

Connecting Women of the Canada Conference

Women Mentoring Women

The mission of WM is to advance God's kingdom through ministries that equip women to grow, serve and reach out with the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

Your Stories...

Hope Covenant (Strathmore, AB)

Summer goes much too quickly, but fortunately it was elongated by a record breaking warm September. Women's Retreat at Covenant Bay started the season for us. Though this reporter was unable to go, all reports were appreciative of the time the women met together in fellowship, spiritual refreshment, play and rest. Our women were responsible for the meals this year. A few weeks later, we were excited to welcome our new pastor and family, Roger and Karen Gilbert! We look forward to Karen's participation with the women as she will facilitate a Women's Study this Fall--a Beth Moore video series. Our women have also been helping the Haiti Project with Dr. Manno by collecting children's clothing and shoes. As well, we have rolled bandages for the Clinic, and recently shipped nearly 250 pounds of clothing and bandages to the Conference Office. We expect to do some fundraising to help pay for the shipping of the container, too.

Prince Albert, SK

Summertime is a slack time for the church women as far as church activities are concerned. We did continue with our monthly visitation at two care homes where we provide a hymn-sing time, a short devotional, and one-on-one visits with the residents as we are served an afternoon lunch. We are glad to have our new pastoral team, Seth and Stacia Michael; we initiated a potluck and pantry shower for them. We are now making plans for the Annual Fall Progressive Brunch for the ladies.

You asked for it...

What would you like to see here? We'd love to give you some help...just let us know what you're looking for!

The news from Canada's WM team...

Our team as decided at the AGM on April 25, 2009:

Coordinators: Pattie Peterson & Judy Nelson

Secretary: Lila Freysteinson

Equipping Ministry: Jeramie-Lee Nelson

CM&J: Korleen Stapleton

Liaison to Denominational WM: Gretchen Johnson

Judy Nelson represents us at the Denominational WM meeting in Colorado October 10-12. If you would like Canada to be heard and have a voice, we need to hear from our

WM groups across Canada! We want to let everyone know who we are and what we do as WM in Canada. Next month, we look forward to an update from Judy as to what is happening on that level of ministry.

Canada WM has a website! Check us out on

www.canadacovenantchurch.org/womenministries. Monthly e-letters will be available on the website within the week of receiving it in your inbox.

We're looking forward to Triennial! Triennial XIII is scheduled for July 19-26, 2010 and we're busy raising monies for Raise the Flag. We'd like to encourage all women in Canada to consider attending this incredible conference that the Covenant WM board plans, prepares and executes. More details can be found at <http://www.triennialxiii.org/>

For next month...

This morning we were awakened to the first snowfall of the season. So for November's eletter, we would love to hear what is happening in your snowbank to prepare for the Christmas season! Deadline for submissions is November 1. We look forward to hearing from you!