

IMAGINE A PLACE WHERE...

People Care About Our Community



Camp Guatemala

Since 2001, Hope Haven (one of our partner ministries that provides wheelchairs to the disabled in Guatemala) has hosted a camp in Guatemala to spiritually encourage those who have recently received wheelchairs. The goal of the camp is to offer the people some respite from their difficult life while providing them with medical assistance, wheelchair repairs, and the gospel message of God's love and value for

all. The camp will run for three weeks (the first for teens, second for children, and third for adults). Margaret Terpstra will be volunteering at the camp for all three weeks and Tamara Siemens will be going for the last week of camp (Nov 28-Dec 5) and providing medical care to the Guatemalans. Tamara is hoping to bring medical supplies with her to use and distribute during her visit – everything from nail clippers to Pepto-Bismol. Please pick up an insert on Camp Guatemala to see how you can support Margaret and Tamara with supplies, donations, and prayer.

Inaugural Greyer Cup

Men and women. People of all levels of athletic ability.... and inability. Former stars and future stars. They'll all be coming out to our first Greyer Cup event – the perfect way to ready yourself for the Grey Cup. Roster spots for our two-hand-touch football game are limited, so please sign up at the Welcome Centre and let us know if you're also interested in watching the Grey Cup at the Pepperwood Clubhouse (20875 80th Ave). The Greyer Cup will begin at 1:30 on Nov 29 followed by the kickoff of the 97th Grey Cup at 3:30.

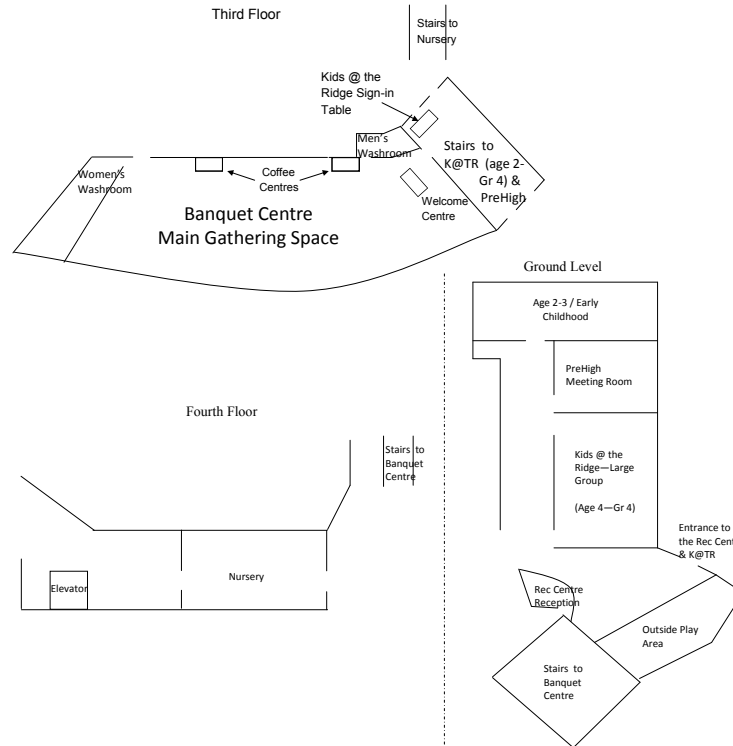


The fourth annual Spirit of Christmas hosted by Trinity Western University is a free weekend community Christmas celebration taking place December 4 & 5 from 4-9 PM on the TWU campus.

Next Sunday:
Setup & Take Down:
 Dennis, Jon M, Spencer
FrontLines:
 Darryl B, Jeneah, Don, Herta
Nursery:
 Rebecca, Diane, Joyce, Kristen, Lori-Anne

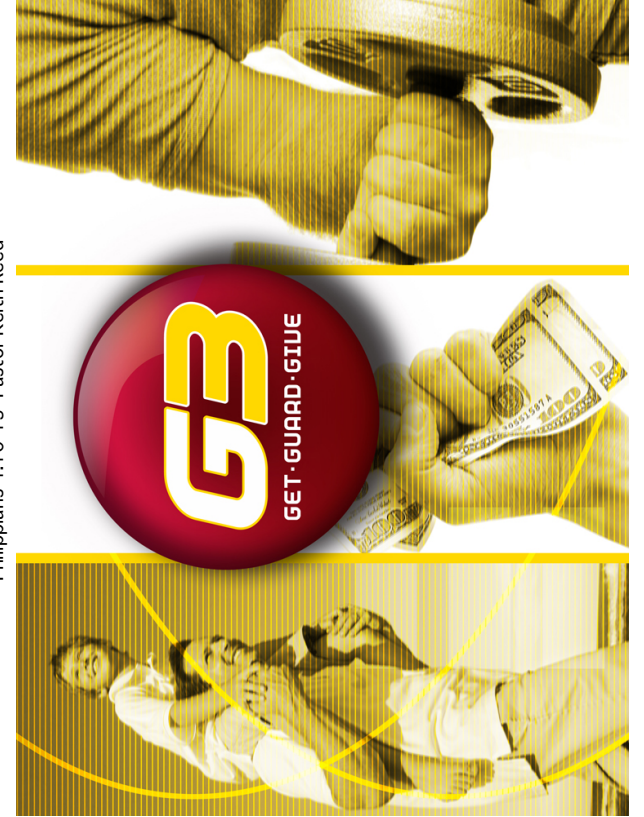
Coming up...
 Dec 4-5 – Spirit of Christmas Celebration at TWU
 Dec 6 – Skate with Santa (LEC Christmas Event)
 Dec 13 – Kids @ the Ridge Christmas Program (during gathering)
 Dec 24 – Christmas Eve gathering (6-7 PM)
 Dec 27 – Willoughby Community Christmas

