearn.com. Kingswood Learn is a free platform that provides access to high-quality, engaging, and practical micro courses.

Here's just a few of the MANY course titles...from trusted sources in the Wesleyan tradition:

- •A Brief Guide to the New Testament
- •How to Read the Bible

- •Healthy Spiritual Practices
- Self-Care for Life's Challenges
- Theology of the Body
- And many more

Children's Ministry Update

We are working at (re) launching Children's Church in the near future.

Would you like to volunteer? Please talk to Pastor Jason to begin the screening process.

Accessibility Project

To see the whole project, visit: www.laurentianwesleyan.com

Check out the "craft" table downstairs at the church with some new items! All for a donation to the Accessibility Project.

Check out the binder in the foyer if you have questions about our fund-raising efforts.

Accessibility Fund-Raising

Questions/pick ups – ask Tony 705-358-1263 •Collecting large metal items & pop cans

Upcoming Events, At a Glance

Bible Study - Thursdays at 7pm

Feb. 8 at 3pm (for one week only)

Celebrate Recovery - First Baptist Church Every Wed 7pm – Teaching * 8pm - Share Groups * Everyone welcome.

Next Seniors' Lunch - Tue, Feb 20 at Noon Mark your calendars.

Moving is Christ - Exercise Class with Danielle Lewis - This Wednesday at Noon Come for a mid week boost by moving, stretching and saying yes to your wellness together with others because He cares for us (1 Peter 5:7). Both men and women of all abilities welcome.

Financial Update -Jan 28

General: \$1,240 Missions: \$70

Access. Project: \$565 Change for Change: \$10

Total: \$1,885

Do you give with cheques? Please make sure you make your cheque payable to "Laurentian Wesleyan Church". Thanks!

(Budget Required Per Week: \$2,170.71)
For more information about giving, visit www.laurentianchurch.com/give

Upcoming Church Family Celebrations!

February 2024

Feb. 5 Ernie Reise

Feb. 9 Jim & Judy Reid Anniversary

Feb. 12 Steve & Chantal Szydlik Anniversary

Feb. 15 Linda Trombley

Community Announcements:

Looking for Old Jeans

Verna Verlinden is looking to make some "jean blankets" and needs some old Jeans to give away. Please bring them to church and they will be recycled in a loving and crafting way. Attention to Verna

For fun...

"Never argue with a fool, because from a distance, people can't tell who's who".

