

# LIGHTING UP THE LAKESHORE



ISSUE 40

JUNE 2017

## SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- Greeters for June—Ian & Barbara McGregor
- Usher for June—Julie Roberts
- Don't forget to pray for each other!

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## What's Happening?

Our programs are taking a break for summer!

### Bible Times with Bill

Bible Times is the perfect program for those new to the Bible and want to learn more about Jesus!

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!

### Ladies Night Out

All ladies are invited to join for some fun and fellowship.

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!

### Mini Miracles

Our parents and tots are having a great time together every week, singing, playing and just having fun!

**Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m.**  
**Finishing June 20<sup>th</sup> for the Summer**

### Community Luncheon

Come and join Major Bill and his team of wonderful volunteers for lunch!

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!

Replaced by:

### Community Coffee Time

The coffee time takes place Every **Wednesday from 11:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.**

### Bible Study with Joan Richards

This more in depth Bible Study runs under Joan Richards' leadership.  
**Finished for the Summer.**  
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Thank you to all the volunteers and wonderful cooks who made our Afro-Caribbean Night & Silent Auction a wonderful success!



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## Birthdays of the Month

### JUNE BIRTHDAYS

7—Jeff Leach  
8—Don White  
11—Ruth MacDonald  
13—Tammy Ducklow  
22—Mary Fearon  
26—Aaron Spongle  
30—Sheila Gilby

### ANNIVERSARIES

Are you celebrating an anniversary?  
Let us know!  
Please submit to Connie.

## Corps Corner

**Love Offering**—On Sunday, June 18<sup>th</sup> at both the 11:00 am & 6:30 pm services, we will be taking up a love offering for our Lieutenants to be presented to them at the Farewell event. Envelopes will be available.

**Farewell**—Join us on Sunday, June 25<sup>th</sup> after the 11:00 am service as we say farewell to our Lieutenants Sam & Mary and their children Benjamin and Bethany. This will be a potluck lunch so please bring a dish to share!

**Scrapbook**—We are putting together a scrapbook of memories for the Lieutenants. If you would like to write a special message to be included please fill out the back of the farewell invitations (found at the back of the church). Have a special photograph that you would like them to have? Please submit them to Connie by June 18<sup>th</sup>.

"LIGHT IN A MESSENGER'S EYES BRINGS JOY TO THE HEART,  
AND GOOD NEWS GIVES HEALTH TO THE BONES.

PROVERBS 15:30

Lieutenants Sam & Mary would like to visit with you—if you would like a visit at your home, or to just meet for a coffee please call the office to arrange a convenient time.

## What's Happening? (continued)

### After-School Club

Children in grades 1-5 enjoy coming to our After School Program, where they play games, do crafts and learn about God's word in a fun and interactive play.

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!

### The Tween Team

This is a group for JR High kids Grades 6-8. The Tweens enjoy playing games, chatting about life and learning what the bible has to say about everyday choices.

**Finished for the Summer June 15<sup>th</sup>.**  
See you in the Fall!

### Children's Singing Company

Children's singing company takes place following our After School Club.

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!

**The annual children's Party in the Park will take place on June 22<sup>nd</sup> right after school!**

### Men in the Den

All men are welcome to come and enjoy time together in this ultra secret group.

*Remember...*

**WHAT HAPPENS IN THE DEN STAYS IN THE DEN!**

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!



### Fun for Seniors

#### Silver Threads (Seniors)

If you are aged 55+ come and join the Silver Threads.

This group meets monthly.

**Finished for the Summer.**  
See you in the Fall!



#### Community Cares Ministries

The schedule for CCM services during the month of June is on the next page.

