

## Church Family News

### Membership Updates

The following members have request a release from membership: George & Mary Baier and Karl Horst.

### Address Change

Norman Bartel is now living at Maplewood House.

### Condolences

Our sympathies to Gerda Neumann whose sister-in-law Elfrieda (John) Neumann passed away. Her service is planned for Wednesday, September 26 at 1:00 pm at Bakerview.

### Care Groups

Care groups are beginning again soon and many groups of all ages are open to new people joining. Contact Pastor Christine if you would like to be part of a group.

### Room 300 Worship Gathering

Sundays, September 16, 23, 30, October 7 at 10:45 am.

### Ministry Meeting

Mark your calendar for this very important meeting on Monday, October 1 at 7:00 pm.

***Then Sings My Soul*** Thanksgiving Celebration Mark October 14 at 6:00 pm on your calendar for some hymn singing and special guests. Calvin Dyck will lead with members of the Abbotsford Youth Orchestra, Mel Bowker and soloist Alison Nystrom.

**Care Team** The pastors are wanting to compile a list of those who are living in their own home and no longer able to attend worship. Please contact Harry Heidebrecht or Christine Kampen if you, or someone you know should be on this list.

### Seniors Cafe

All seniors are invited (and bring your friends) to come for a time of singing, visiting, listening to testimonies and meditations on themes relevant to seniors. Of course, there will be refreshments. Our next café is October 2 at 10:00 am.

## Bakerview Children and Families Ministry

has a vision to see children and families transformed by the Good News and living a life of obedience:

Know the gospel    believe the gospel    obey the gospel  
head                      heart                      hand

### PLEASE PRAY:

***Will you consider how you can contribute to the spiritual formation of the children of BV Church in 2018-2019?***

- Pray for growth in our **Lead&Love Team** (Sunday school teachers and support people) and **Nursery Nurturer Team**
- Pray for God to inspire and prompt even more people to love and lead our children.
- Pray for our teams:
  - Spiritual formation: Dan Funk, Irene Funk, Pastor Jeff Pastor Stephanie
  - Events team: Chantal Zacharias, Natalie Charlton, Jacqueline Quiring, Pastor Stephanie

### SUNDAY SCHOOL

September 23: Sunday School classes for 3-10 year olds start up again! YAH!

September 30: TBD

### SAVE THE DATE

October 27 - Kids party at Bakerview, 6:30-8 pm  
November 18 - "High Tea"—Baby Party 4 - 6 pm.  
December 23 - Birthday Party for Jesus  
More details to come.

### Youth News

September 25: 6:30 - 8:30 - Youth Night @ Bakerview  
October 2, 9 16, 23, 30: Youth Alpha  
October 19: Corn Maze

### August 2018 – Financial Update

Annual Budget .....	\$1,246,715
Received to Date .....	287,067
Expenses to Date.....	331,716
Deficit .....	(44,649)

Note: The annual budget does not include the roof project since we are raising these funds apart from regular giving.

Board of Finance & Management

## Get involved—We Need You!!!

There are many areas to get plugged in.

**Be a part of making Bakeview a great place to be and worship.**

**Office Help** We would like all staff to be able to attend a weekly meeting, so we need a volunteer or two to answer phones in the office. Call Linda if you are able to help in this way.

Become a First Service **greeter** and be the welcoming face of Bakeview. A small time commitment of once a month is all that is required. Please contact Anita Spenst at 604-615-7360 or email [anitaspenst@gmail.com](mailto:anitaspenst@gmail.com).

**The Funeral Catering Committee** would welcome younger people who could serve the church in this way. Contact the office.

**Sound and media operators** are needed for the services and for the Current Issues class. Training is provided during worship practices and the more volunteers we have the less time commitment required. Serve the people of Bakeview and learn a new skill at the same time! Please contact Bruce Havery at [bruce.havery@bakerview.org](mailto:bruce.havery@bakerview.org) if you have any questions or want to serve.

**Do you love books???** We need help with getting the library organized and returned books put back on the shelves. Please contact the office if you are willing to serve in this way.

