

## Prayer & Praise Notes

### Prayer Chain

If you have an urgent or emergent prayer need, please call Dorothy Russett (613.623.3334) or Marg Laronde (613.623.7605).

### Prayer Requests

- Pray for boldness and power for all of us to press into our community with the good news of Jesus & His kingdom.
- Pray for Pastor Aaron Birtch as he holds a practice/preview service for Spotlight Wesleyan Church in Stratford this evening.

### Praise Reports

- Praise to God for the wonderful time Andrew and Krista had at the conference. They have much to share! God really helped them grow through their time away.

### Weekly Meetings

<b>O'Briens' Home Group</b> Wednesday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 pm at Jeff and Kimberly's home.	<b>Wesleyan Women</b> Every 3rd Thursday at 9:30 am at the church. A time of sharing & prayer for missionaries around the world.	<b>Men's Prayer</b> Intercession for personal and church needs. Thursday at 12:00 Noon in Pastor Ian's office.
<b>Mom-Me Time</b> This time for moms to connect and share in the parenting adventure. 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month: 9:30-11:00 am	<b>Tot Time Café</b> Gourmet coffee and treats. Moms connect while kids play. 1st and 3rd Friday of the month. Drop in from 1:00-3:00 pm	<b>The Crew</b> Men's Breakfast every 2nd Saturday of the month at 8:00 am at the church.
<b>Contact Information</b>		
<i>Office Hours</i> Tuesday—Thursday 10 am—4 pm	<i>Phone</i> 613-623-0421	<i>E-Mail</i> info@awchurch.ca
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### Service Times

<i>Adult Education Hour</i> 8:45 am at the church.	<i>Sunday Family Celebration</i> 10:00 am
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During the Sunday Family Celebration, we have a special spiritual growth experience for children ONLY (-) downstairs after the worship time!



January 15, 2012

## Today's Message:



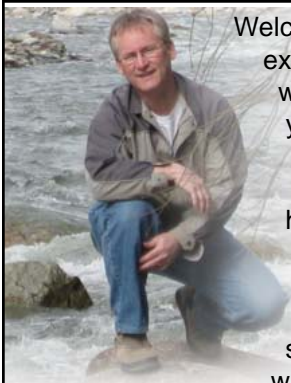
Theme verse for the year 2012:

<sup>10b</sup> ...the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophesy.  
(Revelation 19: 10b RSV)

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## Welcome to AWC!



Welcome! If you are visiting with us, we want you to experience a few things while you are here. First, we hope you feel welcomed. Second, we hope you find us friendly, inviting and willing to listen to any cares, concerns, or needs you may have. We try to do what we do well and keep a heart to listen to new people so we can grow in our ability to love God and people more completely. Third, we hope you will not experience any pressures – like giving money or having to stand up and say something. Just enjoy being with us and open your heart to Jesus. Finally, we trust you will experience God's loving presence. Our greatest desire is to live lives that please Him and welcome Him when we gather together. May you experience His love above all. Please feel free to call me any time with questions or comments.

*Joy to you.  
Pastor Ian*

## Sunday Family Celebration

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Songs of worship &amp; prayer</li><li>• Welcome time (take time to meet somebody new)</li><li>• Offering (Visitors - you are our guests! There is no pressure on you to give.)</li><li>• (Children can head downstairs for their spiritual growth time)</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discovering God in His Word</li><li>• Closing/Waiting upon the Lord</li><li>• Ministry time (We have ministry teams to pray for any needs you have - physical healing; relationship concerns, emotional struggles, etc.)</li></ul> |
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## Children's Spiritual Growth Time

Once we have a few moments to say "Hi" to each other after the singing, children are invited downstairs for age-specific spiritual growth experiences: learning Bible stories, doing crafts and interacting with gifted leaders who understand God's enjoyment of children and who will help them discover His love and purpose for them as an individual person!

### Nursery

Ages: 0 to 2 years



### Children's Time

Ages: 3 to 12 years

## Today's Passage



## Romans 12:12

### Announcements

1. **Andrew and Krista Meier are bringing God's word to us today.**
2. **Urgent!** A woman (66 years old) has just left an abusive situation in Ottawa and is looking for immediate temporary shelter. Please contact the Fountain ((613) 623-0830) if you are able to help out.
3. **Rev. Joe Ocran of the Ghana mission will be joining us for a special visit on Thursday, February 9th.** The Wesleyan Women are hosting this visit (time details to follow), but would like to open up their meeting to the whole church. Anyone wishing to attend is more than welcome. A luncheon is being planned following Rev. Ocran's presentation. So please advise Regine or Pastor Ian if you plan to attend so that food arrangements can be made.
4. **Copies of the 2011 AWC Variety Show DVD are available.** See Pastor Ian. Cost: \$10.
5. **Ladies' Events– Save the Date:**
  - a. **Ladies Breakfast** on Saturday January 28th at 8:00 am at PJ's Restaurant
  - b. **Ladies Day Apart in Milliken-** April 27th and 28th. Details to follow shortly.
6. **Family Day at Silver Lake Wesleyan Camp.** Monday, February 12, 2012. See the notice on the Notice Boards for details.
7. **Silver Lake Camp Fund Raiser. Doug Tatton and Hanny Branscombe are joining us for our service on January 29th.** We'll hear an update on the camp and Pastor Hanny will bring the message. We will have a special offering for the camp to help raise funds for a tractor purchase. We hope eventually to raise \$1000 to help them out! A pot luck will follow the service - so bring some goodies.