



and...I will remember the deeds of the Lord;
yes, I will remember Your wonders of old.
Psalm 77:11

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.

Communion Sunday Collection for the Crisis Care Fund | Today we invite you to contribute to our Crisis Care Fund - a vital resource used with prayerful discernment by your ministry team. It allows us to provide care and hope for those in our wider community as **they cope with some of life's harshest realities.** Our prayer is for a day when such a fund will have no use...and we pray, until that day arrives, you will continue to contribute generously.

Communion Sundays: December 2nd
December 24@10pm

ONE SERVICE @ 10am: December 9th

Inter-generational Communion | GraceLand will partake in communion on most communion Sundays. Our GraceLand Leaders will lead the children in near the end of the service to participate. Parents, if you would like to partake in communion with your child together, please walk down the side aisle and wait over by the West Transept (Where GraceLand sits) and come forward with your child to receive communion.

happenings cont.

Property | Leaf Collection | Leaf collection happens Friday Nov 16th. We are looking for six people to help collect leaves and place them at the curb for pick-up from about 9am - noon. Licenced Electrician - Property is looking for an Electrician with a valid license to help troubleshoot electrical problems and conduct minor electrical jobs. Enjoy gardening & outdoor yard work? Recruiting for 2019. Contact Alvin Kiers if you are able to help with any of the above opportunities, property@wsquare.ca or 905-634-3267.

New Members | New Members will be received on Sunday, Nov 25. Please contact the office for more information.

Ushers & Greeters Needed | for the 11am service. If interested, please contact Joyce Pearson at 905-637-5192 jpearson12@cogeco.ca

Fellowship Lunch | Please join us next Sunday, November 18th after the 11am service. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased at the door.

Nut-Free Scent-Free | Please note that at Wellington Square we do our best to be a nut-free and scent-free safe space for everyone. Thank you for your contributions to this effort.



It is wonderful when friends come back through our doors. Irina and her family joined our community 5 years ago when they arrived from Bulgaria with only their suitcases. They had only 2 friends until they arrived in our doors. Through Friday Night Community we were able to support them with household items, community resources and friendship. Once settled Irina began putting together our birthday desserts and helping wherever needed. The family have all learned English, have been back to school and have assimilated into busy working lives here in Burlington. Irina, her husband and son have always been instrumental in helping others get the same support and help that they received from their friends at Friday Night Community.

We continue to collect winter outerwear including gently used and clean coats, boots, snow pants, hats and mittens. Our biggest **need is for larger sized men's winter coats and boys sizes 14-16. We also need children's boots sizes 2-4 and girls sizes 4-7.**

Most Needed Items:

- *running shoes of all sizes (gently used)
- *lemonade & iced tea crystals, decaf coffee
- *salad bar toppings (pickles, beets, olives...)**
- *mattress covers (clean gently used)
- *curtain rods, panel curtains and hardware
- *smaller lightweight desk & chair for youth
- *vacuum cleaner, large cooking stock pot
- *living room/bedroom end tables & lamps
- *electric heating blanket
- *baby girl clothes sizes 10 months-2 years

For information contact: fnc@wsquare.ca



CONNECT/GROW/SERVE

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

Acts 2: 42 "They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer."
(NIV)

ADVENT CONSPIRACY: **Don't wait! Sign up** today to be part of the groundswell of Christ-followers who are choosing to make Christmas what it should be - a joyous celebration of **Jesus' birth that enriches our hearts & the world around us".**

WHEN: Tues, Nov 13, 20, 2018

WHERE: Pritchard Rm

TIME: 2-3:30pm or 7-9pm

STUDY GUIDE: \$17 available at the Connection Point

FACILITATORS: Gary & Alison Brown, Joy Magwood. Please sign up at the Connection Point table.

DISCIPLESHIP CAFÉ - **"SYMPHONY" (I LIFT UP MY HANDS)** Thank you to all who attended our presentation & the wonderful team that helped to make it happen. Attendance was superb & the morning was filled with the presence of the Holy Spirit. Remember to read Psalm 148 & 150. PTL.

GLOBAL LEADERSHIP SUMMIT - It was a most inspirational 2 days filled with exceptional teaching & inspiration. Our team from Wellington was wonderful & we have some who have already signed up for 2019! Way to go!!!

