

IMAGINE A PLACE WHERE...

People Care About Our Community



Ministry Highlight:

We are privileged to have guests from the I.N Network here with us. The IN Network exists to connect Christian nationals worldwide in effective evangelism, discipleship and community development. Visit them on-line at www.innetwork.org



Our Guest Speaker Bio: Under the leadership of Rev. Dr. Nicanor Tamang and his wife Elizabeth, IN Nepal began in 1974 with the emphasis on Church Planting. In 1988 the ministry was expanded to the Nepali speaking people in North India (estimated 8 million) with Dehradun as a centre. Suman and Danmit Sharma administer the Kathmandu base. IN's work in Nepal includes...

- Church Planting in the remote regions of the country.
- Student Training in Bible and Evangelism.
- Child care in the Villages
- Equipping Women for ministry at the Lydia Vocational Training Centre in Kathmandu.
- Leadership Development through Bible seminars.
- Evangelism.
- Community development.
- Sano Diyo (Little Lighthouse) children's home in Siliguri. IN Nepal provides children with funds for school tuition where they live, and the national staff have an opportunity to share the gospel with the children and their families.



Country Summary: Nepal is the world's only Hindu kingdom with Hinduism as the state religion. Since the revolution in 1991 there has been freedom to profess and practice religion but not to proselytize. A complex caste system exists despite its illegality since 1963. In 1952 there were no evangelicals in the country. Today there are over 300,000 baptised believers and a Christian community estimated at 750,000. Nepal has one of the fastest growing churches on earth.

Next Week:

Nursery:

Juliet, Dawn, Kimberley, Hannah

Set-up/Take Down:

Team 3: Dennis Walde's Team

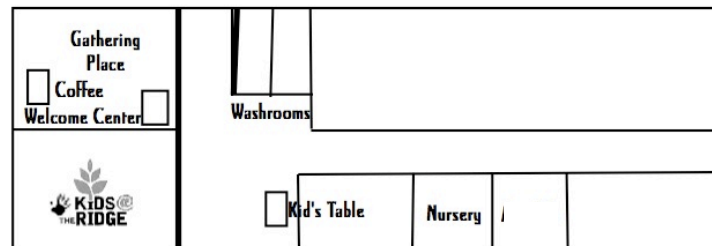
Frontlines:

Team 3: Wally, Gary, Darryl, Tamara

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- Life Groups.....Keith Reed
- Her Community.....Meg Sumner
- Hospitality.....Eve Campbell, Isobel Leung & Pam Price
- Technical.....Aaron Gleitman
- Frontlines.....Tamara Siemens

Map of RE Secondary School



Sunday, October 5, 2008



CONFESSIONS OF A SINFUL CHURCH
"We're Sorry for our Ethnocentrism"
Luke 4:16-20 Rev. Dr. Nicanor Tamang

"we're sorry"



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Welcome:

We're so glad that you've chosen to join us this morning, especially if you're visiting with us for the first time. If there is anything that we can do to help you on your spiritual journey, please let us know.

- We meet weekly at RE Mountain Secondary School, while our office is located at our partner church, North Langley Community Church. Brad Sumner is our Lead Pastor, Keith Reed is our Associate Pastor, Renee Wikkerink is our Children's Director, and Jon Mair is our Administrative Coordinator. The rest of our leadership team is listed on the back of the Info Sheet. Please feel free to contact any staff or leadership team member with any questions that you may have.

- If this is your first time here, please fill out a "Connecting Card" (located in the chair pocket) and drop it in the offering bag as it is passed around. Thanks for joining us!

Today's Gathering Includes:

Singing Together

Tammy Goh and Team

Coming Event Highlights

Coffee and Connection Time

"We're Sorry for our Ethnocentrism"

Luke 4:16-20 Rev. Dr. Nicanor Tamang

Singing Together/Communion

Tammy Goh and Team

Ministry Leaders Huddle

Thur, Oct 16 - 7:30 PM. We will be gathering in the Fosmark building, room 232 on-campus at TWU to plan ministry strategy and to overview the 2009 budget process. Information on parking, directions and your ministry YTD spending for 08 will be e-mailed out to you in advance. Please contact Pastor Brad for more info.

