Bridletowne Park Church

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August 17, 2008 **Worship Celebration**



Small Groups

• Our Small Groups Mission Statement:

Bringing people together in small communities to love God, each other and our neighbours by

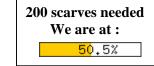
studying, sharing and serving.

Things you should know . . .

- ESL Café is on vacation and will be reopening in late August ready for the fall season.
- Gardening Volunteers Needed

If you can help water the new grass and the flower beds and pull some weeds from the big flower bed on the hill, please speak to Dennis Billingham.

• Christmas Knitting We hope to again provide knitted scarves and hats for the homeless in Christmas gift bags. For more details or for yarn see Nicky Freeman.



Youth

Hey youth! If you're entering grades 7 to 9 this September then there's an exciting retreat coming for you November 7 – 9 this fall. Getaway 2008 is a multi-church retreat organized by the Associated Gospel Churches and designed especially for Junior High aged youth. New grade nine students also attend this retreat. The cost of the retreat is \$ 125 per person so you may want to start saving your pennies now. Parents – as of today Roosevelt Michelin, Nicki Freeman and Julie Seath have committed to attend this exciting weekend with Bridletowne youth. We'd love to confirm one more adult (preferably a man) to round out our team of leaders. Please speak to Pastor Trevor if you'd like to help.

Loving Relationships

Happy Birthday: Dave Mitton - Aug. 18; Happy Anniversary: Ian and Bonnie Mair - Aug. 20

• We were saddened to hear of the passing of Dr. Art Johnston last week. Art's funeral service will be held this afternoon at 4pm at Calvary AGC Church, 89 Scott St. in St. Catherines. Art and his wife Verna were long time members here at Bridletowne and were very involved in helping the refugees from Vietnam in the early 1980's. Together they have shown the love of Christ through faithful service to the sick and needy and to the Body of Christ.



• BABY SHOWER FOR RYAN BRUCE SUN ... baby son of David and Diana born May 26, 2008. Please join us as we celebrate with David & Diana the birth of their son, Ryan. We will have a baby shower at the home of Bruce & Francette Nethercott on Saturday, September 5 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please note that Ryan will be over 3 months old by then so clothes would be better to be a larger size. The address is: 31 Boyd Court, Markham, (905)887-9543. Directions available upon request.

Prayer

• **Prayer** @ **Bridletowne** Join us for prayer every Sunday morning from 9:00 to 9:30 upstairs in our library.

Children

- *Children's Ministry Coordinator needed* We require a Sunday School Coordinator to lead a team of volunteers teaching our children during the Sunday morning service. If you are interested, or want to find out more, please talk to James Friesen or Julie Seath.
- Below is the summer schedule for our children:

Nursery	No nursery supervision will be provided. The room will be made available to those who want to use it.		
Age 3 – Grade 5	Due to the lack of available teachers, we will be showing videos for the kids in this age group. This group will be supervised, and will be dismissed just before the sermon. We are still looking for volunteers to assist supervising this group.		
Grade 6	There will be no Sunday School this summer for this class. The youth are encouraged to either sit with the adults in the service, or to help out downstairs.		

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	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