JOYFUL SPIRITS - Our next gathering will be Thursday, November 22nd in the Pritchard Room at 7pm. We will be studying Session #2 ("A REVOLUTION OF HUMANITY") of "WHO IS THIS MAN"? Please mark your calendars for our Christmas Celebration on Thursday, December 13th (details to follow)

"(JESUS) CREATED A NEW KIND OF HUMAN BEING, A FRESH START FOR EVERYBODY."
Ephesians 2:15 MSG

ADVENT CONSPIRACY BOOKS - a few copies are still available. We encourage you to read this book before ADVENT begins on Dec 2, 2018 & **before Orville's messages on Nov 18th and 25th.**

Wow book club- 10th anniversary celebration with guest author Paul Benedetti and his book - **"You can have a dog when I'm dead"**. Mon. Nov 26th, 7pm at the home of Laurie @ 4124 Apple Valley Lane. For information contact wow@wsquare.ca

Thursday at Seven - New series **"Advent Conspiracy - Choose to make Christmas what it should be - a joyous celebration of Jesus' birth."** Starting Oct 25th. Four weeks, book and DVD study. Please contact Bruce: bmagwood@TORRLANE.ca

JESUS CALLING now available at the CONNECTION TABLE. COST: \$15.

Kettles on Tea | Please join us on Monday November 12th from 1:30-3pm in the Pritchard Room for our afternoon tea.

Advent Faith/fellowship Brunch Event



SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 25th
10:30 am - 11:30 am

St. Paul's Hall (Light lunch provided - free will offering)

To encourage & support families (*children and their parents/grandparents*)
to prepare their hearts for Advent with a fun fellowship brunch.

Family Advent resources and activities will be distributed.

***John 1:4 - In him there was life, and that life was a
light for the people of the world.***

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT HEATHER MACKEY - hmackey@wsquare.ca or 905-634-1849 x21
Wellington Square United Church - wsquare.ca

GraceLand is participating at the
ONE Service at **10:00 am** on

Sunday December 9th, 2018

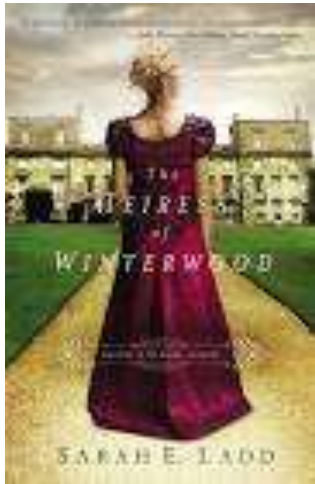
by presenting...

Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL!!

*Praising God with
Singing,
Dancing & Puppets*



Footsteps Library



The Heiress of Winterwood
(Whispers on the moors series book 1)
By Sarah Ladd

In this first book of Whispers on the moors series, The heiress of **Winterwood**, we meet **Amelia Barrett** who despite her family's expectations vows to raise her dying friend's child. She risks everything even proposing to the child's father, **Graham**, who she has never met. Graham is a career-driven and successful sea captain where his self discipline and strength have earned him much respect. But all of this has kept him away from the family he loves.

Both must learn to have faith and relinquish control so they can embrace the future ahead. Fans of Jane Austen and Jane Eyre will enjoy author Sarah Ladd. Please find the other two titles in the Whispers on the moors series - book 2 The headmistress of Rosemere and book 3 A lady at Willowgrove Hall on the shelf.

PLEASE
JOIN US
FOR A
Retirement
PARTY

- SAVE THE DATE -

SUNDAY, JANUARY 9
*as we celebrate and reflect
upon Orville's ministry with
Wellington Square United*

**Do you have a fond memory, funny
story, pictures, or testimony about
Orville that you'd like to share?**

**Send your written words or short videos
to: orvilleretires2019@gmail.com**



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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. Nur to Gr. 6

Advent Conspiracy is a book/course study our church is focusing on to show us how to substitute consumption with compassion by practicing four simple, but powerful, counter-cultural concepts:

Worship Fully

Spend Less

Give More

LOVE ALL

GraceLand will be teaching these concepts throughout the month of November.