Map of Langley Events Center



“Contentment: The Little Known Secret”

Philippians 4:10-13 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 & Team

Family News & Upcoming Events

Coffee & Connection Time

Covenant Membership Celebration

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Benediction

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People Connect With Each Other

Advent Conspiracy

Next week, we'll be introducing a new teaching series called "Advent Conspiracy." Simply put, the purpose of the conspiracy is to celebrate Christmas the way that it was intended – with Jesus, for Jesus. We want to put an end to the feeling that Christmas won't work if we don't buy everything on the list. We want to dream up ways that we can communicate the revolutionary love that Jesus introduced us to, to our world that often feels over-stressed and under-fulfilled during this time of year. The idea is to worship fully, spend less, give more, and love all. For more information, please pick up an insert at the Welcome Centre or visit the church website.



Kids @ the Ridge Christmas Performance

On December 13, JRCC's children will be putting on a dramatic presentation of the Christmas story that will include time machines, animal masks, a one-song performance from our adorable two and three-year-old class, and a drama from our K@TR children and PreHigh students. Mark your calendar, invite your friends, and don't forget your camera!

Baptism

We're planning for December baptisms! Please contact Pastor Brad if you're interested in being baptised.

Please join us TONIGHT in the Presentation Theatre at Municipal Hall (20338 65th Ave) for our annual Vision Night event. The evening will be dedicated to celebrating what God has done in the life of our church over the past year and looking ahead to the upcoming 2010 ministry year. Please pick up the Vision Night documents at the Welcome Centre so that you can review them before tonight's event. Please arrive at 6:15 for our standing reception, hosted by our hospitality team.



Covenant Membership Reaffirmation Process

If you're a current covenant member, we'd like to remind you to reaffirm your commitment to JRCC before Vision Night on Nov 22. By initiating a yearly reaffirmation process, we're giving our members the opportunity to act upon their agreements. As you review your commitment, we encourage you to initiate a conversation with the pastoral and elders' team to voice any questions that you may have. Reaffirmation packets are available today at the Welcome Centre.

New Covenant Members

We'll be introducing 15 people into covenant membership during our gathering time this morning:

- Ed and Tammy Goh have been regular attendees at JRCC for about three years. The Gohs are involved in JRCC's music ministry as well as the Kids @ the Ridge and student ministries programs. Ed and Tammy have three children: Jamie, Jordan, and Jeremy.
- Jon Mair has attended JRCC for over two years and is the church office's administrative coordinator. Jon has been an active participant in LIFE Groups, our facilities' team, and men's ministry. Jon graduated this past spring with his Master of Divinity from ACTS.
- Kevin and Alexandra (Alex) Dueck began attending JRCC a few months ago. The two were married this past spring and they just moved into their first home last month. Kevin is a police officer in Delta and Alex is currently enrolled in the M.A. of Counselling Psychology program at TWU.
- Ralph and Margaret Terpstra have been involved at JRCC since our church was planted by North Langley CC in 2005. The Terpstas have served in a variety of areas at JRCC, but they are even more active during the week! They regularly care for their family members, minister to those in jail, and visit Guatemala to distribute wheelchairs.
- Jeff and Cyndy Connery have been active attendees at JRCC for about two years. The Connerys are involved in a LIFE Group and Cyndy has used her expertise as a personal trainer to initiate numerous running and fitness events at the church.
- Spencer and Ali Lafleur began attending JRCC during the summer of 2008. This past Easter, the two of them made their decision for Christ public when they were baptised. The Lafleurs have been involved with LIFE Groups, Ridge Men, hercommunity, and facilities. The Lafleurs are school teachers, but Ali is currently on maternity leave caring for their daughter Ella.
- Andrew and Colleen Burkinshaw invested in the JRCC community from the fall of 2008 until this past spring. They are currently living in Asia where they are using their skills in agriculture and nursing to help the local people.
- Fen and Alice Dorozio have been connected at JRCC for about two years. The Dorozios live in the Langley Seniors Village and they spread their joy for the Lord wherever they go. Fen leads a weekly Bible study in their complex and the two of them have led many people to Christ.

Thank-You!

from the Lim family

“Dear friends. Today I met Hans and he gave me the gifts that you sent over with him. We are so thankful and encouraged for your thoughtfulness. Pearl and I will drink Tim Horton's coffee after dinner, thinking of you all. Thanks!” – Junghoon

