

Maranatha Digest September 9, 2021

Greetings to our Maranatha family!!

We are excited about this new ministry year and what God is going to do in and through each of us. It has been a long and tiresome 18 months of uncertainty with the global pandemic. But our God is faithful and will see us through to the end of it.

Romans 8:28 says "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." I needed this reminder recently! It made me think - What? Really? This is all for our good? How can that be? But it's true. God's plans and purposes go beyond anything we can understand or know. He knows the end from the beginning. He guides the future as He has the past (from the "Be Still My Soul" hymn). When it is all over, we will see how God used it all for our good and for His Glory.

I found this great article from Billy Graham - "Do All Things Work Together for Good?" You can read it here: Do All Things Work Together for Good? (billygraham.org)

**Please join us in prayer for the family of Art Antaya who passed into glory this morning

Upcoming Fall Events - SAVE THE DATES!

We are planning to continue with our monthly Wednesday gatherings. More information will be posted on the CSC website about these events.

SAVE THESE DATES for Maranatha Monthly Gatherings

September 22

October 20

November 17

December 15

SEPTEMBER 22

Welcome Back Fall Picnic at Central Campus - 11:00am

We will meet outside at the south entrance of central campus (weather permitting) for another picnic. Please bring a lawn chair, warm jacket/blanket, and your best singing voice!

Paul will play some great hymns for us to sing along with. Pastor Wes will share some thoughts from scripture and we'll eat together.

Also, please bring your own picnic lunch and we will provide the refreshments and dessert.

If the weather does not permit us to be outside, bring your favorite board games for an inside Games Café. We look forward to seeing you all again!

OCTOBER 20

Program & Luncheon - 10:30am - more details to come

If you purchased a ticket for the March 2020 program & luncheon (which was cancelled due to Covid-19) – it will be honored on this date.

NOVEMBER 17

Program & Luncheon - 10:30am - more details to come

DECEMBER 15

Christmas Program & Luncheon - 10:30am - more details to come

SAVE THE DATE!!

Fall Bus Trip to the Millarville Christmas Market - November 4th

Join us for a round trip coach ride to and shopping at the Millarville Christmas Market. We will depart Central Campus at 10:00am sharp and return by 3:30pm. Ticket prices coming soon!

The Millarville Christmas Market, established in 1988 and one of the premier craft and artisan shows in Alberta, welcomes you back! You'll enjoy a fabulous day of food trucks, music, reindeer viewing, and so many of your favorite seasonal vendors as well as loads of new ones! Dress in layers to visit both the indoor and outdoor vendors with four heated indoor areas, Arena, Hall, the Quonset, and large heated tents. The Kids Only Shoppe, Santa's Workshop, Photos with Santa, and Photos with his Reindeer if permitted in 2021!! For health and safety regulation reasons, dogs are not permitted in the Market Area. Please leave your pooches at home when you visit. However, you might find some homemade dog treats among our vendors to return home with!

CENTRAL CAMPUS WEEKEND SERVICES - in person or live streaming

Saturday 4:30pm & 6:30pm

Sunday 9:00am & 11:00am

VISITATION

If you would like to have a visit, or know of someone who would appreciate a visit, from the Maranatha Visitation Team, please contact Pastor Jared Harrison at <u>jared.harrison@cschurch.ca</u> or phone 403-520-2680/403-293-3900.

MARANATHA ADULTS HOME HANDYMAN SERVICE: Greg Pask heads up the handyman ministry. Services include plumbing, electrical & carpentry repairs. Phone Greg at 403-292-5160 or 403-861-5361 if you have a need for repairs in your home.

Maranatha Adults Contact Information

We want to stay in touch with you! This Maranatha Digest is being sent to everyone in our Maranatha Adults data base. We hope you enjoy it and know that you are not alone during these pandemic times. Please contact us below and let us know how you are doing! You can also send prayer requests to the contacts below, either by phone or by email.

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