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Legacy Link

As summer is closing down in Ontario, we are being blessed with a beautiful fall. The last of the tomatoes are being picked, apples are being pressed into cider, the corn and beans are being harvested during these unusually warm and sunny days. Winter wheat is being planted in hopes of a good spring. Shutters



are being put on the summer cabins and the water lines drained. Turkeys and hams are being purchased and prepared for Thanksgiving dinners. The churches are decorated in autumn colours and the stores are starting to stock their Christmas décor. Regardless of how we feel about changing seasons, we can trust in the Providence of God to guide us and supply all that we need for every good work. 2 Corinthians 9: 8. Remember to give thanks!

"Every day I will praise you and extol your name for ever and ever." Psalm145: 2

WE PLOW THE FIELDS AND SCATTER THE GOOD SEED

"We plow the fields and scatter the good seed on the land.

But it is fed and watered by God's almighty hand.

He sends the snow in winter, the warmth to swell the grain.

The breezes and the sunshine, and soft, refreshing rain.

All good gifts around us are sent from heaven above.

Then thank the Lord, O thank the Lord for all His love."

Mathias Claudius







SENIORS SERVING KIDS



This past August, Community Bible Church, under the direction of our Administrative Pastor Don

Hiscox, organized a Sports Camp for kids between the ages of 7 and 12. This day camp ran for 5 days at the

Lucan Community Centre and was attended both by kids from our church and kids from the community. Attendees of all abilities were taught skills in 3 sports, including Soccer, Floor Hockey and Basketball. Thanks go to all who volunteered to make this camp possible. Many of our older youth came to help teach the sports. They were great trainers; encouraging



and building friendships with the children. Others helped in the small groups that met after Brad Gregus taught a lesson each day about God. Also there



were many seniors from our church who came daily to fulfill a role. Randy Kraul, Brad Gregus and Jack Constable helped with the sports. Ruth Constable was our camp nurse, often applying cold compresses or bandages to small boo boos, with tender compassionate care. Other seniors, including Audrey Peele, Doreen Penhall and Frank Dishman, send delicious home baked cookies for snack times. And still others were faithful in prayer for the camp. I think it is safe to say, that without these volunteers, including the seniors, this camp would not have been possible. Who knows the eternal bene-

fits that were initiated that week as kids grew in their athletic skills, friendships, self-esteem and knowledge of God. We all need to watch for opportunities to invest our time and money in the next generations. Also kids are loads

of fun and we can learn a lot from them too. Leave a lasting legacy of eternal value.



"so the next generation would know them, even the children yet to be born, and they in turn would tell their children. Then they would put their trust in God and would not forget his deeds but would keep his commands.





Days pass and the years vanish and we walk sightless among miracles. Lord fill our eyes with seeing and our minds with knowing. Let there be moments when your Presence, like lightning, illumines the darkness in which we walk. Help us to see, wherever we gaze, that the bush burns, unconsumed. And we, clay touched by God, will reach out for holiness and exclaim in wonder, "How filled with awe is this place and we did not know it."



From Gates of Prayer: The New Union Prayer Book.







VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

In the near future, the Legacy Ministry plans to offer a Parents Break Evening to support our church families. The parents can register to have their kids looked after, at the church, from 5:00 to 8:00 on a Friday evening. This frees them up to do whatever they want such as time together, time to relax at home, time to do their Christmas shopping, etc. We offered this last year and both parents, kids and volunteers said they appreciated it and hoped we would offer it again. There are a number of ways you might be able to help us facilitate this event.

Be there to supervise and help on site. Do a craft or game with the kids.

Prepare kid friendly food at home or on site. Supervise a children's video.

Lead a song time with the kids.

Entertain the kids with your talent.

Look after babies in the nursery. Set up and clean up.

For more information or to volunteer, contact darrell@communitybible.ca

Christmas Banquet

Tuesday November 28th
11:30 am
Catered turkey dinner with homemade pies.

Program to follow. Tickets: \$25 pp

Legacy Ministry event

Invite a friend.







MARK THESE 2024 DATES ON YOUR NEW CALENDARS.



Tuesday January 9, 2024 11:30 a.m. Cost: \$5.00





SHROVE TUESDAY

Pancakes and Sausages Tuesday Feb 13, 2024 11:30 a.m. Cost:: \$5:00



LENTEN LUNCH

Wednesday March 6, 2024 11:30 a.m. Cost: \$5.00





AMAZING RACE CBC

Saturday April 20th, 2024 Details to be announced.





3 photos on page 1 were taken by me, Joan Dishman, at the Joy Bible Camp Fall Colour Retreat in Sept. It was a wonderful week and I hope some of you will consider attending next year. I'm sure you will not be disappointed if you decide to come.

The Legacy Ministry exists to encourage and equip people in the demographic of approximately 50 plus. We recognize that there are unique interests, challenges and opportunities during this stage of life. We strive to provide activities and events for worship, teaching, service, fellowship and outreach.

The scripture we have adopted is Psalm 92: 12-15.

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