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KELOWNA HARVEST NEWSLETTER

IS THERE A MAN IN THE HOUSE?

June is the month when we honour our fathers. It's this time of year, I often find myself thinking about how fortunate I was to grow up with a godly father and strong male role model who loved me and cared for me. I also find myself thinking of all of the people that I know who did not grow up with fathers in their lives, and how so many in our world today are not able to say that they have/had a healthy relationship with their father. Add to that "gender fluidity" which blurs the lines even more, and makes it even more difficult to identify good men and good fathers and what that looks like.

So what's the big deal about men and fathers anyways? Well, here are some thoughts from a man named Carlton Pearson and what he has to say about men. These excerpts are from his article called **"Is There A Man In The House?"** I love the candid approach to this article so much so, that I risked re-printing it even in the face of possible persecution from those who differ with his belief system. Read it... Consider it... Is there a man in the house?

Heather Lucier



"God placed His mark on the man. The word male means "to remember, to mark, to distinguish, to designate, to specially design so as not to be forgotten". That mark is our spiritual birthright-our providential legacy-from the God of creation. But instead of accepting their God-given role, many men are hiding in the woods of lethargy, apathy, and neglect, running from responsibility and being either unaware or afraid of the devil's attack."

"Men are in retreat. They have abdicated their God-given role as head of the family. It is tearing apart our society. Most of our social problems can be directly linked to the absence of a husband and father in the home."

Men Under Assault

"Men are under assault because Satan knows if he can eliminate the man from the house, he

has a clear shot at our women and children. He can destroy the next generation. The husband, which literally means "house-bond or band," bonds or bands the house together in protective ownership and loving authority."

"God is still looking for men who will stand in the gap and make up the hedge. Where are they? Is there a man in the house? In many houses, the answer is no. The Bible says the husband is the head of the wife and family. The head is the vision, the hearing, the thinking, the speaking, and the smelling. You can amputate a leg or an arm...you can transplant a heart, a lung, or a kidney, but you cannot amputate or transplant a head.

The devil is trying to decapitate the head of the household, just as he tried to do with Jesus, the head of the Church. Men are dying all the time. We've got to reverse that trend and start

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WASSUP IN JUNE?



NO PROTEST SERVICE JUNE 13TH!

WE ARE HITTING THE ROAD IN JUNE!

We are taking our protest to the streets!

Battle for Canada is doing an official

Worship Protest Tour!!!

In a perfect world we would take everyone along, but unfortunately not all of us can go. We do ask that you pray for us as we travel through Alberta and back into BC.

*We are taking the Harvest **EAGLE RIDER** bus with all of our crew and volunteers. We will be escorted by "The Resistance" who will be a part of our convoy.*

It's gonna be fun, it's gonna be amazing, and it's gonna be work, so keep us in your prayers.



BATTLE FOR CANADA
CANADA
 Worship Protest Tour

June 9th (Edmonton)
 June 10th (Edmonton)
 June 11th (Edson)
 June 12th (Prince George)

#LETUSWORSHIP
www.BattleForCanada.ca/WorshipProtestTour

Changing Gears

Starting in July we will pursue a new direction for our church. We are going to incorporate Home Groups into our Church on a larger scale. In order to facilitate this we are starting with **TWO** planning meetings in the month of June.

Wednesday June 16th
HOMEGROUP PLANNING MEETING
7:00PM in the CAVE

This meeting is open to everyone who is interested in hearing the vision for our home groups and wants to connect in with the Harvest Church. It is also for anyone who may be interested in hosting a home group in their home **OR** for anyone interested in being a leader of a home group.

COME EARLY TO GET A SEAT!



Wednesday June 23rd
HOMEGROUP LEADERS PLANNING MEETING
7:00PM in the CAVE

This meeting will be by **invitation only** once we have decided who our home group leaders and hosts will be. We will be streamlining the vision a bit more at this meeting and setting a start date for our groups.

living. There are too many widows. There are too many spiritual widows. The husband is there, but he is not functioning. His brain is shut down. His spirit is muffled. His wife is angry and miserable. We have a nation and society of angry women. When men are not in headship, they are out of place. The man out of his place makes the woman displaced, the children misplaced, and God ultimately misplaced."

When men take their rightful places as spiritual and physical heads of their families, the devil trembles!

"When men rise up in their church-when they take their God-intended role-the anointing is going to fall on the body of Christ in an unusual way. Healing will come to this nation. Races and denominations will be reconciled to one another. Deliverance will come to God's people."

"Is there a man in the house? Is there a man in the house who will stand against the onslaught of the enemy and protect his family, his church, and his nation? Is there a man in the house who will stand in the gap, who will bridge the breach? Are you that man?"

Without men, we don't have fathers, and without fathers, families fall terribly short of God's plan and design. Here is a quote from an article called "**The Father's Heart**" which was printed in a 700 club magazine.

"The last thing that God conveyed to His people in the Old Testament, I believe, was a view of the day we are living in.