**Please pray for this vital ministry.**

# JUNE 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6 Mini Miracles	7 Coffee Time	8 Tween Drop-in	9	10
11 CCM SUNDAY	12	13 Mini Miracles	14 Coffee Time	15 Final Tween Drop-in	16	17
18 HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!	19	20 Final Mini Miracles	21 Coffee Time	22	23	24
25 FAREWELL SUNDAY	26	27	28 Coffee Time	29	30	

## COMMUNITY CARES SCHEDULE

DATE	LOCATION	TIME	LEADER
JUNE 4	Lakeshore Lodge	2:00 pm	Barbara McGregor
JUNE 11	Garden Court	2:00 pm	Joan Richards
JUNE 14	Eatonville	2:00 pm	Barbara McGregor
JUNE 16	Runnymede	2:00 pm	Joan Richards
JUNE 18	McCall Centre	2:30 pm	Veronica Hill
JUNE 18	Wesburn Manor	2:30 pm	Barbara McGregor
JUNE 25	Wesbury	3:00 pm	Viola Cadman
TRAVELLING TEAPOT			Grace Smith

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- ⇒ **Sunday, June 11**—CCM Sunday
- ⇒ **Thursday, June 15**—Final Tween Team Drop-in
- ⇒ **Sunday, June 18**—Father's Day
- ⇒ **Tuesday June 20**—Final Mini Miracles (Parents n Tots)
- ⇒ **Thursday, June 22**—Annual Children's Party in the Park
- ⇒ **Sunday, June 25**—Farewell Sunday
- ⇒ **Sunday, July 2**—New Officers first Sunday

*You're Invited!!*

PLEASE JOIN US ON SUNDAY JUNE 25, 2017  
AFTER THE MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE

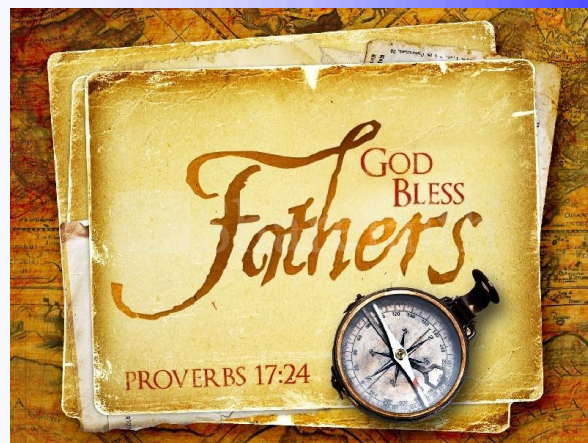
LIEUTENANT'S FAREWELL BETHANY &  
SAM & MARY CELEBRATION BENJAMIN

We would like to put together a book of good-byes for the family,  
please send/give yours to Connie on or before June 18th.  
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## Rightenant's Message



As I sit here, trying to think of exactly what to say for my final newsletter article, a million thoughts are swirling around in my little head. Chief among them are: what parting words can I leave you all with? I have built up a reputation in Lakeshore for my witty, silly and odd-ball articles that go all over the map in terms of topics. I have been trying to think of what I could write that would be the proverbial 'cherry on top' masterpiece article. Trouble is, nothing witty or entertaining has been coming to me. In fact, I feel led to write something in a style totally different from my usual stream and tell you about an experience that I just had a few moments ago. So, here goes:

We just arrived in Ottawa for a quick visit with my Grandma (on my mom's side) before we head off on our epic trip out to big sky country (also known as the 'land where you can watch your dog run away for three days'). After supper, Sam and the kids got changed into their swimsuits and headed downstairs to the pool while I stayed up in the room to write my article. A song by Joy Webb kept running through my head:

All around us, seemingly, darkness holds its sway.

Truth and love are faltering, peace in disarray.

And, if we needed you... We need you now.

Come into our world, come into our world, now, Lord Jesus!

While I was pondering this song and reflecting on the recent attacks in Manchester and London and the sadness and sorrow caused by these assaults, God spoke. A few girls from a school group (I assume) are staying in the hotel room right next to ours. The walls here are quite thin and thus, I have been privy to much of the girls' conversations.

In the midst of their chattering, one girl piped up and said, "I love how the last verse in Revelation ends: 'Amen'!" Gotta be honest with you – I did *not* expect that! Discussions about hair, boys, schoolwork or their fav actor – of course; but Bible verses? Nope! That was a shocker! But...it was EXACTLY what I needed to hear at that moment. Amen means 'so be it'. Just as I was singing in my head "Come into our world, now Lord, Jesus", God spoke and said "Amen! So be it!"

