

"Walk It Out" from Laurentian Wesleyan Church

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

Sunday October 15th, 2023

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

"5 Things Jesus Did NOT Say"

Sometimes in our efforts to build people up, we can inadvertently say things that sound good...but aren't nearly as good as what Jesus said. I came across this list...I don't know its origin.

- 5 Things Jesus did NOT say:
- 1.Follow your heart (Jesus said, "Follow me.")
- 2.Be true to yourself (Jesus said, "Whoever wants to be my disciple must deny himself.")
- 3.Believe in yourself (Jesus said, "Believe in me.")
- 4. Live your truth (Jesus said, "I am the Truth.")
- 5.As long as you are happy (Jesus said, "What will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his soul.")

Let's live what Jesus said! It's best.

Prayer Corner

•Pray for the peace of Jerusalem



- •Pray for God's favour and direction as we explore acquiring land next door to the church. We have sent a letter to the Near North District School Board inquiring about obtaining some of the land next door to install our own parking lot. This would be a very welcome and needed addition to our church facility.
- •Tony Verlinden has been diagnosed with cancer (leukemia). They are testing to determine if it's CLL or MCL. Much love and prayers to you Tony & Verna.
- •Loes Verlinden (pronounced "Luce", Tony Verlinden's sister-in-law) is having serious health issues related to Huntington's disease. Prayers appreciated.
- •Peace & Justice: Persecuted church, especially in Pakistan. War in Ukraine.
- •Healing & Comfort: Sharon Graff, Allan (partner to Sam, Marg Anderson's grandkids' mom), Pat Gorman (Lydia Eichwald's son), 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: 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

New Alarm System - Orientation Day - Sat., Nov. 4 at 10am

To all key holders, we'd like to have an orientation day with Steve Szydlik on Sat., Nov. 4th at 10am. Please plan to attend if you have a church key, as all key holders will need to start using our new alarm system. Donuts provided

Downtown Christmas Walk Interest Meeting Sun Oct 22 after the service

We want to bless our community and point people to the Christ of Christmas by participating in the Downtown Christmas Walk.

This year, some ideas are to offer attendees a hot drink (maybe hot chocolate?), set up our wonderful manger scene (made by Jim Reid last year), and sing Christmas carols throughout the night (handing out a nicely prepared Christmas carol song-sheet with an invitation to our Christmas Eve service).

We need help coordinating this event and people to participate that night. If you're interested, come to the short meeting after Sunday Service on Oct. 22. (Let us know if you can't make it).

OCC- Shoeboxes Available!

Give a shoebox. Bless a child. In Jesus' Name!

Accessibility Project

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

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



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

Seniors' Pot-Luck Lunch

Tue, Oct 17th at Noon * ITALIAN TUESDAY

Saturday, Oct 28, 2023 - Church Work Bee 8:00-Noon. Give some time to get the church building ready for winter.

Downtown Christmas Walk - Fri, Nov 24, 2203 - 6-9pm Plan now to be involved!

Financial Update - Oct 8th

General: \$1,967 Missions: \$40

Access. Project: \$240

Total: \$2,247

(Budget Required Per Week: \$2,170.71)

For more information about giving, visit www.laurentianchurch.com/give

Community Announcements

Changes at Hope Awaits Ministries (North Bay's Men's Homeless Shelter)

Nicole Clark (Millage) is stepping down from her role to focus on being a new mom!

<u>Card to Sign:</u> See Bev Ferguson

Lakeshore Missionary Church Winter Clothing Drive – More on bulletin board

Upcoming Church Family Celebrations!

October

23rd Bill & Lorna Powell's Anniversary 23rd Fred Fricker 23rd Richard Digulla 30th Lloyd Graff 30th Ted Myers

November

2nd Steve Szydlik 25th Lydia Eichwald