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Our Mission

We are here to:
Worship God,
Walk with Jesus,
Change lives,
and Serve the
community, through the
power of the Holy Spirit.



WILLOWCREEK LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

Deadline to Register is Today.

Last summer 30 people from Trinity attended the Leadership Summit. By the end of the Summit they were blessed, inspired, and better equipped as leaders. The leadership principles from the Summit are applicable to home, business and church. We would like all of our leaders from Trinity to attend. We would especially like to have more our young leaders attend. Application forms for this year's Summit are available from the church office or Canon Brian. Funding from Trinity and from the Bishop's Area Council has reduced the cost to \$125 per person, or, \$200 per married couple. We attend the Summit in Richmond Hill. Please make cheques payable to Trinity. The deadline to register is TODAY Sunday June 15th. Invest in your leadership and your future. Join the Trinity team attending the Leadership Summit this summer.

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT HOPE?

Where there is a belief in the living God, who acts and intervenes in human life, and who can be trusted to implement His promises, hope, in the biblical sense becomes possible. Such hope is not a matter of temperament, nor is it conditioned by prevailing circumstances or any human possibilities. It does not depend upon what a man possesses, upon what he may be able to do for himself, nor upon what any other human being may do for him. There was, for example, nothing in the situation in which Abraham found himself to justify his hope that Sarah would give birth to a son, but because he believed in God, they were steadfast in hope (Rom. iv. 18). Biblical hope is inseparable therefore from faith in God. Because of what God has done in the past, particularly in preparing for the coming of Jesus, and because of what God has done and is now doing through Christ, the Christian dares to expect future blessings at present invisible (2 Cor. i. 10). The goodness of God is for the Christian believer never exhausted. The best is still to be. His hope is increased as he reflects on the activities of God in the Scriptures (Rom. xii. 12, xv. 4). Our hope of salvation is a 'helmet', an essential part of his defensive armour in the struggle against evil (1 Thes. v. 8). Hope, to be sure, is not a kite at the mercy of the changing winds, but 'an anchor of the soul, both sure and stedfast' (Heb. vi. 19). Because of his faith the Christian has an assurance that the things he hopes for are real (Heb. xi. 1); and his hope never disappoints him (Rom. v. 5).

HELP NEEDED FOR GUATEMALA CRAFTS:

We are looking for anyone that would be able to help us cut out paper circles and put some crafts together for our Guatemala mission trip. We need to assemble them here so the children at the school and at the food program will be able to easily put them together. **We need a team of at least 12 people.** We have **600 children** between the two programs.

We are meeting tomorrow, Monday June 16th in the church hall from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. If you could help please contact Diane McVitty 737-4610 or speak to Canon Brian. Your help would be very much appreciated. Thank You!

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK

SUNDAY June 15th (Pentecost 5 -"Father's Day")

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion

10:00 a.m. - Family Communion, Nursery in Undercroft, Children in Aud., Jr. Youth in Upper Rm., Sr. Youth in Naz. Rm.

12:00 p.m. - "New Parents" Meeting

MONDAY

7:15 p.m. - Home Group Leaders' Mtg.

TUESDAY

11:30 a.m. - D. Busby Annual Meeting in Aud.

Guest Speaker: Larry Elliott

7:00 p.m. - Contemporary Worship Tm. Practice

WEDNESDAY

10:30 a.m. - Holy Communion

7:30 a.m. - Men's Breakfast at a local restaurant

6:45 p.m. - Beth Moore Course in Upper Rm.

7:00 p.m. - Trinity Rocks Practice in Sanctuary

THURSDAY

7:00 p.m. - Financial Seminar in Aud.

7:00 p.m. - Scout-Parent Meeting in Aud.

SATURDAY

9:30 a.m. - Hour of Prayer Meeting in Upper Rm.

SUNDAY June 22nd (Pentecost 6)

8:00 a.m. - Quiet Communion

10:00 a.m. - Family Communion, Nursery in Undercroft, Children in Aud., Jr. Youth in Upper Rm., Sr. Youth in Naz. Rm.

Guest Preacher: Ben Davey of Radio's Life 100.3

BITS AND PIECES

*Congregation attending Trinity last Week (June 8) was:

8:00 a.m.= 48, 10:00 a.m. = 117, 7:00 p.m.= 48; for a total of 212, including 15 children & teachers..

FROM THE MAIL

If writing to Trinity, please remember that our address is P.O. Box 641, Barrie, ON, L4M 4V1.

TRINITY ANNUAL BOAT CRUISE

Once again the Lord provided a glorious evening sunset, great weather and rising moon. A good time was had by all.

The desserts were awesome. Many thanks to:

- Susan Reichenbacher for stepping in and providing the music for a rousing singsong.
- To Terry Arnold and Richard Obermayer for turning up to help unload and reload the trunk of my car.
- To Lena Marie & Dorrett for coordinating the food.
- For Brian's help and blessings.

We were truly blessed. You missed a great evening. See you next year.

Blessings Earl & Mark

SHUT-INS: If you, or someone you know, needs a ride to Church, please leave a message in the Office. We will endeavour to find transportation for you.

Also if you're able to drive people, please call the Office at 728-2691.

PRAYER LIST

Please keep Mary Caldwell or Clergy updated about the progress of your loved ones, 728-2691. We update the list every 2 weeks and need to be notified if continued prayers are necessary.

HOSPITALIZED

Please notify the Clergy or Mary Caldwell if you know of anyone who is in Hospital. We are not able to see lists of patients anymore and so do not know who has been admitted. This would help us greatly with visitation..

