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Bethany Bugle

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Bethany Summer Camp is busy making the final preparations for camp for this summer. We are excited by the registrations that we have this far and we have many new campers that have never attended our camp. Please keep the campers, their families and the leaders in your prayers as we share the love of Jesus with them and their families this summer. Pray that our light will shine and that we may speak boldly of God's love for all.

We are always looking for **VOLUNTEERS!!** We have cooking camp and we love volunteers this week, to help lead a session, or to help with cleanup or to organize all the take

home packs at the end of the day. We have Spa day for girls camp and we need help with hair and nails etc. We have fun crafts for the girls and boys that we can always use extra hands for. We will be "travelling around the world" and we would love to hear stories from other parts of the world that we have never been to, you could come in a costume from your homeland, we could learn to cook food from your country, we could listen to music or watch some dancing from another country...got ideas for that, or know someone who might be interested in sharing part of their country with us (they do not have to be from this church) We are going kayaking and canoeing nearby and we would love to have you join us and maybe even lend us your boat for the afternoon, we are off to the fire hall in Fenwick and would love extra hands to hold along the walk over, we have a couple animal shows that are coming here and you may want to volunteer that day. We love to have you come to camp and see how it runs each day, you do not have to be here all day, one hour or half day works just great! We need sign- in people each morning to greet our campers and their loved ones. Want to lead a lesson or be a part of a skit in the morning? Do you have a talent that you want to share with us? You do not have to lead the kids in anything, you can just be an extra set of hands and eyes for us leaders. Young or not so young, we would love for **you** to be a part of Summer Camp this year. We also end each week with a BBQ and we can't do that with out all of your help. If you would like to organize the teams that volunteer for this each week, if you would just like to help once or every week, we have a sign up sheet by the summer camp bulletin board that you can sign your name on. You can sign up as an individual or as a group, let's fill the sheet!

We will also need donations of drinking boxes, freezies and baked goods for each day of camp as well as supplies for our Cook it Up camp. The list for Cook it Up Camp will be posted in the coming weeks, so be on the lookout for that.

Any questions, comments or ideas and you want to help out, please contact Kathleen Van Hoffen: bethanysummercamp@gmail.com or kathleenvanhoffen@hotmail.com or you can message me or call at 905-568-5132. There are lots of opportunities for all of you! I look forward to hearing from you.



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Mental Health Network

CONTACT INFORMATION

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School News

Job Posting - Personal Support Worker / Educational Assistants / After School Care supervisor -- Covenant Christian School in Smithville and John Knox Christian School in Stoney Creek are looking for a PSW (JKCS), an After School Care Supervisor (JKCS) and Educational Assistants (both sites) to work with varying student needs, classrooms, and schedules. The number of hours differ among the available positions and could range from one day a week (we have a few Friday-only positions) to full time. It is possible that some of the positions could be filled by the same candidate. If you are passionate about working with children to meet their potential regardless of their specific challenges, are committed to educating 'All Kinds of Minds', love teaching children about the awesome God they serve and the world He created, and relish the thought of working with a dynamic group of educators and parent community, please send a resume and cover letter to Joyce Koornneef, CCS Principal at jkoornneef@nace.ca or to Bonnie Desjardins, JKCS Principal at bdesjardins@nace.ca. While all applications will be reviewed, only those to be interviewed will be contacted. We will continue to consider applications until the positions are filled. For more information on our school, visit www.nace.ca

Elisha House
Pregnancy & Family Support Centre

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Other News

COFFEE BREAK: Hello Coffee Break Ladies! Hoping to hear from many more of you to know whether you can come to our fun morning at Fran Vedder's on July 11. I am sure you are enjoying the summer like weather we have been enjoying. I sure am! I am sure no one is surprised at that. Looking to seeing you all and catching up with all the news. Please let me know asap. See you! there.

WORSHIP COORDINATOR WANTED

Fruitland Christian Reformed Church, in Stoney Creek, Ontario, is seeking a part-time Worship Coordinator who has a passion for leading God's people in music while bringing creativity to the entire worship service. This position includes planning services, coordinating and empowering volunteers, while working closely with the pastor and other team members. If you are interested in this part-time position (10-15 hours/week), and would like to know more, please contact Jean Koornneef (pjkoornneef@cogeco.ca) for a job description, and to answer questions you may have.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

The Bridge is looking for some volunteers for their summer arts camps. This is a great opportunity to see what's happening and lend a hand. You don't need to be an artist, just love kids. Volunteers are appreciated for at least one full week of the six weeks of camp. Volunteers will be at camp Monday to Thursday from 11:30 - 4:30 PM. Camps begin July 3 and run the 4 weeks of July and the last two weeks of August. Contact Charis at 902-698-7078 or email: bridgesummerartscamp@gmail.com

COMMUNITY HYMN SING: Mountainview Church cordially invites you to join us Sunday June 25th at 7 p.m. for an evening of praise. We will give expression to our faith in song, in the words of many favourite hymns, interwoven with readings from the creeds. As we sing out our faith together we will be accompanied by Ernie Termorshuizen on organ and Will Lammers on piano. Please join us and bring your friends and neighbours!

Loving Your Neighbor

Ever been engaged in a conversation and you wanted to say something about what you believe about God but didn't know what to say? Have you ever tried to express your faith to someone and given up in frustration? Ever wish you were better prepared in expressing your faith to your friends and neighbors? Do you live in the tension of wanting to make disciples but don't know where to start? You're not alone. While these are great questions to wonder about there is a first step to "Always being prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect" 1 Peter 3:15

We are inviting you to a one evening workshop where you will receive practical guidance to help you move towards engaging people with a different world view and encouraging them to consider God, who created us, loves us and wants us to know him.

Date: Tuesday Evening June 20th from 7pm till 9pm

Place: Providence Church Main Auditorium 4845 King St East Beamsville

Presenters: Mike Collins the Community Pastor for the Town of Lincoln and Nicole Wikkerink Providence Church Small Group Director.

Kingdom 'Building' – Ministry Funding / Budget Update

Doing ministry together: May 2017

	PLAN	ACTUAL
Bethany Income	\$ 191,369.35	\$ 174,141.20
Bethany Expenses	\$ 191,369.35	\$ 187,819.30
Collected for Classis	\$ 6,405.65	\$ 6,405.65
Collected for CRC	\$ 28,064.70	\$ 28,935.70
2 nd Offering (May 7,14,21,28)		
Cadets.....		\$892.00
Elisha House.....		\$1,139.00
Hands at Work.....		\$50.00
Deacons.....		\$523.00
Family Outreach.....		\$842.00
The Bible League.....		\$100.00
Back to God Ministries.....		\$250.00
GEMS.....		\$75.00
Summer Camp.....		\$500.00
NACE (Covenant Chr. School).....		\$600.00



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www.bethanycrc.ca