I sat there, rather dazed with how perfectly God had spoken when - just to add the proverbial icing on the cake – God gave me a little 'extra' word. A few minutes later, the same girl started talking about her favourite verse – Proverbs 27:19 "As water reflects the face, so one's life reflects the heart." I mulled over those words for quite some time. The more I pondered and contemplated the verse, the more God spoke and revealed things to me. I thought of my own life and the ways (good and bad) that my everyday interactions reflect my heart. Sometimes, I have to confess, that my heart is not always as focused on Christ as it should be, and the evidence of this 'misalignment' can be seen in my life. However, there are other times when I come away amazed in a 'wow! I didn't know God could do that through me' type of manner.

As I mused over the verse more, I began to broaden it from a personal to a corporate level. I thought of it in terms of Lakeshore. "As water reflects the face, so Lakeshore's life reflects its heart." The heart of Lakeshore is filled with love and service – and Sam and I have had the immense privilege of witnessing the myriad of ways that you prove this every single day. We brag about you guys every chance we get!

As we prepare to leave Lakeshore and move out west to Yorkton, we are confident that you will continue to reflect Christ, who lives in your hearts. Amen! So be it!

**'Rightenant' Mary Tim**

Amen

AMEN

Amen

## Lieutenant's Corner



According to Solomon (who is viewed as being a very wise man, so I'm guessing that he was probably right about this), "there is a time for everything and a season for every activity under the heavens." I would like to adjust Ecclesiastes 3 for our time at Lakeshore:

A time to be installed as new officers and a time to be farewelled as 'old seasoned' officers,  
 A time to unpack boxes and a time to carton items up,  
 A time to bang on the drums and a time to be silent,  
 A time to learn new names and a time to give good-bye hugs,  
 A time to be 'Rightenant' and a time to be 'Lieutenant',  
 A time to take the elevator up to the fourth floor and a time to take it all the way down to the basement,  
 A time to dance and laugh and a time to stand still and meditate,  
 A time to plant new flowers and a time to rip out the weeds,  
 A time to stand on kettles and a time to pack the kettles away for next year,  
 A time to start new programs and a time to pass the torch to new leaders,  
 A time to play the trumpet 'Louis Armstrong' style and a time to pack the instrument away,  
 A time to turn on the heat and a time to crank up the air conditioning,  
 A time to eat three bowls of the "Soup King's" masterpiece and a time to say 'I'm full',  
 A time to transform the fellowship hall into a toy store and a time to change it back,  
 A time to head off to camp and a time to drive back home,  
 A time to give our tithes and offerings and a time to count them,  
 A time to bid on items at the Silent Auction and a time to award the winners,  
 A time to fight with the old dishwasher and a time to buy a new one,  
 A time to speed up the worship team's songs and a time to slow down and sing quietly,  
 A time for a Leadership Team and a time for a Mission Board,  
 A time for Mary to lose her voice and a time for her to get it back (five times!),  
 A time to have plumbing problems and a time to have things flow smoothly,  
 A time to open the doors of the Corps building and a time to set the alarm and lock up,  
 A time to enroll new soldiers and a time to promote others to glory,

And finally...

A time for us and a time for the Lindholms.

In verse 14 of Ecclesiastes 3, Solomon wrote "I know that everything God does will endure forever; nothing can be added to it and nothing taken from it."

Mary and I know, without a doubt, that God will continue to bless and use Lakeshore to win souls for Jesus. It has been an incredible joy to journey alongside you for the past two years as you have grown and matured in your faith. We are confident that even greater things are in store for Lakeshore in the years and decades to come. Thank you, in advance, for how we know you will welcome the Lindholms and support them in their ministry here at Lakeshore.

God bless you richly,  
**Lieut. Sam.**

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Hope  
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### Lakeshore Community Church Mission Statement:

*The Salvation Army Lakeshore Community Church is motivated by God's love to share the life-changing knowledge of Jesus Christ and to meet human needs in His name without discrimination.*

### Our Vision

We will engage in worship and spiritual development that glorifies God and provides opportunities for spiritual growth and service.

We will engage youth/children, developing them spiritually and providing opportunities to lead and serve within our church and community.

We will develop and strengthen our relationships in the community through sustainable life-changing programs.

We will use technology to create vibrant communication that raises awareness, educates and broadens our reach into the community.

We will implement God-directed strategies to provide the necessary resources to support His work.



**Bringing God's  
light to the  
Lakeshore  
Community**

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