

# Bridletowne Park Church

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## Worship Celebration



**BRIDLETOWNE PARK CHURCH**

Celebrating diversity. Following Jesus.

### Our World

The month of May has been a devastating month for many people around the world.

- Please pray for the people of Myanmar (Burma) who survived the destructive Cyclone Nargis on May 2.
- Please pray for the survivors of the major earthquake that struck in southwest China's Sichuan Province on May 12, causing staggering destruction.

If you would like to help ease the suffering of these humanitarian crises you can make donations online at these websites:

[www.worldvision.ca](http://www.worldvision.ca) or [www.redcross.ca](http://www.redcross.ca)

### Dates to Remember

May 24—Saturday	Discover the Bible Seminar
May 31—Saturday	Sunday School Used Clothing and Toy Sale <i>Beginnings Course</i> begins 7:30 pm
June 8—Sunday	Rob & Debi Millar from Ireland will be our speakers
June 13—Friday	Church Pot Luck (note date change)
July 7—Monday	Sonshine Day Camp Begins
July 13—Sunday	Church Picnic

A special thank you to  
Mike North and every-  
one who came out to  
help with our church  
clean-up day!





Loving God, each other and our neighbours.

## Loving Relationships

**Happy Birthday:** Susan Riihimaki & Lina Zhuge - May 18; Stan Wismer - May 22

**Happy Anniversary:** Jack & Lillian Huang - May 18

### *Welcome New Arrivals!*

-  Congratulations to Kim and Steve Mitton. Their new daughter, baby Anastasia (Stasi) Joy was born on May 2nd weighing in at 7lb 13oz. She is the little sister to Sarah, Alex and Timothy and granddaughter to Dave and Drue James and Dave and Shirley Mitton.
-  Congratulations to Mei Yan and Philip Yang on the birth of their little son, George. George was born on May 5 at 10am, and weighed in at 6 lb 4oz. He is little brother to Michelle.
- We were sorry to hear about the passing of Wally Nolson on Wednesday, May 14, after a long battle with colon cancer. Wally and his wife Diane and their family were founding members of Bridletowne Park Church and friends to many of us. Visitation is Tuesday May 20 4-9 pm at Chapel Ridge (Woodbine north of Hwy#7). The family will receive visitors Wednesday, May 21, at 1:00 at Markham Missionary Church (east of McCowan on 16th Ave.) The funeral is Wednesday, May 21, from 2-3:30 at Markham Missionary Church. A food and visit time will follow afterwards

## Prayer

- Please continue to pray for Dick Robertson who has had some medical setbacks.
- Prayer @ Bridletowne** Join us for prayer *every* Sunday morning from 9:00 to 9:30 upstairs in our library.

## Children

- Help Needed!** In order to give our Sunday School teacher's time off for the summer we need volunteers to replace them. If you are willing to serve as a Sunday School teacher for one or two Sundays please speak to Julie Seath or Nicki Freeman. Please help us care for and teach our children about the love of God and give our dedicated teachers a much needed break.
- Our Sunday School class will be having a used clothing and toy sale on Saturday, May 31st from 12:00-3:00pm. at the church. We are looking for donations for the sale of clothing (kids and adults) that are in VERY GOOD condition, gently worn with no stains or tears, and any toys or children's items you no longer need. The proceeds will be used to reinforce what we've been learning in Sunday School about missions. We want to help a family in need and also give to a missionary agency. We are also asking the children to come that day to help with the sales.
- Sonshine Day Camp starts July 7. If you would like to sponsor a child for a week of camp you can download the sponsorship form from our website ([www.bridletowne.com](http://www.bridletowne.com)) or speak to Guy or Nicki Freeman.

## Missions

- Have you prayed for our missionaries lately? This list will help you, hopefully, to regularly pray for at least one of our missionaries. They ALL need our prayer support.

Names	Mission	Names	Mission
Ron & Brenda Aitken	Finishers, Canada	Peter & Rhonda Koropatwa	SIM, Canada
Alan & Becky Andrews	Navigators, USA	Kevin & Carolyn Jolly	Navigators, Canada
John & June Austing	Wycliffe, Canada	Neil & Jenni Macris	Greater Europe Mission, Greece
Bill & Marion Baldwin	Greater Europe Mission, Greece	Iain & Bonnie Mair	SIM, Canada
Jeff & Mary Baldwin	Greater Europe Mission, Greece	Rob & Debi Millar	Global Outreach, Ireland
Aletta Bell	SIM, India	Ron & Susan Nikaido	Navigators, USA
Neil & Maureen Bullock	International Teams, Canada	Wilf & Jean Rose	SIM, Canada/Africa/India
Glen & Marcia Coleman	SIM, Canada	Royal & Joyce Schmidt	AIM, Canada/Kenya
Guy & Nicki Freeman	Toronto City Mission	Jean & Ann Seri	SIM, Africa
Doug & Anna Marie Graham	International Teams, China	Dean & Sharon Sherk	Navigators, Canada