He said He would restore the true fathers to the land. Fathers that will have genuine hearts for their children. **Malachi 4:6 "He will turn the hearts of the fathers to the children and the hearts of the children to the fathers."** It doesn't take much to be a biological father, God put all those capacities within us, but to be a true father is something quite different.

In this day of turmoil and confusion we see so many that abandon their responsibilities to the family so they can continue to feed their selfish desires and passions. But I see a new day on the horizon. One that groans for the sons and daughters of God to be revealed and for the true hearts of the godly fathers to spring forth. Fathers that recognize that it's not just the soccer game and swimming lessons that are needed as family components, but men that will actually lead their families. They lead as a moral role model, demonstrating honest business practices and faithful relationships but most of all they lead in spiritual growth, developing a scriptural blueprint for their families.

Because they have a strong devotional life of their own, they easily transition and download this to their children. They actually "train them up in the way they should go..."Proverbs 22:6

Fathers (and mothers), we have a responsibility to pour into this next generation. I see signs of a turning of hearts in our nation but we must cooperate and be His hands, voice and live extended to this next generation. Are you up for it?"

-Carlton Pearson

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**HARVEST
OUTREACH
MINISTRY**



A huge **THANK YOU** to all who continue to help and support our Outreach Ministry!
We are so grateful.

For the months of June, July and August, we will be 'slowing down' but not stopping. We have a small group of people who hope to carry on with our street ministry **EVERY THURSDAY** throughout the summer.

If you would like more information or if you would like to join us, please email Christine at outreach@theharvest.ca.

Have a wonderful summer and we'll see you in September!



SAVE THE DATES!



July 1st
Canada Day PROTEST
@ KERRY PARK

VANCOUVER PROTEST TOUR

THAT'S RIGHT!

If you really wanted to come with us on a road trip and you couldn't make it to Alberta... GREAT NEWS, we are tentatively doing another protest tour in July!

JULY 3RD TO JULY 7TH

Stay tuned for more information about our Vancouver Protest Tour or contact info@theharvest.ca if you want to reserve your seat on the Eagle Rider!

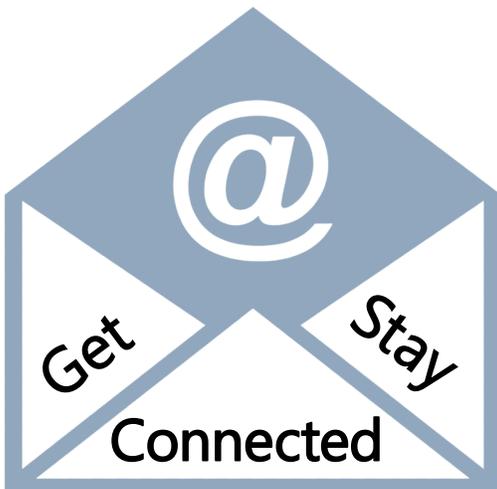


BATTLE FOR
CANADA
WORSHIP
FESTIVAL

August 19th-22nd

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EAGLES NEST REATREAT
IN CHRISTIAN VALLEY
Stay tuned for more details!



If you want to know what is going on at The Harvest, please get on our email list so that we can keep you informed as things change.

Register your email with:

info@theharvest.ca

BIBLE READING CHALLENGE

4 BOOKS IN 4 WEEKS



- ◆ Galatians
- ◆ Ephesians
- ◆ Philippians
- ◆ Colossians



Let's tackle a book a week this month. Get a cup of coffee...sit outside on the porch and read your Word. Enjoy nature and fill up your spirit at the same time.

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 Prayer	2	3 FEED THE HUNGRY	4	5
6 Sunday OUTDOOR Worship Protest 11:00am	7	8 Prayer	9	10 ***Worship Protest Tour***	11	12
13 NO PROTEST SERVICE	14	15 Prayer	16 HOMEGROUP PLANNING MEETING	17 FEED THE HUNGRY	18	19
20 HAPPY FATHER'S DAY Sunday OUTDOOR Worship Protest 11:00am	21 First Day of Summer June 21	22 Prayer	23 HOMEGROUP PLANNING MEETING	24 FEED THE HUNGRY	25	26
27 Sunday OUTDOOR Worship Protest 11:00am	28	29 Prayer	30 ! PROTEST WORSHIP SERVICES ARE SUBJECT TO GOOD WEATHER CONDITIONS! STAY TUNED VIA EMAIL!			

Do you ever wonder what David's life was like when he was out in the desert tending sheep before he became a King? We know that he killed the bear and the lion and that he wrote songs and fell in love with his God; but do you wonder if he ever had days when he just shook his head and wanted to be done?



One thing I love about David is that he wasn't a quitter. Even though I imagine that he had opportunity to quit almost every day. I wonder if David's destiny as king and his legacy as a great Man of God had something to do with this fact. The fact that when things got tough, or even when he made grievous errors in judgement, even when he sinned, He, instead of quitting, went humbly before God, did

what he had to do to get right, and as the old adage goes, "he kept on truckin".

Gal 6:9 "And let us not grow weary in well doing for in due season we shall reap if we faint not."

