

Welcome to WellSpring!

THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO

MARK

Small Groups Started Last Week (but you can still sign up!)

- **Launch** ... this is a group for young adults (post secondary up to age 30). **tomorrow**, October 7 from 7-9pm at 345 Balsam Street.
- **Now What?** ... Meet for 5 weeks to discover who we are and what we believe. Now What? is recommended for anyone new to WellSpring and/or anyone who'd like to get involved in serving in some capacity. **Monday** from 7-8:30pm @ WellSpring (Cancelled for Thanksgiving)
- **A Contrarians Guide to Knowing God** ... This group tackles popular assumptions about Christian living that create stress and failure rather than growth and joy. **Tuesday** from 7-8:30pm @ WellSpring
- **The Gospel of Mark** ... An in-depth study of the Gospel of Mark. **Tuesday** from 7-8:30pm @ WellSpring
- **Couples Q&A** ... Enjoy some conversation with other young adults, focused on developing your marriage to be the best it can be. **Tuesday** from 9:00-10:00pm via Zoom.

Sign up on the [Church Center app](#) to get connected! Or if you're not tech savvy, call Barb at 905.735.2503 to join a group.

Operation Christmas Child

- OCC shoeboxes are here and available now for you to fill with love and all kinds of toiletries, school supplies, and toys
- Collection Week is Nov. 14-20. We'll be receiving shoeboxes: Mon-Thurs from 9am-3pm; Saturday from 9am-noon; and Sunday from 1-3pm.
- If you'd like to volunteer some of your time during collection week, please contact Barb Baird at 905.735.2503 or email info@wellspringchurch.ca
- Note: Students can get their community service hours on Sat. & Sun.

Trunk or Treat

- Saturday, October 29 from 4:30 – 8:30 pm!
- We are once again partnering with Faith Welland for Trunk or Treat!
- We're inviting you to decorate the trunk of your vehicle and fill it with candy! (If you aren't able to decorate for the event, you are encouraged to drop off candy to WellSpring by October 23, or donate on the [Church Center App](#)
- Click on the link for more info and to sign your car up:
<https://bit.ly/3frU2lL>

Municipal Election

- WellSpring will be a polling station for the Municipal Election on Oct. 24.
- On Sun, Oct 23, we need help taking the tables and chairs down/
- On Mon, Oct 24, we'll need help with parking.
- Please see Andrew for details.

Welland Food Drive

- On November 5 the Welland Food Drive is resuming to its traditional program of having volunteers pick up food donations from homes!
- Each year WellSpring participates in this Food Drive ... so we need
 - Drivers with a truck, van or trailer
 - Runners, who will collect the food from doorsteps.
- Sign up on the [Church Center app](#) or on the sign up sheet in the foyer.

Open Arms Mission Bin (south foyer) – Item of the Month!

- Let's fill the bin!! The 'item of the month' is **Cereal!!**

Church Live In-House

- Please join us for our live, in-house service each Sunday at 10am.
- Nursery to Grade 8 Kids Ministry is available.

Church Online

- Our online services are every Sunday at 10am.
- Links are available on ...
 - Our website: <https://wellspringchurch.ca/>
 - Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/wellspringccwelland/>
 - Youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/c/wellspringcommunitychurch>

Church Center ... a free mobile app for WellSpring!

- Church Center is a new, completely free mobile app that you can use to get involved at WellSpring by joining groups, registering for events, managing your profile, and giving!
- Download Church Centre on the Apple App Store or on Google Play!

Giving

- Ways to give ...
 - **Online:** You can give online at wellspringchurch.ca or on the Church Centre App (credit card or Visa debit with CVV).
 - **Interac E-transfer:** You can now give via e-transfer to donations@wellspringchurch.ca.
 - **In Person/Drop off:** You can bring your offering to church on Sundays, or to the office Tues-Thurs from 9am-4:30pm.
 - **Mail:** You can mail your cheque to WellSpring (address below).

Need Prayer?

- Please submit your prayer requests & praise reports on our social media sites or at: info@wellspringchurch.ca, or <https://wellspringchurch.ca/prayer/>



WellSpring Community Church

370 S Pelham Rd | Welland | ON | L3B 5N8

ph: 905.735.2503 | email: info@wellspringchurch.ca