

IMAGINE A PLACE WHERE...

People Care About Our Community

Glocal Service Highlight – CCI

This morning we will be commissioning Judy Friesen in her role as VP of Development for Children's Camps International. CCI equips indigenous churches to reach their communities with ongoing great commission ministry to children. For more information, visit them online at <http://www.childrenscampsinternational.com/> or visit Judy at the CCI table.

Road Race Requires Ridge Runners

Ridge Fitness is looking to field a team of runners in the Haney to Harrison 100 km road race on Saturday, Nov 7. We have 5 runners committed but need the following...



- 3 additional runners who are capable of completing a minimum of 10 km in less than 70 minutes and who are able to commit to at least 10 hours on race day
- 2 drivers for the day (you will not be running – all you need is a good sense of direction and a minimum passenger capacity of 4 plus the driver).
- 1 volunteer for the day

If you're interested, please connect with Cyndy Connery or Brad Sumner today (our team registration is due tomorrow). For more info, visit www.bcathletics.org/H2H/course.htm.

Guatemala 2010 Info Night

JRCC is planning on sending another team of 14 people to do wheelchair distribution and home building projects in Guatemala from March 6-13, 2010 (Spring Break). If you are interested in exploring this unique short term mission opportunity, either as an individual or as a family, please join past and prospective team members for a dessert and information evening on Sunday, Nov 1 at 6:30 PM at Sue and Curtis Cottrell's home (20451 90th Cres). Email cscottrell@telus.net for more information or visit http://www.jerichoridge.com/glocal_mission.html.



Coffee Garage

Halloween is just two weekends away! Each year, we equip people to become Coffee Garage hosts which means that they'll convert their garages, porches, or front lawns into coffee-houses so that neighbours and visiting trick-or-treaters can enjoy a hot drink and conversation. This is a great way to meet people in your neighbourhood and enjoy the Halloween festivities. JRCC will provide you with the supplies needed to serve hot chocolate. All that you need to do is to sign up as a host TODAY at the Welcome Centre. Then, you can pick up the host supplies after the main gathering next Sunday, Oct 25. If you have any questions, please speak with Pastor Keith.

Next Sunday:

Setup & Take Down

Brian C, Joel S, Norm, Mike P

FrontLines

Joel S, Sharon, Jess C

Nursery

Juliet, Jackie, Jared C, Kristen B, Jaime G

Coming up...

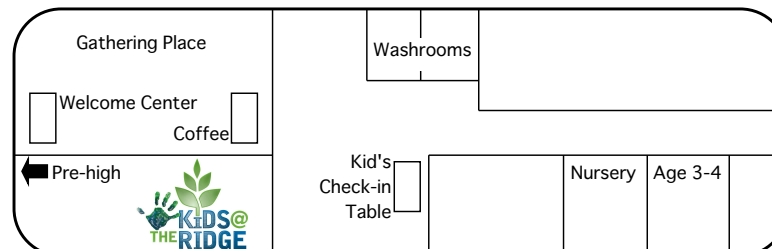
Oct 18: PreHigh Bowling

Oct 25: Community Baby Shower

Oct 31: Halloween / Coffee Garage

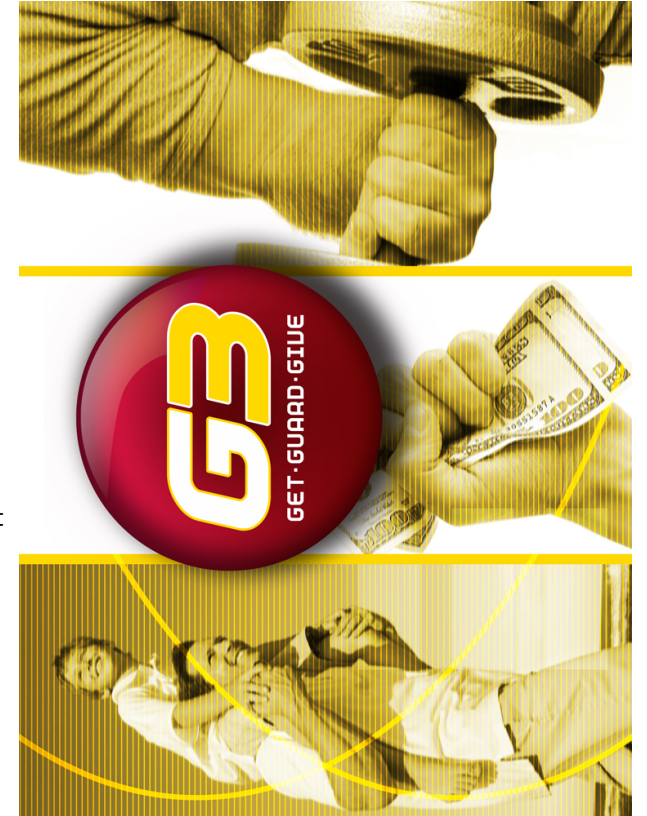
Nov 1: Daylight Saving Time Ends

Map of RE Mountain Secondary School



“How Good is Good Enough?”