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People Connect With Each Other



"Understanding Afghanistan" Nov 9th 10:30 AM - Our next major community connection will centre on the Remembrance Day weekend. Pick up an invite postcard at the Welcome Centre today.

"We Haven't Forgotten"

How great our last crock pot special was.

Sunday, November 9th. Please sign up to bring crockpots, casseroles, or squares at the welcome centre. Thanks from the hospitality team!

TWU Fall Workday:

Each year, students from Trinity Western University serve the community by spending a morning doing service projects for those in need. If you know of a neighbour in need, please refer to the TWU Fall Workday handout and contact Alex Kirstiuk with the job opportunity (the Fall Workday is scheduled for Sat, Oct 18).

Trinity Western University

12TH ANNUAL

Fall Workday!



Coffee Garage

Want to be the relational hub of your neighbourhood on Oct 31? We give you everything you need to turn your garage (or front lawn) into a portable coffee shop. We're putting a team together to organize this event. Please see Pastor Brad. Sign up and info packets will be available beginning next weekend.

Coming Soon...

Thursday, Oct 9 - NOW Conference (with David Kinnaman, author of unchristian) - If interested in attending with a group from JRCC, please contact Pastor Brad.

Thursday, Oct 16th 7:30 PM - Ministry Leaders Huddle (budget and vision planning for 2009)

Friday, Oct 31st - Coffee Garage (interested in being on the planning team? Contact Pastor Brad)



herCommunity is proud to present our fall event - Choose Your Own Night Out - on Friday, October 17 at 7:30 PM. Choose between (1) playing Rock Band (2) watching a movie or (3) making homemade cards. Tickets

are only \$7 and include all the supplies and snacks for your event. Purchase your ticket and pick up location directions at the Welcome Centre today. A LIFE Group study on "Believing God" by Beth Moore begins this Tuesday, September 16th at Bev Moore's home (8137 168B St). The study will run from 7-9PM and a study workbook will cost \$20. Please register for this group online and pay for the workbook at the Welcome Centre.

Giving Opportunity: Benevolence Fund

This weekend we are beginning a new practice for JRCC, on communion Sundays, we want to encourage people to give a special offering towards our newly established Benevolence Fund. This ongoing fund assists those in need, both within our community and beyond. For those who would like to designate an additional gift towards this ministry (above and beyond your regular tithe), please indicate this by writing "Benevolence Fund" on the giving envelope line or, if you are giving through online banking, please send an e-mail to office@jerichoridge.com indicating your designation to this elder-approved project fund. If you have any questions or know of someone in need, please contact Pastor Brad Sumner.

Guatemala 2009 - Information Meeting

Interested in joining a team from JRCC on a short term mission to Central America March 14-21, 2009? In 2008, JRCC sent a team of 9 to build homes, work in orphanages, and distribute wheelchairs through Bethel Ministries International in Guatemala. We are planning a return visit this coming spring break and would welcome you to join for an information luncheon Sun, Oct 19th at 12:30 PM at Curtis and Sue Cottrell's home.

Kids at the Ridge:

Remember, if you have a child who was born in 2005, they are now welcome to join Kids at the Ridge.

Children from Kindergarten through grade 4 will be heading on an adventure to Berry Blast Theme Park where they will be engaging in an eight week study on the fruit of the spirit. The early childhood class will be kicking off the year with a month long unit on learning to do what is right. You're invited to pick up a newsletter at the Kids at the Ridge sign-in table, which further outlines the things we will be learning in the next two months. If you'd like to receive the newsletter by e-mail please contact Renee, (children@jerichoridge.com).

