



July 29, 2018

"To hear God's voice, we must find ways to be quiet and listen for the Lord to speak. God desires closeness. He wants our unwavering love. Developing a love relationship with the Lord changes us in the depth of our being. Let God have all of you as you develop a listening heart that is open to hearing His whispers."

- Larry Kreider

John 10:27

My sheep hear my voice.

1 Samuel 3:10

Speak Lord, your servant is listening.

welcome!

We're glad you're here today. We're a group of people learning what it means to be followers of Jesus. This is a place where **everyone is welcome, nobody's perfect, and** anything is possible. We welcome and encourage you to share your life with us as we journey in faith together.

What can you expect on a Sunday morning? Our worship services aim to be about 70 minutes long, with a mix of praise singing & prayer, and a time of inspiration and learning through the teaching that explores scripture, and issues of everyday life.

We believe that by working together, sharing our faith and our lives, we can accomplish much more than we could individually. **With God's help and the power of** the Holy Spirit, we believe we can transform our community and our world as the hands and feet of Jesus on earth.

If you're ready for us to get to know you, please fill out a "Welcome" card from the pew and bring it to the Connection Point in the foyer after the service. We hope you too will find a place of belonging here, and share your life and faith journey with us.

happenings

New to our church? We would like to get to know you. We invite you to fill out a Welcome Card which is in the pews. Please leave it in the box marked Connect/Reconnect at the exits at the front and back of the Sanctuary or at the Connection Point table. As a THANK-YOU for taking the time to fill out **the card, please accept a copy of "CASE FOR CHRIST". If you need assistance, please feel free to ask one of our greeters.**

Today at 11am we celebrate the Baptism and Blessing of

Charlotte Emilie Leitch
Child of Mitchell and Christine Leitch

JNAC Update | Thank you to all who took the time to fill out the survey. Over 200 members of the congregation responded with great comments and data that will help determine the needs of our ministerial team. The JNAC committee wants to thank everyone who filled out the survey as it helps define the leadership needs of our church!

ONE Service at 10am on these dates:
Sunday August 5th (Civic Holiday weekend)
Sunday September 2nd (Labour Day weekend)

Summer Hours | for the office will start on Tuesday July 3rd. The office will be open Mon - Thurs from 9am-3pm and Friday 10am-2pm. The office is closed on Monday, Aug 6th for Civic Holiday.



Sign up for the WSquare email blast to keep up to date on special events, and dates of ONE Service @ 10am. wsquare.ca Click on the News & Events button!



One Burlington Festival

Celebrating Faith & Culture



**Ethnic Food, Entertainment from
Different Cultures, Children's Games
and Information Booths**

August 6, 2018 12:00 - 4:00 pm
Central Park Bandshell
2311 New Street, Burlington

Free & Open to the Public
oneburlingtonfestival.ca





GraceLand - a place full of God's grace...where children learn the love of Jesus and how to shine His light everyday. Sundays at 9am for Nur to Gr. 6

Participant Forms are required every year for children and youth to ensure safety for all. 2018 forms have been mailed to each family to complete and return to our GraceLand Reception Area. These forms can also be picked up at the GraceLand Reception desk and found on our website under Children & Family Ministry. Thank you for supporting our Plan 2 Protect Procedures.

What is GraceLand Learning?
June 24 to Aug. 26 - The Big 10
(The 10 Commandments - Exodus 20)

GraceLand Needs:
Animal Cookies
Plain rice crackers
Fish crackers

We are still accepting VBC registrations. Please tell a friend and know that you can register online at wsquare.ca, under GET CONNECTED, Children & Family Ministry Page.

In the Belly of the Whale will be a BLAST!!!



SourcePoint: Young Adult Worship
July 29, 10:45am ~ Aug 5 11am - Pritch. Rm **If you're a young adult over 18 join us for SourcePoint** this week for a time of acoustic worship when we return to Sunday mornings on July 29.

The Hub + Welly Young Adults - Rob Bell: Holy Shift Tour

Date: Sun Aug 26 - 7pm - Danforth Music Hall Toronto - \$42

Rob Bell; pastor, podcaster, creator of the Nooma video series, and author of multiple best-selling books is coming to Toronto this summer! This is a combined event with the Hub ministry Adam operates and we have a limited amount of tickets for Wellington Young Adults. E-mail to register and **as always let us know if cost is an issue and you'll be covered. We don't let finances stand in the way!**

Contact Adam via acresswell@wsquare.ca or Text/
Call: 647-519-1858

PARENTS & WEE ONES Drop-in



Drop-in' morning for
parents and their
wee ones.

Tuesdays
9:30 am

Share a morning together, support one another and hang out
over coffee/tea with your children.

Meeting place - GraceLand Toddler room Nursery is available if needed.

For more details, please contact Heather Mackey at hmackey@wsquare.ca

In the Belly of the Whale

**Mon. August. 27 -
Thurs. August. 30**
9:00 am - 12:00 pm

\$30
per child per week

*No refunds after July 1st.
Financial assistance is available.*

SK to Grade 5

(Must be 5 years of age by Dec. 31, 2018)

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"Disciples Making Disciples"

"For where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them." Matt. 18:20

Vision | to have every person in a healthy small group.

Mission | To live out the GREAT COMMANDMENT (Matt. 22: 37-39) and the GREAT COMMISSION (Matt. 28: 19-20).

WOW book club | meets Mon. July 30th at 7pm at the home of Donna Dobson, 5255 Lakeshore Rd, Unit #6. The book we are **reading and discussing is "The Nightingale" by Kristin Hannah.** \$15 donation for supper. We would love to have you join us. Please contact wow@wsquare.ca

Wednesday Men's Study B'Fast

Try out the new summer schedule with breakfast, and a golf option. Contact Cory Stidwill at: ccstidwill@sympatico.ca
All Summer - **Wednesday's** - 7a.m. Burlington Springs Golf Club

Thursday at Seven - New Series: *"What Makes You Happy"* by Andy Stanley; a six session DVD study and discussion. Please contact Bruce: bmagwood@TORRLANE.ca

SAVE THE DATE:

WHEN: - September 16, 2018

WHERE: - St. Paul's Hall

TIME: - after each service

PURPOSE: - GROUP LINK (formerly called Small Group Fair) This is an opportunity to meet our group hosts & explore opportunities to get connected.

PRAYERS at the BEACH | Celebrating our 24th year meeting with the Lord in nature.

Where: Go to the Beach Strip Pump House;

To the left of it, you will see a playground;

To the left of the playground, you will see a picnic table. WE MEET THERE!

When: Friday mornings from 9am-10am

From July 6th to August 31, 2018

Please bring your own lawn chair. Historically, we pray for our city, for the people, especially the youth/children, VBS and camps, emergency workers, for churches, prayer requests and as the Spirit leads us. Whether you are a seasoned intercessor or just learning to pray, you are welcome to join us. For further information contact Penny Bailey through the church office at 905-634-1849.



GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT 2018 – A two day opportunity for world class leadership training! You will find a unique blend of inspirational & practical skills that

you can apply immediately. A few of the key presenters are: Craig Groeschel – (Co-founder & Senior Pastor, Life church), T.D. Jakes (Founder & Senior Pastor, The Potter's House), John Maxwell (Leadership Expert, Best Selling Author, coach), & Danielle Strickland (Pastor, Author, Justice Advocate) WHEN: Thursday, October 18, 2018 & Friday, October 19, 2018

WHERE: Compass Point Church, Burlington
EARLY BIRD SPECIAL: If we get our registration in before September 18 & have a group of 10, we will qualify for the Early Bird Special of \$159. Please sign up at the CONNECTION POINT table.

NEW SMALL GROUPS: Please speak to Joy if you have an idea for a new small group that you would like to see offered this fall.

JESUS CALLING DEVOTIONAL - now available again at our CONNECTION POINT. (\$11)



Friday Community

This past Friday a gentleman walked in our doors just after lunch. He was unsure what he was coming to, but one of our agency friends had recommended he come. We showed him around and ended the tour at the Hub, where he was welcomed with some food and a game of Crokinole. He came with great uncertainty and shared that he was not in a good place and had asked God for help to get through. He spent the afternoon with us and stayed on to connect in with some new friends in the dining room. This friend was one of the last to leave, and approached me to thank me and tell me how **wonderful it was. He was 'blown away' with the kindness he found as well as the delicious meal and resources.** I learned after the fact how happy the contact was who had sent him. She shared that Friday morning she was worried for his safety and what he would do, and was so relieved and thrilled to hear that he had joined us and that God had answered his prayers when he walked in our door.

Our 'Blue Fun Corner Team' (aka the scraping team) are organizing a Friday Night Community golf tournament on Tuesday, August 14th at 5:00. No experience necessary. Let us know if you would like to join in the fun and I will send more details.

This summer we need help with prep (4:00), serving (5:30) and clean up on Aug. 17, Aug. 24 and Aug. 31. Please let us know if you can help.

For information contact: fnc@wsquare.ca



reaching out

Calling Volunteers of All Ages!

Are you participating in this year's One Burlington Festival?

GET INVOLVED WITH OUR EVENT GREENING VOLUNTEER TEAM.

On Monday August 6th from 12-4pm, One Burlington is hosting a free festival for faith communities in Burlington and surrounding area. There will be food, fun and entertainment from all different cultures and we need your help to make this festival as GREEN as it can be!

Interested in diverting waste from landfill and educating our community on how to follow the GREEN RULE? Are you or your friends looking to complete High School volunteer hours? This is a great way to get involved and keep Burlington a green and beautiful city to live in!

Volunteer shifts will run between 11:30am - **4:30pm. Don't delay, sign up to get hands-on** for the environment. No waste sorting experience necessary!

Contact taylor@burlingtongreen.org if you are interested in participating.

Please provide full name, age, and availability between 11:30-4:30pm.

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