Philippians 3:1-11 Pastor Keith Reed



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Welcome to Jericho Ridge Community Church

We're so glad that you decided to join us this morning. Here are some practical tips and tools to help you navigate through the morning here at JRCC:

- Complimentary fairly-traded organic **coffee** is available along with hot chocolate and tea at the back of the Banquet Hall. We encourage you to bring your own mug next week to keep your drink hot and to be eco-friendly!
- **Nursery care** is provided for children from birth to 24 months. The nursery is located on the 4th floor concourse in the community suites area (please refer to the map on the back page for the specific location). You can take your child there anytime and our trained staff and volunteers will provide you with a pager so that we can contact you if needed.
- **Kids @ the Ridge** is our program for children from age 3-grade 4. The check-in table is the place to sign in your children (for security) and to receive info on classes. Kids join us for the first 20 minutes of the main gathering before being dismissed to their classes in the Rec Centre (please refer to the map).
- **PreHigh** – Twice a month, our students in grades 5-8 meet together in the Rec Centre for a small group teaching time. The PreHighs also have an event once a month – please read through the Info Sheet for dates and details (a calendar is also available online).
- **Coffee and Connection Time** is a 10 minute window (usually from 10:50-11:00) that is dedicated to getting to know each other. This is the time for people to: help their child(ren) get settled into children's programming; grab a coffee; visit the Welcome Centre to register for events; interact with those around you.
- **First time** here? Please fill out a Welcome Card (located at the Welcome Centre) and place it in the offering bag or drop it off at the Welcome Centre. We'll contact you with any info that you request (no spam or overly persistent phone calls, we promise!).
- **Want a Bible?** We have complementary copies available at the Welcome Centre in an easy-to-read translation. Take it home as our gift to you.
- Please check out www.jerichoridge.com and sign-up for our weekly e-newsletter that will keep you up-to-date with JRCC programs and events.

Questions or comments? Please speak with someone who is wearing a nametag - they are part of our staff or volunteer teams. We hope your time with us will encourage and inspire you wherever you are at on your spiritual journey.

Today's Gathering Includes:

Singing Together

Kevin Klassen and Team

Family News & Upcoming Events

Coffee & Connection Time

“How Good is Good Enough?”

Philippians 3:1-11 Pastor Keith Reed

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People Connect With Each Other



Next Week: Back to the Events Centre

On October 25, JRCC will be meeting together in the Banquet Hall at the Langley Events Centre for our Sunday gathering time. We are grateful for our friends at R.E. Mountain Secondary who made it possible to meet here today due to a scheduling conflict at the LEC.



Kids @ the Ridge

Our kids will be returning to Ireland today for another adventure where we will discover how to make good choices every day. Please escort your child to the cafeteria (age 4-gr 4) or to the 2/3 classroom down the hall (age 2-3) during Coffee & Connection Time. The nursery is available for babies who are 24 months or younger (staff room).

PreHigh (Grades 5-8)

Sunday School TODAY!

This week we continue with our bi-monthly (1st and 3rd Sunday of each month) small group format. The PreHigh Sunday school class will be located in the choral room (exit into the cafeteria from the gym and turn right).

PreHigh Bowling

If you're a PreHigh student, make sure that you join your church friends today for an afternoon of bowling. Meet at the Willowbrook Lanes at 1:45 and bring \$6 to cover the cost. After the game, the group will be heading over to the Rogusky home for snacks and the premiere of "The Amazing Race: The Movie." If you have any questions about today's event, please speak with Tammy Goh.

Student Ministry Update for Parents

We are looking to launch a weekday evening LIFE Group for any parents of pre-high and teen children that will explore parenting themes along with providing support and relationships around JRCC. Bring the family for an interest luncheon at Derek and Heather Rogusky's place (7017 195A St) on Sunday, Nov 1 at 12:30 PM (immediately following the morning gathering) where we will be going over our plans for the year. Please sign up at the Welcome Centre so we can plan food accordingly.



Community Baby Shower

Our next community baby shower will be hosted by Bev Moore on Sunday, Oct 25 from 3-5 PM. Tickets are being sold today for \$15. Your contribution will go toward the purchase of a gift for EACH mom!



Our ministry teams are still in need of additional help. Please consider joining one of our Setup & Take Down teams – we currently need 3 more volunteers to help our teams setup the Banquet Hall for our main gathering each week. We also have volunteer needs on our FrontLines team – we need 4 people to help with greeting and ushering responsibilities. And, we are also looking for help on our coffee teams –two rotation

spots will be opening up next month. All of these volunteer teams operate on a 2 weeks on, 4 weeks off rotation. You can pick up position descriptions at the Welcome Centre or contact Pastor Keith for more information.

Children's Ministry Needs Your Help

What kind of help?

• Sign-in Volunteers: Arrive at 10:15 to set up the table. Help people with sign-in until 10:45. Clean up the table at the end of the gathering (a chair is provided for you while you're at the table for comfort and ease J).

• Age 2-3 Helpers: Show up. During Coffee & Connection Time, walk with the kids down to their class and help facilitate the play time and activities. No prep is required. Rotation: one week on, two weeks off.

• Small Group Shepherds: Look over small group questions and activity. Show up 15 minutes early to pray and tee up before joining the main gathering. Walk with the kids down to their class during Coffee & Connection Time. Participate in singing and listening to the Bible story with the kids and then sitting down in small group to discuss it.

• Large Group Teacher: Look over and practice the Bible story. Come 15 minutes early to tee up and pray. Join the main gathering and then walk down with the kids during Coffee & Connection Time for their song time. Teach the Bible story and the dismiss kids for their small group time.

• All commitments run until June and are based on a 1 week on, 2 weeks off scheduling rotation.



Two NEW groups have just been formed! The Tuffords will be hosting a prayer group in Aldergrove on Thursday nights and the Reeds will be hosting a sermon series study in Clayton Heights on Tuesday nights. If you're interested in getting connected with one of these groups or any of our others, please contact Pastor Keith (keithr@jerichoridge.com). A complete list of our groups along with host locations and contact information is available at the Welcome Centre.

LIFE Groups