

Notes of Thanks

Sincere thanks for the many prayers, cards and condolences at the passing of our son-in-law Heinz Klassen.

John & Anne Enns

Bakerview Hispanic Church has again expressed sincere appreciation to Bakerview Church for the privilege of being able to use our facility on a weekly basis. They recently gave Bakerview a love gift, and also served a magnificent Mexican lunch to staff! We bless God that Bakerview Hispanic Church has found a home in our walls, and for the vision He has given to their church to live out God's mission.

Condolences

We extend our sympathy to Lorne Friesen, Bonnie and Larry Nickel and families. Jack Friesen went to his heavenly home Wednesday, January 24. The memorial service is planned for Monday, February 5 at 2:00 pm.

Kingdom Come Ministries

Check out the bulletin board in the foyer for a list of ministry opportunities that Bakerview is currently committed to supporting. We are looking for an ambassador for each ministry which involves being in touch with the missionary or



organization and keeping Bakerview informed. This would mean a short report during a Sunday service or a handout or posting information on the bulletin board. Please sign up for a ministry that interests you. If you are involved with a ministry that is not on the list but you think Bakerview should be aware of it, please add it on the list.

Our services on February 11 and February 18 will be mission focused. Our missions board, now Kingdom Come Ministries, is planning one combined service for the 11th and two services on the 18th. The learning centres on those two Sundays will be organized by Kingdom Come Ministries and our current-issues planning team. They will be based on a panel concept and lead by representatives from some of our missions projects. **A reminder that offerings for both of these Sundays will be designated to Missions.**

Bakerview Children and Families Ministry

is on a mission to support parents as they make disciples in their homes. It is our desire to build an inter-generational community of growing disciples at Bakerview who support each other as we learn to love like, live like, and serve like Jesus.



Important ministry notices . . .

Mom's Retreat 2018

Love Never Fails, 1 Corinthians 13

February 2-4, near Mt. Baker, Washington, USA

So glad that we are able to get away to retreat!!

Please pray for the 18 moms who are retreating this coming weekend. Pray for physical and spiritual refreshment and renewal. Pray that God would be revealed to all of us in a new and fresh way so that we all come back committed to living and mothering with confidence knowing that God's *Love Never Fails*.

#2 Nursery Nurturers (Care Team) Meeting

Friday, February 9, 7 pm at Bakerview (nursery)

This meeting is for all nursery team members (including youth) who were not able to come to the meeting in January.

Please RSVP to Pastor Stephanie ASAP.

stephanie.sawatzky@bakerview.org OR text 604 855 5552

Please plan for a babysitter if you serve in the nursery ministry as a couple so you can both attend!

Kingdom Come Ministries – Sundays

February 11 & 18

STAY TUNED for possible changes with Sunday school and Children's Church times



Congregational meeting

Monday, February 19, at 7:00 pm. We will have updates on the search for a lead pastor and for church council representatives. We'll also be discussing scheduling for Sunday services.

Employment Opportunities:

Bethesda Christian Association is seeking an Administrative Assistant in Accounting for their Head Office in Abbotsford. For more information see www.bethesdabc.com/careers.html

Maranatha Kids Care is looking for an Out of School Care Supervisor. Required is a "Supervised Adult" certificate. For more information call Jackie Tyler at 604-859-8405.

Marranatha Kids Care has space in the Day Care Program and Preschool Program. Call Jackie Tyler at 604-859-8405.



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Contact Marina Unger at 1-800-475-9494 ext 2827;
marina.unger@visiontravel.ca or see <http://mennoniteheritagecruise.ca>.

Community Events



Willingdon Church 2018 Winter Courses

Courses begin January 23 and run through March 20. Topics: New Testament, Old Testament, Wisdom Literature, Romans, Ephesians and Theology 2. For more information and to register see Willingdon.org/wsb.

Gallery 7 Theatre presents "Doubt, a Parable" by John Patrick Shanley beginning January 26, 2018. For more information visit www.gallery7theatre.com.

Trinity Western University's **SAMC Theatre** presents **New Generations**, January 30th to February 3rd. For more information see twu.ca/theatre.

The **Mennonite Faith and Learning Society** and **CBC** are sponsoring a public lecture on February 2nd, 7:00 pm in the CBC Chapel. The speaker Dr. Mark Wessner, the MB Seminary President at ACTS is speaking on the subject "Training Leaders in our Canadian Pluralistic Context." All welcome.

Fraser Valley Symphony presents "Mozart and Friends" Sunday, February 4th, 3:00 pm at Matsqui Centennial Auditorium. Tickets available at King's Music, Tourism Abbotsford, and The Pantry Natural Foods in Mission.

MCC Kit + Caboodle Family Day Event is planned for Monday, February 12th from 2-4 pm. Drop by the MCC Centre to pack relief and hygiene kits for people around the world. For more information see mccbc.ca/events.

Vision for Mission Dessert Night at South Abbotsford Church on Friday, March 2nd, 7:00 pm. Randy Friesen, General Director of MB Mission will share recent stories from North Africa, Asia and Europe. **RSVP** to susanf@mbmission.org by **February 23rd**.

Life Link Counselling Group presents **The Hold Me Tight** seminar Saturday & Sunday, April 14th & 15th in Abbotsford. For more information call 604-855-6677 or visit www.lifelinkcounselling.com.

Mennonite Heritage Museum Update

Gallery Exhibit: Paintings by Neil Peter Dyck – until March 2

Winter Museum Hours: 10:00 am-4:00 pm Monday to Friday

Coffee Shop open 10:00 am-3:00 pm Monday to Friday

MHM is currently looking for volunteers.

See www.mennonitemuseum.org for details