

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Over 400 Kids (actually 428!) were registered for this year's V.B.S. program--- "SCUBA-2003"-Super Cool Underwater Bible Adventure.

It was amazing to feel the excitement of the kids as they heard the Bible Stories, sang the songs, and mingled with each other.

The Sunday V.B.S. Reunion and Free B.B.Q. was well attended as well. Several parents came to share with their kids.

Already several have enrolled in the various children's and youth programs of the church. There has never been a time when more interest has been carried over by the kids into the regular church programs. We have finally been able to make a better connection than in previous years. We rejoice in MANY salvations during the two weeks of V.B.S.

A VERY special thanks to all who volunteered; Especially to those who took time off work to make this outreach a priority, we say thanks again!

PASTOR DWANE AND CHANTAL PARSONS AND FAMILY MOVE TO WALKERTON!

On Saturday, August 23, 2003
Pastor Dwane and Chantal

Parsons and family packed up the truck and headed for their new ministry home in Walkerton. We rejoice with them in God's leading and this opportunity for ministry.

Continue to pray for them as they get established in the midst of a new church family.



GREAT WORSHIP CONTINUES AT INNISFIL !

Pastor Dwayne and Pastor Eden Jamieson continue to give good leadership in the area of youth and music. The worship experience under their leadership continues to be exhilarating, and will be expanding to include others in the near future. We look forward to the days ahead as we re-build the strength and vitality of a unified, directed, and coordinated worship team.



PHILLIPS FAMILY MINISTERS AT INNISFIL!



On Sunday, August 3, at 11 a.m. the Phillips family ministered in music and testimony. When

the altar call was given for salvation and assurance of salvation approximately 10 people responded to the altar without pressure! God is doing a wonderful work during this season of the church's life. We rejoice with the angels in new names being written down in glory!

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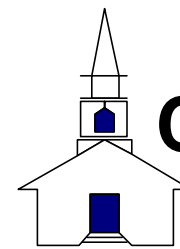
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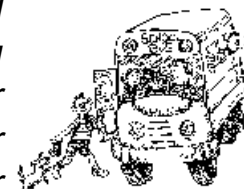


Innisfil Community Church NEWSLETTER

September, 2003

SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR SUMMER STAFF

We have seen some wonderful programs and ministry during these summer months with our two summer students, Bonnie



Pereira and Caleb Courtney. Although it has been a financial stretch for the church, their ministry went well beyond our expectations.

A definite investment in the future of many of our own has been made.

The P.A.R.K. program was amazing. The Kidz Kwire



....WOW! The music teaching...

The investigative study of the community... The Mission Trip!

So much accomplished in so short a time. Excellent work, Caleb and Bonnie! Well done.

FREEDOM IN CHRIST SESSIONS!

The Board of Innisfil Church recently approved a partnership with Betty Anne Taylor to continue to develop her ministry with "Freedom In Christ". Those blessed by her leadership and time spent in facilitating the "Seven Steps To Freedom" may wish to support her developing ministry by giving to the Church's "Freedom In Christ" department. Those who give towards this will receive a tax receipt for the full amount. Her ministry leading the Freedom In Christ classes at Innisfil Church is producing great spiritual results. Watch for the fall schedule and the additional classes called "The Bondage Breakers" as well as the "Victory Over Darkness" classes.

BACK FROM LADORE!

We welcome back the many who have been away on the Seniors - Prime Timers bus trip to Pennsylvania. Reports indicate that this year was another wonderful, successful year. Several have already reserved their spot for next year, not wanting to miss out! Thanks Gil and Delores - The Westons- for another superb trip.

ANSWER TO PRAYER - SUNDAY SCHOOL BUS DONATED!

Having discovered ourselves without a bus for Sunday School due to mechanical difficulties, we are back in service with the donation of a bus from Northstar Passenger Services Ltd.

Indeed this was an answer to prayer!



GOOD KINGS COME IN SMALL PACKAGES!

That's right! That's what the kids musical was titled as led by Bonnie Pereira on Sunday evening, August 17, and Sunday morning, Aug.24.

What an awesome thing to see. Approximately 25 cast and crew members presenting the gospel message that God uses all - big people and little people!

Thanks Bonnie for a
100% + + + + effort!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember to pray for the following needs:



-Darlene Bedford continues her journey with chemotherapy treatments for cancer.

-Muriel Roberts still needs our continued prayers for health.

- Kelly Mitter has just completed a series of Chemo-therapy treatments and is believing God for a full recovery. Continue to pray for their family.

WEDDING BELLS RANG OUT AT MAPLEVIEW CHURCH!

We extend our congratulations to Krista Branan and Mark Smerdon who were married on August 2 at Mapleview Community Church.

CONGRATULATIONS TO JASON AND COLLEEN LUSCOMBE!

Congratulations on the safe arrival of a baby boy, Lincoln Bruce Luscombe. You've made Grandma Beulah very proud! :) (Q A ,



WELCOME HOME !

We welcome home Gerry and Margaret French after their month out west. The time was well spent with their son. Gerry also preached while there!

Also, welcome home to Elroy Shipley, and Wilf and Alma Sharp, The DeJongs, and many others back from vacationing.

WOW ! SUNDAY NIGHT CHURCH IS CHANGING TO 6 P.M.

STARTING SEPT.14, 2003!

After a lot of discussion in the past, the board just approved the changing of the Sunday Night Service time to 6 p.m. This should enable families with young children to attend our evening services. And, for those who stay up late anyway, it will give them some more time to fellowship with families after church. Maybe now you can invite someone to your place after church Sunday night now and still be in bed before 11 p.m.!



FRIDAY'S BLACKOUT CANCELS LAST DAY V.B.S.

No one wanted to cancel V.B.S. on the last day. However, with no lights, no power and no washrooms, the decision was clear. We couldn't operate safely and so it was cancelled. Our workers were very disappointed, but several arrived on time to take the calls and turn people away. Workers were dispatched to the bus pick-up locations to advise the children and parents. In spite of the problem, our staff excelled in their response.