

Financial Information:

Giving has been especially low this summer, but ministry expenses have not taken a break. So if you have a gift or tithe set aside, but have forgotten to bring it to a CWG, we encourage you to bring it.

Your donations support the River and allow us to share what God has given us with other organizations like Open Door and YL. As well your giving enables us as a church to find and secure an office space that we can call our own.

Thank-you!

Our upcoming City Wide Gatherings:

October 27th

November 10th

November 24th

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City Wide Gathering

October 13th, 2013

River Kids Program

Little Dippers Pre-School Program



About Us: We at The River Church are focused on exploring and living out the teachings of God's Word. We are a community of Jesus followers, all on a journey to know God. The River Church is built on a Simple Church model. The 2nd and 4th Sunday's of every month are City Wide Gatherings; at our City Wide Gatherings the entire River community comes together for worship and teaching. In the weeks in between, Simple Churches meet, often in homes. See inside this brochure for a list of our Simple Churches.

Identity Statement: We are a network of Simple Churches: immersed in the grace of God, listening to the Spirit, freed to live out Jesus' love.

Our Vision is Jesus. We value being a people who are: Refreshingly Grace Filled, Joyfully Engaging, Undividedly Truthful, Wholly Relational, Unashamedly Experiential, Wildly Authentic, and Practically Loving.

Office/Study Locations:

Home: #19 – 40137 Government Rd.
Community: Bean Brackendale

Mailing Address:

PO Box 1168
Garibaldi Highlands, BC
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Pastoral Staff:

Lead Pastor: Rev. Darcy Reimer
Kids & Counseling: Kenda Reimer

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News & Events

Book Study for Men and Women:

Women are studying "Emotionally Healthy Woman" 3rd Thursdays of the month. 1st one is Oct 17th from 7-9:00 pm. Check website Events Page for more info.

Wholy Fit:

Come try out a gentle WholyFit class during the week. Look up WholyFit Squamish on the River's website www.intheriver.ca or Facebook for more class times.

Open Door:

Open Door has two needs. They could use volunteers to be on an on-call list in case one of their volunteers is not able to attend. Also, they desire to provide lunch for the Monday Program, so if you want to help make that happen, please talk to Lisa Oakes or Lynda Warner for more information. lisajoakes@shaw.ca

Elements of Justice KAIROS Event:

This event is all about building faithful alliances with our aboriginal brothers and sisters in order to heal. Come learn more about indigenous rights and ecological justice. North Vancouver Outdoor School from Oct. 24-27. Check out the website for more info.

Special CWG November 24th:

Cheryl Bear, a First Nations recording artist along with her husband Randy Barneston, will be coming to bless the River with their ministry

on November 24th. Please bring your friends! And First Nations friends!

Teen & Pre-Teen House

Churches Starting: Teen Grp Sept 22nd at Reimer's and Pre-Teen Grp Oct. 6th 6-8:00 pm Check www.intheriver.ca

Operation Christmas Child & Shoebox:

We as a church want to get involved with Operation Christmas Child and Shoebox so please begin to plan for that. In order to pull this off I need someone to spear-head the operation. Basically someone to pick up all the boxes and labels from NSAC on Oct 17th between 3pm and 5 pm. Please let Pastor Darcy know!

Tin See See Yi Christmas Party:

Christmas Party at Totem Hall needs House Church volunteers. Sat. night 5 pm on Dec. 14th

African Children's Choir:

the Watoto African's Children's choir coming to Squamish, they will be in town for one night, Wednesday February 5th at 7:00pm 2014 at Squamish Community Church. If you are interested and able to billet one or more children please let us know!



Living Out Jesus' Love

Local Missions

Open Door: This ministry is directed towards Single Mothers and their children; they meet Monday mornings at 8:30am, Mountain Valley Mission, 37739 2nd Avenue. To hear more, contact Lisa Oakes at lisajoakes@shaw.ca or visit their website www.singlemomsopendoor.com.

Global Missions

CMA Families: Part of your general giving helps to fund one Canadian CMA missionary family worldwide. We have adopted Gaileen who is working in the Caribbean Sun Region. To receive her prayer updates please check out our website.

Harada's: Geff and Christine Harada work with the I'Wak tribe in the northern Philippines. Please pray for the Harada's as Christine is home fighting cancer! http://www.ntm.org/wp/geff_harada/

Children's Programs

River Kids: If you have any questions about our children's programs or would like to help out or lead, contact Kenda Reimer at kendar@intheriver.ca.

"In the Flow" Kid's Mt Bike Riding

Camp: Riding Camp is coming to a close but still a few rides left! For more information please check out www.intheriver.ca

The Vision of River Kids is for kids to have a safe place where they know God's love, learn what it means to be like Jesus, and experience the power of the Holy Spirit in their lives.

Little Dippers: Sunday school for children ages 1-4 takes place at the same time as River Kids. It is located in the classroom across the hall from the gym. Our time together involves twenty minutes of story, rhyme, dance, and music followed by unstructured play. Please ensure that an adult caregiver accompanies

children. We would love for your toddler or preschooler to join us as we wiggle, giggle, sing and learn about God! If you want to supervise this please contact kendar@intheriver.ca.

Youth

If you're a teen ages 13-18 and looking to connect with other youth city wide who follow Jesus or are interested in Jesus please contact Mat Chamberlain, our Young Life Leader at matchamberlain@mac.com or at www.facebook.com/pages/Squamish-YoungLife. To go deeper in your faith check out the Teen House Church!

House Churches

Teen House Church – 3rd Sunday Night of the Month 6-8:00 pm

Contact: Darcy & Kenda Reimer
kendar@intheriver.ca or 604-848-8007

Pre-Teen House Church – 1st Sunday Night of the Month 6-8:00 pm

Contact Darcy & Kenda Reimer
kendar@intheriver.ca or 604-848-8007

Valleycliffe House Church – Sunday mornings at 10 am

Host Home: Mario & Anne Iacovone
maiacovone@sahw.ca or 604.898.9300

Brackendale House Church – Sunday Nights 6-8:00 pm 1610 Depot Rd.

Contact Geoff Isaac @ 778-837-2548 or ilaughed5@yahoo.ca

Garibaldi Estates – Sunday 10:30am

Host Home: Maria Shemko
Contact: Maria Shemko
mariahemko@hotmail.com or 604.898.9134

Tantalus – Sunday 5:30pm

Roaming/Shared Contact: Jim Neudorf
mail4jimm@gmail.com or 604.898.4277
Pat Carlin patriciaacarlin@shaw.ca or 604.898.5333

Mamquam / North Yards - Wed. 7:00pm

Host home: Roaming. Call Jason Peterson @ 604-898-9490 or jasonandchaylene@shaw.ca

Fueling Thought

"All we have to decide is what to do with the time that is given us."

J.R.R. Tolkien

"I will not say, do not weep, for not all tears are an evil."

J.R.R. Tolkien