PENNY JAR

Who says you can't do anything with a penny? Oh, of course, once upon a time 15 pennies bought you entrance to a movie and 10 bought a hot dog. Now it is closer to 1000 pennies for a movie and 200 to 300 for a hot dog. So, pennies in your pocket or purse are often a nuisance, unless you need to pay some GST. But the Women's Fellowship can put your pennies to good use. We can add up 100 to make a loonie and enough loonies together will provide something useful for a child in need. Put your useless pennies in the jar at the back of the church - we'll soon find a use for them!

*If anyone has some special good news, please let us know so that we can mention it in Happenings! (728-2691).

TRINITY CHURCH BASKETBALL CAMP

Shoot, rebound, dribble, fun, skills, competition, new friends, cool instructors - all for you at Trinity Basketball Camp 2008 from August 18-22. Geared for guys and girls from age 10 to 15, this week-long camp will provide cool skills improvement and a fresh look at your spiritual goals too! Run in conjunction with Scripture Union Sportz. Limited places ensure good student-instructor ratios. Cost is \$109 if you sign up before June 30 so sign up early! Cost is \$129 after June 30. Details from Father Andrew at the Church office 705-728-2691.



Parish Info and Updates

HOME GROUPS

Our thanks to all of the leaders of our spring Home Groups. There will be a meeting of all the leaders and those who are interested to review the spring groups and begin to make plans for the fall. This planning meeting will be held tomorrow Monday June 16th at 7:15 pm in the Upper Room.

NEW PARENTS

A group at Trinity for "New Parents" is now being formed. Prior to the summer there will be two meetings of the group on: Sunday June 8th and Sunday June 15th after coffee in the Upper Room.

MANAGEMENT BOARD - June 17th

The next meeting of the management Board will be this Tuesday June 17th. We will begin with strawberry shortcake and coffee at 6:30 pm. The Operating Committees are encouraged to meet prior to this. Please update Gary Lyon on the progress of each group in fulfilling the objectives set in the Vision Report.

GUATEMALA MISSION TEAM

The team is in the final stages of their preparation. Upcoming Team meetings will be on Monday June 23rd at 7:15pm and on Friday July 4th at 3:00pm.

** The Team will be Commissioned on Sunday morning June 29th.

** Upon their return the Team will give a full report to the congregation on Sunday morning July 20th (there will also be a team luncheon that day).

BEN DAVEY -- Life 100.3

Next Sunday we are pleased to welcome to Trinity at our morning services Ben Davey the co-host of the morning program on the local Christian radio station Life 100.3

ALPHA CONFERENCE

This coming Friday and Saturday Canon Brian will be speaking at the ALPHA conference in Ancaster. The conference will train those who would like to be ALPHA course leaders. Your prayers for the participants and the speakers would be appreciated.

SERENDIPIDY CRUISE

Our special thanks to Earl Paquette, Mark Thomas and all those who assisted with the dessert cruise on Kempenfelt Bay last Tuesday. It was a wonderful sunset evening on the water including great food, company and music.

ANGLICAN COMMUNION

Last Sunday Fr. Andrew showed a video clip from the theologian Dr. Kendal Harman. It is available to be borrowed from the church office. Additional video clips by David Short and Canadian theologian JI Packer can be viewed at

http://www.anglicannetwork.ca/anglican_crises_video_0208.htm

This summer there will be the Anglican Futures conference held in Jordan & Israel and in July there will be the Lambeth conference held in England.

BUSBY CENTRE MEETING

The Annual Meeting for the Street Centre will be held this Tuesday June 17th at 11:30 a.m. in the church auditorium. Everyone is welcome. *Details below.*

David Busby Street Centre Invites you to attend Our 15th Annual General Meeting

Date: June 17th, 2008

Time: 11:30am – 1:30pm

Location: Trinity Anglican Church

24 Collier Street, Barrie, ON

We are pleased to welcome our Guest:

Larry Elliot

Former Participant at David Busby Street Centre

Once a participant at the David Busby Street Centre. Larry will deliver his inspirational message of Hope.

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Vacation Bible Camp (VBC) Beach Party: Surfin' Through the Scriptures



Tell everyone about Trinity's VBC week July 21 to 25 from 8:45 a.m. to 12:00 noon! It's going to be a splash!! We'll have all sorts of activities for the 'surfers' to do from snacks to science discoveries. Surfers will meet Max, Sam and a pink flamingo named Flamé

who has been separated from her flock and is looking for help. Sandy Castle, legendary surfer, will teach us all (via DVD) to surf on the turf. What a 'cool' experience!! Come and join in the fun!

Registration forms can be found in the Tower Walk or on the website www.trinitybarrie.ca. Please send completed forms to the church or leave at the office.

HOLLY UNITED CHURCH CONCERT SERIES *presents its*

"1st Annual Concert in Support of THE DAVID BUSBY STREET CENTRE"

Featuring local artists; Roy Hickling, Tyler Firestone, Don LeBlanc, Patti McLaughlin, Corey Heuvel, Dan Dunlop, KC Patterson



Sunday, June 15, 2008 4:30 to 9:00 pm

Tickets \$5 each

Door Prizes, Silent Auction, BBQ

**Phone 705-719-7675 for tickets
or email hollyunited@bellnet.ca**

**Tickets can also be purchased at
Angus Borden Music, 5 Fraser Street, Angus;
Kid's Closet, 531 Bryne Drive, Barrie;
The David Busby Street Centre, 24 Collier Street, Barrie**

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