Reminder to parents to take home our monthly Faith at Home Family sheets for GraceLand's theme, focus, scriptures and prayers.

Mark your calendars:

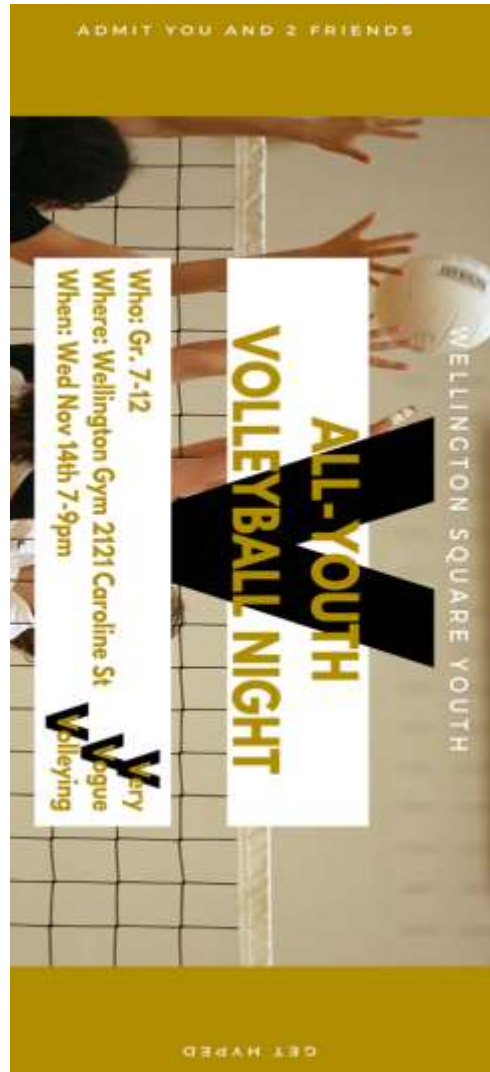
Sun Nov 25th @ 10:30am - Advent Family Brunch (See poster insert)

Sun Dec 9th ONE 10am Service - ALL of GraceLand will be involved in the service by presenting 'Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel - Born is the King of Israel'. We encourage you to bring your child on Sundays to learn songs and details of this presentation.



Edge Sr Youth – Wed Nov 21st 7-9pm – Gr 9-12 High Schoolers come out to an Edge you won't wanna miss! Sam and I will be there! Will you??

All Youth Volleyball Night – Wed Nov 14th 7-9pm



For all November events go to:
www.wsquare.ca/youth



reaching out

Loving Others Locally and Globally

This fall, *Reaching Out* is partnering with Adult Faith Development and Advent Conspiracy to help you to explore the Advent Conspiracy precepts of *Spend less, Give more, and Love all*. Although there are many things that you can do, we would like to highlight three of our *Reaching Out* initiatives that you might want to consider. On November 18th and 25th, there will be an opportunity for you to get more information about, and donate to, these projects. Come check out these initiatives and **look for the box in the foyer on these dates.**

Malawi - Restorative Justice - Prison Fellowship Malawi, Vocational Training Project (Hands and Hearts for Africa)

Mexico - Building houses and Building relationships in Ensenada

Sierra Leone - Providing monthly financial support for food and medical care for the children of Wellington Orphanage

You can pick up the Fall 2018 Reaching Out Newsletter at the Connection Point.



The Angels Are Coming

What is Angel Wings?

Angel Wings is Wellington Square's local

Outreach project and it kicks off next Sunday. This year we are supporting 80 Angels in the Burlington area. You can participate in Angel Wings by either sponsoring a child from the **posted list in St. Paul's Hall and buying them a** selection of gifts from their Christmas Wish List OR you may choose to donate cash, that is used to buy food vouchers for the families that we support. This year our cash requirement is \$6,800. Thank you for your generous support

What Local Groups do we support?

- **Halton Women's Place**
- Burlington Teens from ROCK (Reach Out For Kids)
- Families through our Ministerial Team

**Angel Wings kickoff is
Next Sunday
November 18, 2018**

**SHOW GOD'S LOVE
SHOW THAT WE CARE ABOUT
OUR COMMUNITY**

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