Money, Faith & Worship:

	2013-2014	2011 – 2012	Difference
	July - Feb	July – Feb	Difference
Total Income	\$87,036	\$100,482	-\$13,446
Operating Expenses	\$94,185	\$83,797	+\$10,388
Net Income	- \$7,149	\$16,685	- \$23,834

Spiritual Formation Statement

"Worship leads to offering and offering leads to worship" First Things First, p 15

"How we handle our money is a reflection of our spiritual well-being" p 31

Our upcoming City Wide Gatherings:

April 6th April 18th Good Friday April 20th Easter

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City Wide Gathering March 23rd, 2014

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 lesus 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

Pastoral Staff:

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

Mailing Address: PO Box 1168 Garibaldi Higlands, BC **V0N 1T0**

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News & Events

UNITE Worship Event: Tuesday April 29th at the BAG from 7:30 – 8:30 pm.

Book Study for Women: Women are studying "Emotionally Healthy Woman" 3rd Thursdays of the month from 7-9:00 pm. Check website Events Page for more info. Contact Kenda Reimer at kendar@intheriver.ca

Wholy Fit: Come try out a gentle WholyFit class during the week. Look up WholyFit Squamish at www.intheriver.ca or Facebook for more class times.

Organizational Meeting: Thank-you to all of you who turned out on March 13th. Thank-you to Steve for hosting the event at Bean!!! Thank-you too for all of you who let me know ahead of time that you couldn't make it, but still want to renew your Membership with the River. We are trying to set up a visit from the C&MA's District Super Erol Remple at one of our CWG's before June. This will likely be where this process will be wrapped up. If you were not able to attend the mtg at Bean on March 13th, we will be setting up some info on our website so you can work through that material on your own before our CWG celebration Sunday. If you attended the mtg on March 13th, but still have questions, please let me know so we can set up a time

to do coffee. If there is enough of you, we might be able to combine this into another evening session, where those who couldn't make the first one, can attend this alternate night.. So please let me know what you want to do. Check out www.intheriver.ca /Blog for more info.

Living Waters Journey: "Journey" is an introductory look at blocks in our relationship with God, ourselves and others. Through 6 weekly sessions of teaching and small group sharing, we will take a look at issues that prevent us from moving forward. Who is it for? Anyone! . Cost is \$30. Location T.B.A. Please talk to Claudia Weiland or Darcy Reimer for more information. E-mail at peterclaudiaweiland@gmail.com or darcyr@intheriver.ca

Acquainted with Grief. As we heard in January, our hearts are enlarged when we engage with our losses. One way we can do that is to "speak out" those losses and their impact on us. Jim & Grace Neudorf invite you to gather at our home April 17, at 7:30 to remember Jesus' suffering, God's sharing in our suffering, and our own loss and pain. Please RSVP to Jim Neudorf mail4jimn@gmail.com or phone 604-898-4277

Fueling Thought

"Although many biblical passages exhort first fruits generosity to the people in need, other key passages speak only of giving to God. Prov. 3:9-10; Mal 3:6-12. Certainly, we want to share God's generosity with others, but let's remember that Christian generosity is more than philanthropy—it is an act of worship. By this act I declare to myself and to others that this God is my God, and holds first place in my life."

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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 has finished for the year but will start up again in the Spring.

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 I-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.

Simple Churches

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

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

Pre-Teen – Ist Sunday Night of the Month 6-8:00 pm

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

Valleycliffe - Sunday mornings at 10 am Host Home: Mario & Anne lacovone

maiacovone@sahw.ca or 604.898.9300

Brackendale II – 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 mariashemko@hotmail.com or 604.898.9134

Tantalus - Sunday 5:30pm

Roaming/Shared Contact: Jim & Grace Neudorf mail4jimn@gmail.com or 604.898.4277

Mamquam / North Yards - Wed. 7:00pm

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

Brackendale – Sunday Mornings at 10 am

Host Home: Roaming/Shared Contact Rolf and Christine Rutishauser reruti@gmail.com