

Wolfville Baptist Church

Announcements for Sunday, April 27, 2025

Sunday Worship: In-person & online services at 10:30am. Go to www.wolfvillebaptist.ca for the weekly YouTube link.

Office Hours: Mon & Wed, 9am-12pm; Tues & Thur, 11:30am-2:30pm; Fri-closed. Note: The office is in the parlour for the duration of our renovations.

Donate to WBC: Donate to WBC on-site, via e-transfer (DonateWolfvilleBaptist@gmail.com), by pre-authorized giving, regular mail, and third-party giving (e.g. using our new Zeffy app QR code). For further info, contact the office.



WBC YouTube: Wolfville Baptist has a YouTube channel!
<https://www.youtube.com/@wolfvillebaptistchurchonli4675/streams>

Valley Mission Church (in Korean): Sundays, 3pm, Sanctuary.

Valley of Hope Ministry: Sundays, 8pm, Sanctuary, followed by fellowship in the Lower Hall.

EDGE Unlimited (youth group): Monday nights, 6:30pm, Room 24.

Alcoholics Anonymous: Tuesdays, 10am, Parlour.

Friendly Fellowship: Thursdays, 10am, Parlour.

Choir Practice: Thursdays, 7pm, Sanctuary.

English Tutoring: Fridays, 1pm, Room 24.

kidzQuire: Fridays, 3:30pm, Sanctuary.

Men's Choir: Fridays, 5pm, Sanctuary.

Confidential Prayer Chain: To request a regular prayer for yourself or someone you know, email shonwhitney@hotmail.com. Names may be omitted, if desired.

Ministers' Hours:

Pastor Scott - Tues-Thurs, 9am-2pm, Friday by appointment only.

Rev Ruth - Mon & Wed, 12-5pm, Tues & Thurs, 9am-2pm.

Upcoming Activities

Men's Choir: Fridays, 5pm, Sanctuary, beginning Apr 25.

Commissioning of Lic. Luke Steeves: Our church has the opportunity to commission Luke Steeves, our graduating M.Div. student, who was mentored by us last year. He currently serves the church in his role as deacon. It will be held Sunday, Apr 27, during the morning worship. A card will be available to sign, for all attending the church.

Newcomers' Lunch: Sunday, Apr 27, following Worship, Lower Hall.

Outdoor Adventurers: Sunday, Apr 27, 1:30 pm, Woodville Ice Cave (Brooklyn outside Windsor). Led by Clarence DeSchiffart. Meet at the church parking lot at 1:25pm to carpool. The location is about 35 minutes from the church. The walk to the cave is slightly uphill for 450m through forest. One needs to be reasonably fit. The entrance is downhill for 20m. At the cave entrance are some ropes to assist with the ascent/descent. Poles can be used for hiking, but not for descending into the cave. Gloves are useful when holding onto the ropes. Info: mbcrosby@eastlink.ca

Office Closure: The office will be closed Monday, Apr 28.

Pastor Scott's Educational Leave: Pastor Scott will be on a one-week Educational Leave starting Monday, April 28. He will return in time for the kidzQuire musical on Sunday, May 4.

Prayer Shawl Ministry: Monday, Apr 28, 2pm, Parlour

May is Asian Heritage Month: Throughout May, we will be celebrating the rich diversity of our congregation as part of Asian Heritage Month, featuring special music, a children's story, and Scripture readings.

kidzQuire Musical: May 4, 10:30 Worship Service. Have you ever wondered about the real story behind *Daniel in the Lions' Den*? You might be surprised to hear about the villains, victims and political schemers that were at the heart of the beloved Bible story! Join us next week, May 4 at our regular 10:30 service, to find out the

truth about why Daniel landed in the lions' den, and how he escaped those seven hungry lions, not counting the baby cubs! The music by Allen Pote is delightful, the script entertaining, and all 22 kids are absolutely fabulous! They have worked hard these past few months to bring this show to you, and now it is our turn to show up for them, bring a few friends to the service and enjoy a new take on the story of Daniel in the lions' den.

Communion Sunday in May: Communion Sunday has been rescheduled to the second week of May – Sunday, May 11 – due to the musical taking place on Sunday, May 4.

S&B Meeting: Monday, May 5, 1pm, Parlour. (Note the special date.)

We Belong. We Care. A 5-Week Journey in Biblical Caregiving: Hosted by Deacon Helen Chan. In a stressful world, how do we care and find hope? Join our 5-week Scripture journey exploring personal, mutual, and congregational care with God's wisdom. 1. The Undeserved Sufferer – Job; 2. Exemplary Caregivers – Ruth; 3. Obligation or Compassion? – Good Samaritan; 4. Radical Love – Jesus Christ; 5. Everyone Is a Caregiver – Thessalonica. Choose your format: Wednesdays (May 7–June 4, 7–8:30 pm, on Zoom) or Saturdays (May 10–June 7, 2–3:30 pm, in-person). Registration form available at church or www.wolfvillebaptist.ca/we-belong-we-care

Pastor Ruth's Mission Trip: Pastor Ruth will be on leave from May 22 to June 15 to serve on a mission trip in Lesvos, Greece, supporting the All4Women Centre. This centre is part of All4Aid, which partners with Canadian Baptist Ministries. We will commission Pastor Ruth during the morning worship service on Sunday, May 18. To learn more about All4Women, visit <https://all4aid.org/lesvos-greece/>

Community Events

Canadian Baptist Symposium: Join us at Acadia Divinity College on Saturday, Apr 26, for a day exploring the topic "Being Baptist: Past, Present, and Future." Learn more and register at <https://acadiadiv.ca/acbas/>.

EVBA Spring Association Meeting: Saturday, Apr 26, Bethany Memorial Baptist Church, 539 Aldershot Rd, Kentville. Registration 9:30am, Meeting 10am. Guest Speaker Gary Corbin. Topic – "Releasing the Ordinary". The Agenda is available from the WBC office upon request. Questions, concerns or to pre-register, contact EVBA Clerk, Tracey Kettley, takettley@gmail.com

The EVBA Needs a Treasurer: If interested contact the Moderator Gary Corbin at thegarycomplex@gmail.com or the Clerk Tracey Kettley at takettley@gmail.com.

Avonport Baptist Church Spring Annual 'Take Out (Drive-Through) Supper': Saturday, May 3, 4-6pm. Cold Salad Plate with Ham, Roll & Strawberry Shortcake. Adults-\$15; Children ages 6-12-\$7; Children 5 & younger-FREE. Pre-order at 902-542-9356 or 902-698-1204 (Carol). Please leave your name & number and say how many meals you would like to order.

Kingswood Camp Fundraising Banquet: Saturday, May 10, 5:30pm. Doors open 5:30. New Minas Baptist Church. Tickets must be purchased in advance. \$20/individual or \$35/couple. Reserve online at www.kingswoodcamp.ca, 902-847-9161 or admin@kingswoodcamp.ca.