## Serving in our Community

The Bakeview Music Academy is in need of more volunteers here at the church. If you have time and want to bless this vital ministry to our neighbourhood families and children, call the office.

The Oxford Senior Living & Care home are looking for churches who can do a short service in their facility, on a volunteer basis, for their residents. If you are interested in facilitating a service for them, please contact Joy Sereno at the care home, 604-853-7854.

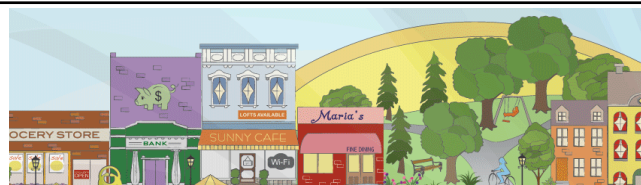
Hope for Women Pregnancy Services - Come serve your community by walking alongside women through crisis, journey with them towards hope during their pregnancy. Email [laurie@hopeforwomen](mailto:laurie@hopeforwomen) for an application today! Or call (604) 853-0303 for more information.

**GriefShare** is a support group designed to help people in their journey of grief through the loss of loved ones. GriefShare will run from Oct 3 - Dec 5, & Jan 9 - 23 from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in Room 301. The cost is \$30, and includes refreshments and workbook. Please register at the church office. Scholarships are available.



## Community Events

(See Community board for more details)



**Kim's Convenience** - Pacific Theatre - September 7 - Oct 6  
Performances 8pm Wed-Sat with 2pm matinees on Saturday. Tickets \$36.50, Thur-Sat, \$20 Weds.

**Coffee Concert** is September 26 cosponsored by Calvin Presbyterian Church and Valley CrossWay Church at 33911 Hazelwood Ave. Coffee served at 10:00 with concert to follow at 11:00 am—Piano duo: Mel Bowker and Johannes Weber.

**FEB Canada** Cordially invites you to its Annual Friendship Dinner. Wednesday, September 26 at noon & 6:00pm at The Rancho. Complimentary dinner. Speaker: Jimri Efraim (Focus on Indonesia) RSVP to Tracy Ko at 1-800-565-3322 Ext 134 by September 21, or call Wally & Julia Penner @ 604-855-4525.

**The Valley Concert Society** presents Pacific Baroque Orchestra with guest Enrico Onofri, September 28 at 7:30 pm at Matsqui Centennial Auditorium.

**Inner Hope - Ride for Refuge**  
September 29. Sign up at [ridewithus/innerhope](http://ridewithus/innerhope). Start a team, join a team, or support a team.

**Seeds of Hope's 23rd Annual Banquet**  
Saturday, September 29. Call 604-870-4810 or email [admin@seedsofhopecm.com](mailto:admin@seedsofhopecm.com). Tickets are \$35 each.

**Psalm 23 Fall Fundraising Dinner**, Friday, October 12. Doors open at 5:15 pm, dinner at 6:15 pm. Tickets \$30 or table of 8, \$210. Come support this ministry to those in addiction.

**Older Adults Wellness Festival**, Thursday, October 18 at Garden Park Tower. This come and go event is from 8:30 am to 3:00 pm. There will be displays of interest and 6 seminar session along with a panel discussion. The event is free.

**Hope for Women Pregnancy Services** 24th annual fundraising banquet is October 18 at CBC, doors open at 6:30 pm. Speaker is Dr. Katherine Koch.

**M2/W2 Association:** Annual M2/W2 Gala Event will be held on Saturday, October 20 at 6:00 pm in the Magnolia Room at Garden Park Tower.

**Trinity Western University Fall Workday**, Saturday, October 13 from 10 am - 1 pm. Receive a helping hand and help support the students at the same time. Register at [www.twu.ca/workday](http://www.twu.ca/workday) or call 604-513-2121, ext 3421.

### HOUSING

3200 Sq. ft 6 bedroom rancher house with basement in-law suite on one acre lot in East Abbotsford. Available now. Contact Sukhi at 778-552-6281. Rent is \$2700/month plus utilities. See bulletin board for more details. (Craiglist)