

GLOBAL UPDATE BY PASTOR HOLLY

Mexico (One Life One Chance): OLOC has been hosting some teams recently for house-builds. This has been a long-standing ministry opportunity they have provided and so has created opportunity to know pastors in the San Quintin community. These pastors are often part of the process, beginning with helping families in their communities walk through the application process (to have a home built for them), even to the point where they are now part of the building team.

Pray for these pastors. They are deeply committed men and women who long for the transformative work of Christ in the lives of people they serve. Like anywhere there are a variety of needs, challenges, and barriers to wade through. Pray for them as they seek to serve in the best way they can. Pray for their families (for strength in these relationships and for good work/life balance). Pray also for us as we seek to work out a time to make a training retreat happen!

OUR PASTORAL STAFF

FULL-TIME

Matt Mordaunt (Sharilyn)	Lead Pastor
Greg Zacharias (Jennifer)	Executive & Worship Pastor
Everitt Born (Stefanie)	Youth & Young Adults Pastor

PART-TIME

Noel Santos (Crista)	Connections Pastor Encircle Ministries
Carol Goh (Andrew)	Seniors, Community & Spiritual Care Pastor
Anna Carr (Dain)	Children's & Family Pastor
Holly Duke	Missions & Engagement Pastor
Chantal Roberts (Jeremy)	Worship & Media Communications
Leon Throness (Carol)	Encounter Ministries Director
Wayne Massey (Hilarie)	Vision Tree & Outreach Director

OUR ELDERS

Neil Froc (Melody) (Chair)	Bob Derksen (Bev)
Laurie Throness (Vice Chair)	Bryant Yeomans (Beverly)
Derek Van Oosterom (Becky) (Treasurer)	Jon Freeman (Liz)
Jeremy Roberts (Chantal) (Secretary)	Micah Galmut (Brittany)
	Kelly Heibner (Becky)

PRAYER CHAIN

To contact the prayer chain with a prayer request please phone Alice Reimer at 604.823.6880 or Min Wendel at 604.845.2503. For those wishing to inform the pastoral staff please call 604.792.0051.



CHILLIWACK
Alliance Church
GROWING DEEP ◦ REACHING WIDE

WELCOME!

April 7, 2024

It's so powerful to hear stories of life change. Wasn't it amazing to hear that in the lives of so many people last weekend? God is working all around us to bring people's lives onto a solid foundation and to show people His love, care, power and attention. He is patient and faithful and good!

Today, we are starting into a new series of messages in the book of John called "Come and See." This little phrase is repeated a number of times in the opening chapters of John, and while it seems pithy, it's powerful because it directed people to the source of life change that we witnessed over Easter - Jesus.

We're so glad that you're here today, and truly expect that as you "come and see" who Jesus is, He'll blow you away!

Pastor Matt

Visitor Information

Whether you are new or have attended for a long time, we are so glad to see you!

You will find brief descriptions of some of our current ministry opportunities in these pages. For loads more information please visit our website at mycac.ca, and visit the Guest Services Centre in the foyer with any questions you may have.

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MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

APRIL

- 8 Monday**
6:30 PM | Alpha
- 9 Tuesday**
9:30 AM | Ladies Morning Break
2 PM | Pickleball
6:30 PM | Pickleball
7 PM | Ladies Bible Study
- 10 Wednesday**
10 AM | Oasis Prayer Group
1 PM | Knit & Natter
7 PM | Youth Group
- 11 Thursday**
9:30 AM | Connect & Play
1:30 PM | Bible Study
7 PM | Worship Team
7 PM | Floor Hockey
- 12 Friday**
- 13 Saturday**
10 AM | Oasis Coffee
1 PM | Men's RC Flying
- 14 Sunday**
10 AM | Communion Service & Kids Church
11:30 AM | The Grill
Noon | Young Adults

WiFi: CAC Guest
Pswd: Deep&Wide

Kindergarten to Grade 5 kids will have their full kids service starting at 10 AM today. Nursery, toddler & preschool (4 yr olds) childcare is also available!

Men of CAC, you are invited to our second indoor radio controlled flying event this Saturday, April 13th from 1-4 PM in the APR. Bring your "micro" indoor planes and helicopters for another fun afternoon. This time we hope to have a flight simulator and a trainer system for people to try their hand at flying. Contact Dan Berube at: dsberube@telus.net or 604.792.0797 for more info.

