

- ◆ Ray and Laurie Fisher are inviting the Church to a Potluck, in Canning, with Kent Ville and Mill Village on the 29th Oct, 2016 from 2-6pm.





**The Church of Christ meets here  
at  
48 Convoy Avenue,  
October 23rd, 2016**

CONVOY AVENUE  
CHURCH OF CHRIST  
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
25	26	27	28	29	30  Vision Channel	1 <b>Men's Prayer Breakfast</b>
2 Potluck 	3	4 Bible Class @ 7 with David	5	6	7  Vision Channel 9:30 am	8 Winner Attedjro's B'day 
9	10 Selicia's B'day 	11 Bible Class @ 7 with David	12	13	14  Vision Channel	15 <b>Women's Prayer Breakfast</b>
16 <b>Kentville &amp; Mill Village will be visiting @3pm</b>	17	18 Bible Class @ 7 with David	19	20	21  Vision Channel 9:30 am	22
23	24	25 Bible Class @ 7 with David	26	27	28  Vision Channel 9:30 am	29 <b>Potluck with Kent Ville &amp; Mill Village 2-6pm.</b>
30	31	1 Bible Class @ 7 with David	2	3	4  Vision Channel 9:30 am	5 <b>Men's Prayer Breakfast</b>

**Bible Mad Gab:** Ail Ham Tooth These Louder ( See Isaiah 53:7 for answer)

**On for cleaning..... Dennis & Carol Peters**

**Food Bank Items:** Peanut Butter; Soup; Kraft Dinner; Condiments; Canned Meats/Fish/Fruit; Dry Spaghetti/Sauce

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**Are you TRANSFORMED?**  
By David Cariaga

Many come to church and feel bored because the word of God has not moved them. They are bored because of the feelings that they used to be entertained and church has never been entertaining. Like watching movies or listening to soap operas or comedy show, the feeling is JUST DIFFERENT! The answer for that is TRUE. Christianity is not the worldly activity. There is nothing wrong watching decent movies, comedies and opera show but the difference is, THERE IS NO SALVATION IN THOSE ACTIVITIES.

We have to know that when we get bored, we are SLOWLY DRIFTING away from God. When Christian fellowship is no longer exciting to you and the Bible lessons causes you to get bored, you won't even notice it, one day, you are no longer interested of the word of God. Satan has made you weak, sensitive and feeling indifferent. He makes you uncooperative, stirs conflict, causes criticisms and makes you feel so bored in times when you are supposed to render yourself, your praises and adoration to God. You no longer see why you are in church and why you needed to attend our services and all activities Christians are doing. To make you feel better, Satan will teach you to easily blame someone to give you a reason and maybe justify your actions.

Later, you do not know who you are! One of the most important characteristics of a Christian that really helps to define us is that there is a continuous character and faith building going on in our lives. We continue to get stronger and stronger in the Lord Jesus Christ and feel what He is doing in our lives. The feeling of excitement of worshipping our God might have been lost and needs to be restored.

There's a story about a woman who, on the advice of her doctor, had gone to see a preacher to talk about attending church services. She had recently had a facelift and when her doctor dismissed her, he gave her this advice: "My dear, I have done an extraordinary job on your face, as you can see in the mirror. I have charged you a great deal of money and you were happy to pay it. But I want to give you some free advice. Find a group of people who love God and who will love you enough to help you deal with all the negative emotions inside of you. If you don't, you'll be back in my office in a very short time with your face in far worse shape than before." (From "There's a lot more to health than not being sick" by Bruce Larson)

Let us not forget that one of the most important aspects of our Christianity is that of recognizing that there is a transformation that we are continually involved in as we grow and mature in the Lord Jesus Christ.

There are three distinct things mentioned in Colossians 1:13-14 and 2 Corinthians 3:18 that will either enhance or hinder our growth in the Lord Jesus Christ.

- We must lay aside all malice, guile and evil speaking. These things prevent the seed from germinating and growing.
- We must humble ourselves with child-like faith.
- We must desire the pure milk of the word with a hungering and thirsting after righteousness.

My dear Christians, do we feel this way? Do we truly and sincerely seek God? And are we able to please Him?

**Romans 16:16**

**Salute one another with a holy kiss. All the churches of Christ salute you.**

## Order of Worship

### Bible Class

9:45-10:30am Sundays  
David Cariaga (John Chapter 7)

7:00-8:00 pm Tuesdays  
David Cariaga

### Prayer Time

10:30—10:45 am Sundays

### Worship

11:00 am Sundays

### Leadership for Worship

Song Leader.....Daren Simmons  
Worship Prayer.....Michael Goud  
Presiding at the Table.....Dennis Peters  
Assisting.....Jonah Simmons  
Sermon .....David Cariaga  
Collection.....Dennis Peters  
Closing Prayer.....Daren Simmons  
Announcements.....Daren Simmons

**John 4:24**

**God is a Spirit: and they that worship  
Him must worship in spirit and truth.**

## Prayers for those we love...

1. Wisdom for the spiritual Leadership of all the churches.
2. Our bible class teachers and students.
3. Church evangelism, spiritual growth and unity.
4. Missionaries—Joel Osborne, Ruth Zimmerman and Ron and Karen Clayton.
5. Key to the Kingdom program, teachers and students.
6. Wisdom for the leaders of our country and the military.
7. Those not worshipping with us today.
8. All Brethren living in isolated areas.
9. Thank God, Victor has returned safely from his visit to Africa.
10. That Sel's dad will be healed of his prostate cancer and that her mom will have the strength to live through the process.
11. That Jocelyn's Brother-in-Law will be saved and God will ease his suffering.
12. That the Evacuees of Fort McMurray will find homes, financial help or new jobs, and have their needs met.
13. That Corey and Claudia will become strong in the faith again.
14. Ann Landry is out of the ICU .Pray for her health.
15. Those of our congregation travelling.
16. That Gizel Attedjro would stay focused and grow in faith as she studies at the Great Lakes Christian college .
17. That Joelle, Jeremy and Carrie's friend , have speedy recovery after undergoing surgery for a head injury.
18. That Judge Hector Salise Sr , David Cariaga's cousin, be comforted and healed after being ambushed on his way home from work.
19. That Wayne Taylor recovers from his cold.