

WELCOME TO OAKLANDS CHAPEL! We are delighted to have you worship with us today. If Victoria is your home, we would love to have you become a regular member of our fellowship. Please join us for coffee or tea after the service. If you have any special needs or requests please share this with one of the greeters or other members of the congregation. Or contact the office -Monday - Friday from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm @ 250-595-1411.

AT A GLANCE: NEXT SUNDAY AUGUST 2

10 am Family Service with Communion
 Psalm 96 Speaker: Caleb Oppel
 6 pm - Beacon Hill Park Services. Graham Jackson of YWAM will host.

Aug 9 VBS – DUE TO LOW REGISTRATION – THIS HAS BEEN CANCELLED. Watch for it to be offered over spring break in 2010.

Feb 2010 – Men needed to teach soccer at an Africa Short Term Mission (2 weeks) in Liberia, West Africa with Village Ministries (Victoria based outreach) See poster for more info or www.villageministries.net

PRAYER AND PRAISE:

Prayer: Please continue to pray for Barb Horton and the family.
 Pray for Mabel Russell's family.
Pray for Camp Imadene, the Directors, the staff and the campers:
 Aug 2-8 Family Camp –
 Aug 9-15 Teen Girls -
 Aug 16- 22 Junior Coed August -
 Aug 23-29 Teen Coed August –
 Aug 30-Sept 4 Senior Coed –
 Sept 14-18 Adult Fall Adventure

FOCUS ON SUMMER SERVICES:
 “Looking for Life in the Psalms!”

The title of our series reflects a desire to approach the Psalms as true expressions of life. The psalmists are often painfully honest with their questions and doubts and yet at the same time express overwhelming confidence in God. We have much to learn from the psalms! As has been our habit in past summers, we will be hearing from several different fellows mostly from our own congregation. Each will share a psalm that the Lord has made real to them. As we embrace life this summer, let us pray that God will speak clearly to us through these powerful poems of Scripture!

Below is an incomplete list of the series. Why not read a few psalms?? Ask the Lord to help you find true life as you read His Word!

DATE	PSALM	SPEAKER
Aug. 2 nd	Ps 126	Steve Milroy
Aug 9	Ps 96	Caleb Oppel
Aug 16	Ps 118	Dean Steinke
Aug 23	Ps 78	Graeme Olson
Aug 30	Ps 139	Rick Deveau
Sept 6	??	David Hunwick

YOUTH ACTIVITIES:

Aug 7, Fri. 1 pm - Basketball @ Cridge
 Aug 7, Fri. - Girl's Night Out
 Aug 19, Wed. - Willows Beach

Help yourself to a copy of the BC Christian News in the foyer.



MISSIONS & OUTREACH:

This week's stop with "Intercessory Prayerways" is in North America, however this stop has worldwide connections.

PARSONS: Phil and Mary serve at The Christian Mission in Many Lands Missionary Home which has facilities available for missionaries to stay for a short term (up to 30-days) when outbound to or inbound from their mission field.

Pray that God would use them to encourage and refresh the many missionaries that pass through the home.

JOHNSTON: Phil & Lorna serve with Outreach Canada that seeks stir up awareness and commitment here in Canada for many other places in the world.

--We are contributing to two different prayer booklets.. One will hopefully be completed this fall, and the other is scheduled for March 2010. Both have the potential to stir hearts and raise awareness for the region we work with. **Please pray that these resources would be completed on time and get into the right hands.**

--All of the great things happening in Missions Mobilization create a lot of work! **Please pray for us to find a good balance--especially during the summer months--between work and rest, ministry and family**

RAMADAN is Aug 22 - Sep 19 this year and we would like to encourage you to pray through Ramadan by following a Ramadan Prayer Calendar we hope to have available to you soon. Watch for more information to come.

SMILE CARDS

- The latest donation from your use of Thrifty Foods SMILE Cards is \$148.11 We are trying to raise \$2,000 to help with the replacement of our aging telephone and hearing assistance systems. EVERYBODY with a SMILE Card--please continue to use it to help raise these funds, and if you don't have a SMILE Card and would like to help, please see Dave Waldie to get your Card. REMEMBER--Thrifty foods gives us 5% of everything you spend at that store when you use your Oaklands Chapel SMILE Card to make your purchases.

THIS WEEK:

Monday Aug 3 - BC DAY HOLIDAY
 6:30 pm Zero-Euro Soccer at Braefoot Park - adult soccer drop-in
Tuesday Aug 4 6:45 am Special Needs Prayer
 10 am - Young Families Park Play Dates - Peter Pan Water Park
Wednesday Aug 5 2:30 pm – Memorial Service for Mabel Russell. If you can help in the kitchen and/or bring squares please call Doreen
 7:30 pm C&C
Friday July 7 1 pm - Youth Basketball @ Cridge
 7 pm - Girl's Night Out

GET ACQUAINTED WITH OUR LIBRARY:

- 1st: Browse thru some of the collection in the foyer, featuring the newest additions to our fiction & non-fiction collections and a sampling of our video collection.
- 2nd: Check out special displays for Barb Munday's, Janice Ricketson's and Beth Goh's top picks
- 3rd: FREE copies available of John Munday's biography "God's Fuel"
- 4th: Select 1 or 2 items (or more) to borrow! Loans are for 4 weeks
- 5th: If that's not long enough just let us know & we'll be happy to extend your loan ☺