Ladies Day Out: Nurturing Souls One Prayer at a Time...

We have a one day retreat coming up THIS Saturday, April 13th at Kawkawa Camp & Retreat Centre. Join us for a time of learning, worship, and fellowship. **You must register by Wednesday, April 10th.** Visit mycac.ca/events to learn more. Cost is \$40 per person and includes lunch, snacks, and coffee. For an additional \$5 you can opt to get a ride to Kawkawa on the bus we're renting for the day.

A reminder to please check the mailboxes by the library (north end of the foyer) for any items or mail that someone may have left for you!

Attention students: The Chilliwack Pro-Life Society is offering two \$1,500 scholarship awards to two deserving students who live in the Chilliwack area. One will go to a student who is currently in Grade 12, and the other scholarship will go to a student in their first year of college or university. Applicants will submit a pro-life essay to be judged by a committee appointed by the Society. For all the details visit chilliwackprolife.com or call 604.795.3091.

Ladies, you are invited to a Spring evening study, here at the church. We will begin Tuesday, April 23rd at 7 PM and will run for 8 weeks. Sabine Abbasi is the facilitator and the book is a study by Kay Arthur entitled, "LORD, Give Me a Heart for You". Send an email to: capy@gmx.net to sign up or if you have any questions.

Sunday morning lyric sheets are available for congregational use each week. They can be picked up at the Guest Services counter and at the tables just inside the sanctuary.

Cares Counseling in Abbotsford is a non-profit counselling agency, dedicated to helping people in need, at affordable rates. To help keep costs reasonable for clients, they hold various fund-raising events throughout the year. On Friday, April 19th, at 7 PM, you are invited to attend a comedy fundraiser, to help subsidize these costs. Please visit their website at cares.ca for more information.

CHURCH NEWS

In April 2009, a young and vibrant Greg Zacharias joined the CAC Pastoral Team as our Worship Pastor. Now, 15 years later, a vibrant (but not as young!) Greg Zacharias continues to lead our worship department while having grown to also take on the role of Executive Pastor. Greg has been an immense blessing to our church over the years (more than most people know), and today, we want to publicly acknowledge and thank him for his excellent and faithful service.

Belle Nelson passed into the presence of Jesus on Friday, March 29th. As she requested, there will be no service. We offer our condolences to her friends and those who knew her well.

The Chilliwack Alliance Church Foundation is a unique opportunity for you to leave an everlasting legacy in support of church affiliated ministries. Gifts to the CAC Foundation are kept in perpetuity to provide a healthy income stream through the investment income earned to support the spreading of the Gospel through approved ministries, missions, and projects. Please contact a CAC Foundation board member (Chuck Strahl, Bob Derksen, Bryant Yeomans, Leon Throness, or Wayne Massey) for more information. Also feel free to visit the website at: cacfoundation.ca.

You are invited to attend the screening of "Worth More", a short film educating people about what is going on with euthanasia/doctor-assisted suicide in Canada. The film is being shown at Main Street church on Friday, April 19th, at 7 PM, and Anna Nienhuis from ARPA Canada and Angelina Ireland from the Delta Hospice Society will be speaking. For more info visit this website: worthmorefilm.ca.

ENGAGE | ENCIRCLE | ENCOUNTER

ENGAGE: If you are interested in learning more about baptism, membership, or discovering your spiritual gifting, we would love to hear from you. Contact Pastor Matt at 604.792.0051, or by email at matt@mycac.ca to find out more!

ENCIRCLE: An important part of growing deeper with Jesus is to be encircled by 'our people.' People whom we share things in common with like interests, values, shared experiences, similar back grounds and so on. Email noel@mycac.ca if you'd like to get plugged into a small group or scan the QR code to take next steps!



ENCOUNTER: "Now what the soul is to the body of man, that the Holy Spirit is in the body of Christ, which is the church." Augustine 5th century

Want to receive Pastor Leon's weekly blog directly? Send a note to Debbie at: office@mycac.ca to get signed up.

JOIN A TEAM

Using your gifts to serve the church is an important aspect of the Christian life. You can give us a call at the office, talk to one of the pastors, or shoot us an email/phone call to find out more about the opportunities available!

Are you new to Chilliwack Alliance?
Drop by the Guest Services Centre after the service.
Bring your Connection Card - we have a gift for you to take home!