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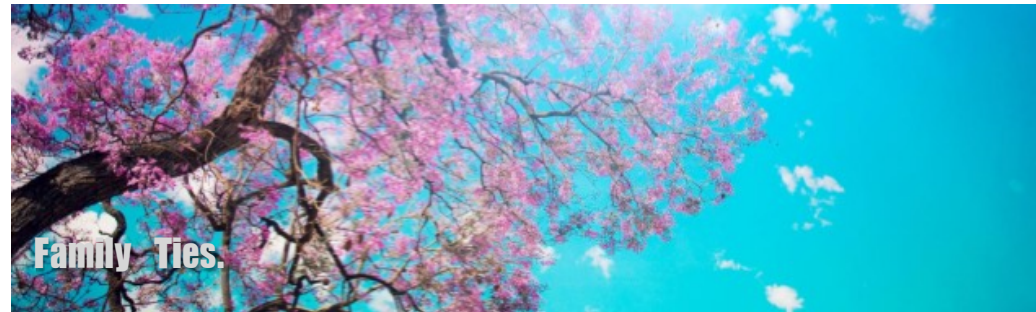
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Women's Walk, Talk, and Coffee Group

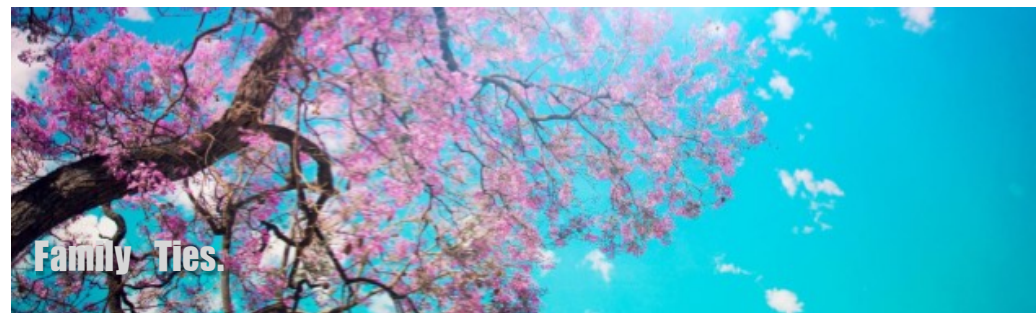
Join other women for another evening of walking and talking this upcoming Wednesday beginning at 8:00 at Mattu's Coffee in Willoughby Town Centre (208 St & 80 Ave). The group will enjoy a 45-60 minute walk and then relax with a coffee afterward. All you need to do is show up with walking shoes on (e-mail melissareed12@gmail.com if you have any questions).

Ministry Night – Sunday, May 25

This past year, the elders have been praying and seeking God for the future. We are excited to share with everyone what is emerging and the impact this will have on all of us and in our community. Everyone is invited and we ask covenant members to prioritize this important event. Mark off Sunday, May 25 from 5:00-7:15 p.m. in your calendar and register online by May 20 (childcare is available for \$3 per child). A full information packet will be available next Sunday.

Baptisms & BBQ – June 22

We're making preparations for our spring baptism and barbecue event. We'll be getting together at Derby Reach on June 22 and celebrating the public declarations of faith being made by those who are choosing to be baptized. If you're interested in baptism, please contact Pastor Keith (keithr@jerichoridge.com) by May 25 so we can meet with you before the event.



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A Man's Breakfast

Join other men for breakfast at Chris Wiens' home on Saturday, May 10. After a filling meal, we'll listen to three men respond to 20 questions that will span topics like work, parenting, faith, and failures. Register online for \$5 (this event is open to men and youth in grade 6 and up).

Run for Mercy 2014

We've got a JRCC group who will be participating in a 5k run/walk fundraiser for Mercy Ministries this on Saturday, May 10 at 10:00 a.m. at Aldergrove Regional Park. You can join the team as a runner/walker or support the team as a financial sponsor. Visit mercyministries.ca to register or contact Juliet Teeter (juliet_ann@hotmail.com) for more information.

Men's Retreat: June 6-8

We're returning to Kawkawa Camp again this year over the June 6-8 weekend for our seventh annual men's retreat. Take advantage of our early-bird registration rate of \$125 which covers everything you'll need for the weekend (food, lodging, and activities). Register and pay online by May 11 to secure the early bird rate or you can visit the Welcome Centre to pay by debit, cash, or cheque.

New Coffee Cups

You may have noticed that we've started using new coffee cups on Sunday mornings. In consideration of the environment our new cups are compostable and can be discarded in the green compost section of the garbage and recycling stations. Please make sure that you put your cup in the correct bin or better yet, bring your own mug from home!



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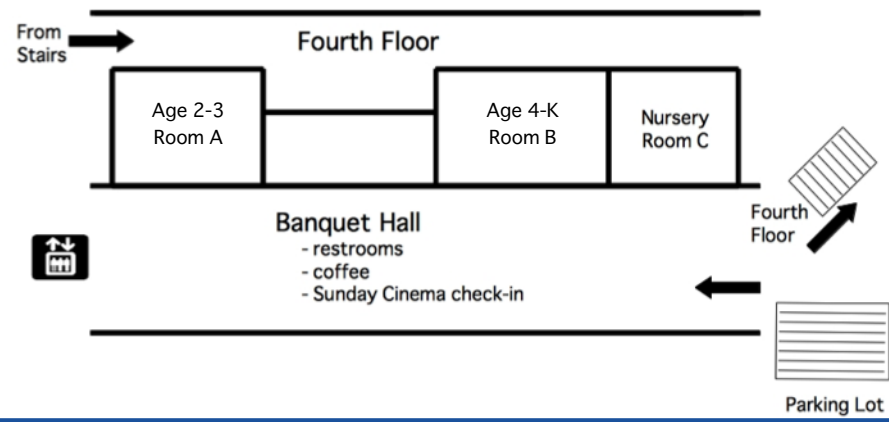
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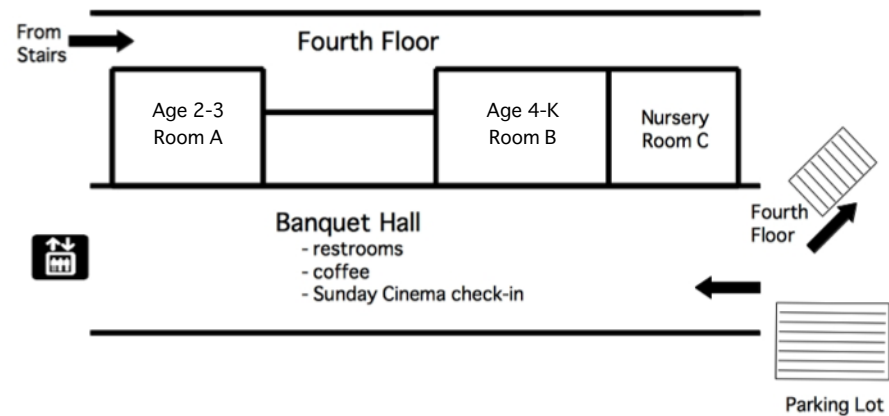
Youth Small Group Night

We're breaking into our small groups on Thursday, May 8 from 6:30-9 p.m. for a night of sharing a meal together, playing games, and having great discussion. Check your youth update this week for the location of where each group is meeting.

Sunday Cinema Starts June 29

Each summer our children's programs take a break and we incorporate our grade 3 and older kids into the main gathering for family inclusive Sundays (a fun and more engaging worship time for the whole family). Our age 2 to grade 2 children will participate in a low-key video based curriculum we call Sunday Cinema. This program is parent participatory and each family is asked to fill two volunteer spots over the summer. Please sign-up to volunteer at the check-in table.

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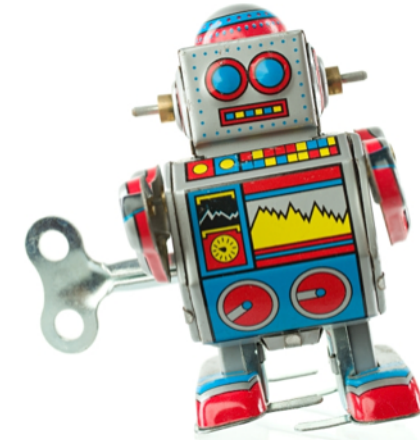
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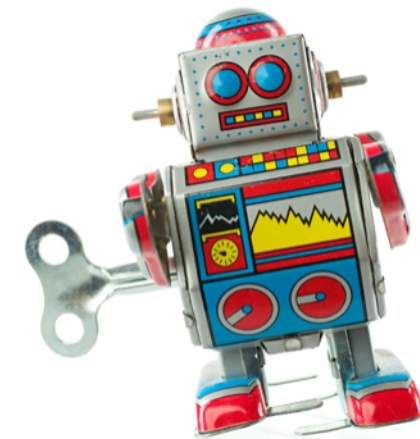


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