

# Palm Sunday

April 1, 2007



## **Bridletowne Park Church**

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Join us for a Good Friday Communion Service here at BPC this Friday, April 6, 10:30 a.m.

Our *Baptism Celebration* is Easter Sunday, April 8.



**Community Needs Survey** – We want to learn more about our community. Iain Mair has developed a survey that is quick and easy to use. Best of all, it asks questions that will truly help us to better understand the needs and feelings of our neighbours. Now all we need is you! Please make plans to attend a one hour training session after our morning worship celebration on Sunday April 15<sup>th</sup>. You will be equipped to lead people from our neighborhood through the survey so that we can more fully understand and serve the needs of our neighbours.

Loving God and neighbour by following Jesus and helping people from any country or background to love and follow Him too.

## Loving Relationships

• Happy Birthday: Ning Huang; Yong Liang –April 4; Becky Wismer, Joan Lovering—April 7

## Prayer

• Please remember to pray for our brothers and sisters in need:

Helen Keers suffering with heart problems  $\cdot$  Glen Coleman's father who is in a nursing home in Florida  $\cdot$  Ranji Marearasa recovering from bypass surgery  $\cdot$  Dick Robertson in hospital recovering from knee surgery  $\cdot$  Jeff Riihimaki's mother in hospital

#### • Prayer @ Bridletowne

Join us for prayer *every* Sunday morning from 9:00 to 9:30 in our library.

#### Youth

• YOUTH EVENT – Make plans to attend the Good Friday Café at Morningstar Church (1601 Sheppard at Morningside) this Friday, April 6. Doors open at 7:00 pm and the admission is \$5.00. This will be a great evening of drama, music, and desserts! We will meet at Bridletowne at 6:30 sharp and make our way to the café together.

## Things you should know . . .

- ESL Café is *open!* Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. to practice your English speaking skills in an informal environment. *Note:* Volunteers are needed so please contact Mike North at mikenorth@rogers.com or Noreen Oliver at noreen\_oliver@yahoo.ca if you can help.
- Our knitting group is up and running and meets every Thursday morning from 11:00—12:00. This is for all levels of knitting experience. If you've always wanted to learn how to knit—this group is for you!

*Note:* Our Christmas knitting has begun. If you would like to join the knitters who are making scarves for the homeless and would like some yarn, please see Kathy Chu. This year our goal is 200 scarf sets so we must start early!

#### **Missions**

Missionaries of the week: Rob and Debi Millar, serving with Global Outreach in Ireland

Pastoral, teaching, music, community outreach

<u>Pray</u>: for contacts made at "Body, Mind, Spirit & Healing Arts Festival" held over St. Patrick's weekend; Rob's schedule is full of speaking engagements, consulting meetings, helping smaller churches with leadership development and an invitation to attend a conference in Jordan; Rob & Deb teaching a "Christianity Explored" course; need of more teachers in their Sunday School

<u>Praise</u>: for good health in spite of being so busy; opportunities Deb has to interact with local people through her parttime job; consistently growing group of children in their Sunday School

Family: Graham (Sarah) and Christina

PLEASE NOTE: Next Sunday (April 8) is Rob's 50th birthday. It would be great to send many "Happy Birthday" emails this week. Send them to: millar@dublin.ie

## This Sunday . . .

• This morning, our "Remember Me" series of messages concludes as guest speaker Peter Koropatwa brings the message, "Remember Me: Jesus our Reconciler". With Easter just around the corner, our prayer is that God will continue to prepare your heart to celebrate the wonder of what Jesus has done for us at the cross!