What are you fighting for? Your marriage, your family's salvation? Your destiny? A miracle? For Canada? Whatever it is, let us take our cue from David who in the most difficult times in his life, turned his face to heaven and continued to praise. He continued to commune with God and

HE NEVER QUIT!



BE A HERO

Each month we feature one of our 5 Children's homes in the Newsletter just to keep you aware that we love to reach out and make a difference in people's lives.

Donations come in each month and we send them to countries all over the world. This month our feature home is in the Philippines.

Don't forget to pray for these children who have so much less than we do. And thank you for giving faithfully.

If you are interested in giving to one of our Children's homes, please email accounting@theharvest.ca

Jesus Loves the Little Children Foundation, Inc.
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March - April 2021

- Travel Goal -

Despite the prohibition of face-to-face classes and mass gatherings, we still want our students to experience a field trip under the new normal. Hence, the School came up with the idea of featuring historical and significant places in Pasig City. Our Teachers went to these places and conducted a video blog. The Virtual Field Trip was conducted on March 26 via Zoom and participated by Grades 1-10 learners. The program was not only filled with travel vlogs but also with fun games and prizes.

The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Numbers 6:24-26

Additional to Riversprings School Family!

Finally, we have new teachers for School Year 2021-2022. We really had a lot of applicants for five (5) posts. This is understandable because many private schools closed during this pandemic. Nevertheless, we are excited to work with our new teachers. During their interview and teaching demonstration, we found them enthusiastic and suitable for Riversprings School Family.

Why look for new teachers? Two of our Elementary Teachers will no longer continue for the next school year because they are pursuing another career. On the other hand, we need to add more subject teachers because there will be changes in terms of positions/roles for the coming school year.

THANK YOU

for your generous support and continuing commitment to Jesus Loves the Little Children Foundation, Inc. Your love and compassion have made a big difference in the lives of the children and the needy!

Riversprings School Inc. is a non-stock, non-profit private Christian school located in Pinagbuhatan, Pasig City. The school is primarily supported by the Educational Sponsorship Program (ESP). ESP is a year-round program that helps the underprivileged children and youth of Pasig City to access quality education, raising character-driven learners with 21st century skills.

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DON'T FORGET TO BRING BACK YOUR BABY BOTTLES!
Due Date: June 20th!!!

It's almost time to get those baby bottles back to the Pregnancy Care Centre. Please fill them and return them in the next couple of weeks. We hope to have them delivered back to the Care Center just after Father's Day which is the 20th of June. You can bring them to the Protest Service and we will collect them there, OR you can return them to the Harvest Studio during regular office hours. Thank you in advance for your amazing contributions.

If you'd like, you can get more information about the Pregnancy Care Centre on their website.
www.ovpcc.com.

Since we are not having our regular services we want you to know that there are still ways for you to give your tithes and offerings and donations.

3 WAYS TO GIVE:

- 1** Email: give@theharvest.ca
- 2** Via Debit: @ our Protest Services
- 3** In Person: @ the studio during regular office hours.

Meet & Greet
THURSDAYS @ THE STUDIO
1:00PM – 2:00PM

B.C. FIREWALL

Zoom prayer for British Columbia and the surrounding regions.

Daily at Noon!

Different towns in BC lead the noon hour prayer.

Monday: Prince George

Tuesday: Kelowna

Wednesday: Trail

Thursday: Williams Lake

Friday: Victoria

Join in @ prayer.harvestfellowship.ca
 Password: **harvest**

Pastoral Care

If you are in need of some counsel or pastoral care, Please feel free to reach out to us! You can schedule an appointment to meet with someone by sending an email to:

info@theharvest.ca

or by calling our office during business hours @ 236-420-1980

HARVEST SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

- Monday: **Closed**
- Tuesday: **Closed**
- Wednesday: 10:00 - 5:00
- Thursday: 10:00 - 5:00
- Friday: 10:00 - 5:00
- Saturday: 10:00 - 5:00
- Sunday: **Outdoors**

Prayer

Each **TUESDAY** evening **7:00PM**

@ The Cave

Led by Sharon Clark & Len Beaucage

Come join this amazing time of prophetic prayer and intercession.

Kids Church Outdoors



We are moving our Kid's Church to the outdoors for the summer during our Worship Protest Services.

Our Children's coordinator, Lauren MacNaughton along with Nancy Turner, will be planning activities to engage children during the services.

These activities will be planned for **Children 4-12 years of age**. We will not be able to have anything for our younger children at this time.

NEED A SITTER?

Call: 778-215-6035

C&K Babysitting

Can't get away from the kids? Need a break? Well C&K Babysitting team is here to fulfill all your babysitting needs. Give us a call or an E-Mail and we'll get back to you as soon as we can.

BE IN THE KNOW!

FATHER'S DAY WORD SEARCH

Happy Father's Day



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BRAVE	FISHING	HOME	LOVE	SPORTS
CARING	FOOTBALL	HONOR	MEMORIES	STRONG
CHILDREN	FUNNY	HUGS	NURTURE	SWEET
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DEVOTED	GIVING	JUNE	PROTECT	TIE
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