

## Wolfville Baptist Church - Announcements May 18th

**Office Hours:** Mon/Wed, 9am-12pm; Tues/Thur, 11:30am-2:30pm; Fri-closed.

**Ministers' Hours:**

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

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

**Pastor Ruth will be absent May 22-June 17**

**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).



**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.

### **This Week: May 17-23**

**Rodney Innis Funeral (Theresa's father):** Saturday, May 17, at 2pm at Wolfville Baptist. To be followed by a reception.

**Sunday Worship:** In-person & online services at 10:30am. Go to [www.wolfvillebaptist.ca](http://www.wolfvillebaptist.ca) for the weekly YouTube link. A brief meeting will be held immediately after the service. See "Upcoming Activities" below for details

**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, 6:30 pm, Room 24.

**Alcoholics Anonymous:** Tuesdays, 10 am, Parlour.

**Biblical Caregiving:** Wednesday, 7:00 pm, Zoom

**Friendly Fellowship:** Thursdays, 10 am, Parlour.

**Choir Practice:** Thursdays, 7 pm, Sanctuary.

**English Tutoring:** Fridays, 1 pm, Room 24.

**Biblical Caregiving:** Saturday, 2:00 pm, Parlour

**Valley of Hope Bible Study:** Saturday, 7:30 pm, Parlour

**Newcomer's Luncheon:** Sunday, May 25th at 11:30, Lower Hall

**Outdoor Adventurers:** Sunday 1:30, meet in church parking lot. See below for details.

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

## Upcoming Activities

**Funeral for Theresa's father:** A funeral for Theresa's father, Rodney Innis, will be held Saturday, May 17, at 2:00 pm at Wolfville Baptist, to be followed by a reception.

**A short business meeting** will be held following the morning service on May 18<sup>th</sup> to consider the motion that the requirement for an individual to be a member in good standing of a local CBAC church for a minimum of one (1) year prior to beginning the ministry candidacy process be waived, provided that the local church has discerned and affirmed the individual's gifts and calling to ministry, so that the individual may proceed to meet with the Eastern Valley Baptist Association Leadership Development Committee on May 20, 2025 as part of the credentialing process.

**Outdoor Adventurers, Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup>:** This excursion will be led by Clarence DeSchiffart. We will meet at the church parking lot at 1:25pm to carpool at 1:30pm to Brooklyn outside Windsor. The hike will be to Woodville Ice Cave – about a 35-minute drive from the church. The walk to the cave is a slight uphill for 450 meters through a spruce /hemlock forest. One needs to be reasonably fit. All ages and doggies on leash are welcome

**Church Directory:** As of **May 25<sup>th</sup>** our new, comprehensive, absolutely current photo/contact church directory will be available. Our suggested donation for it is \$15. If you would find it helpful but cannot afford one, please take one, connect, reach out, use it. If you would like to subsidize others and support this ministry of bringing our church family together, please specify that in your donation. Together we can unite, build and enjoy our WBC family.

**Church Potluck Lunch - Business Meeting** A potluck lunch will be held in the Lower Hall after the morning worship service on **Sunday, June 1**, hosted by the Social & Benevolent Society (S&B). Each person/household is asked to bring a main dish or salad to place on a common table to share with others. This is a great way to enjoy a variety of dishes and build community. Bread rolls, cake, and ice cream will be provided by the S&B. After lunch, we will hold our **quarterly congregational meeting** in the Lower Hall. A key agenda item is the approval of the reviewed 2024 financial reports, which must be voted on before we can file our charity information return with the Canada Revenue Agency. Your attendance is essential to meet quorum—please make plans to be there.

### Community Events:

**Gospel Music Night and Hymn Sing:** Featuring Brent Smith, Larry Knowles, Susan Euffing, Jack Neily. Coldbrook Baptist Church, May 24<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm.