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## The Fennell Visitor

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## Sunday Morning Service

As a result of the uncertainty of Covid-19 and its' restrictions, the Congregation of the Fennell Avenue Church of Christ has decided to re-open the church building for Services on September 5<sup>th</sup> when more people have been vaccinated.

Until September 5<sup>th</sup> we will conduct our services via Zoom and continue with Zoom as well as the building for those who are still not comfortable meeting with-in the church building. Covid Protocols within the Church are to be followed - Masks and members are required to maintain a physical distance of at least 2 meters.

Join Zoom Meeting – 11:00 a.m.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6585671730?pwd=K1k0QjlzcXBGOUIQN1NoaXpVeTlXdz09>

Via Device (Computer/tablet/laptop)

- Meeting ID: 658 567 1730  
Passcode: 4dEx5p

### Phone in connection:

1 647 374 4685 or 1 647 558 0588 (Canada)  
Meeting ID: 658 567 1730  
Password: 065970

Speaker: Brian Van Alstine

Sermon: *“Paul’s Conversion”*

Reading: 2 Corinthians: 5: 17

## 2 Corinthians 5: 17

*17 Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.*

### Wednesday Evening Bible Study

Zoom Meeting: August 25, 2021 7:00 p.m.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6585671730?pwd=K1k0QjlzcXBGOUIQN1NoaXpVeTlXdz09>

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## Attendance: August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Morning Service: 15  
(Zoom Attendees)



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Ruth Zimmerman's **July 2021** Newsletter from Papua, New Guinea is now available for your review. To view it please click the attached link [View it in your browser.](https://mailchi.mp/826e4e3956c1/b1xs1cnf4p?e=d0614b3402)

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You will find our August 2021 edition at <https://gospelherald.org/>

We are continuing the theme that we began last month with 3 more articles focused on **"Treasures of Wisdom in the New Testament"** along with several others that are not theme related. Special thanks to each of our contributors and to Paul Birston for organising these two themed issues.

Please feel free to share our website with others and to embed a link to it from your congregation's website and social media platforms. We value your feedback which can be submitted to [contactthegospelherald.org](mailto:contactthegospelherald.org)

Digital copies of some of our past publications are now available in our bookstore and can be purchased and downloaded from there.

Sincerely, Dave Knutson, Editor

## Prayer List

- Pray for the strength and growth of our Church after the Covid lockdowns
- Remember your financial support and prayers for the 4 children our church is sponsoring thru "Feed the Children".
- Isabel T - Remember in your prayers.
- Please pray for those who have contacted Covid-19 and that cases continue to reduce in number
- Maureen Jackson. Please keep her in your prayers
- Ruby Ford had heavy chemo and has had a stem transplant. Please remember Ruby & Art in prayer as well.
- Please pray for Ed, and the Van Alstine family as they support each other through treatments for Ed.
- Susan J: They will be monitoring the tumour behind her eye for 6 months and reassess. If there are any changes the tumour will be removed.
- Please continue to pray for Wendy and Phil's daughter, Melanie

- **Prayers for Marvin Johnson, (Dianne's father). He is home now and is being monitored.**
- **Prayers for Peter Caspersen's daughter Julie as she is having several health issues.**
- **Deborah P has asked for prayers for her husband, Eugenio. He is home from the hospital now and being monitored.**
- **Heather Gardner's best friend, Amanda, passed away very suddenly. Please remember Heather and Amanda's family in your prayers**

## **Bayview Women's Prayer & Praise Class - Tuesday August 24**

We would like to invite the women of your congregation to attend our **Bayview women's Prayer & Praise devotional on Tuesday, August 24, 2021**, using the Zoom link below. This 1-hour devotional beginning at 7:00 p.m. will feature a guest speaker, Brenda Snow from Pensacola,

Florida. Brenda will be presenting a lesson entitled, ***"In the Eye of the Storm."***

Her lesson is part of a series of lessons based on the theme, "The Storms of Life – How as Christian women we can prevail in the face of adversity." This 6-part series began in April with a lesson establishing that God knows about our struggles, and he cares. The key scripture for this series is, "God is our refuge and strength; an ever-present help in trouble." Psalm 46:1

In this series, we are using storms in nature as a metaphor for adversity in life. In the same way that there are different types of storms in nature, we looked at the different forms adversity can take in our lives. We looked briefly at four possible causes: natural causes, misfortune, sin and a test of faith. One thing we know for sure – adversity is part of the human experience. Even a child of God is not exempt from trouble and sorrow. With that in mind, in June we looked at steps we can take to prepare for the inevitable storms of life. Last month, we looked at what we can do when the

storm arrives and how, by God's love and grace, we can face whatever comes our way.

We are really looking forward to Brenda's lesson. Brenda and her husband, Mike, have twice experienced the serious effects of natural storms that have damaged their Florida home. Sometimes the metaphorical storm is an actual weather event!! Brenda will share her personal experiences and how she saw the hand of God at work in her life during those difficult times.

We will be delighted to have you join us as we gather together to support and encourage one another.

Blessings,

Bonnie, on behalf of the Bayview Women's Bible Class (905) 706-2725

[Join meeting on Zoom:](#)

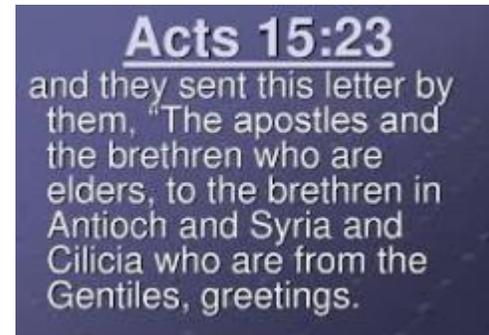
[The meeting room will open at 6:50 p.m.](#)

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81963824239>

Join meeting by phone:

(647) 374-4685 or (647) 558-0588

No password is required.



*Acts 15:19-35*

**<sup>19</sup> Therefore my judgment is that we should not trouble those of the Gentiles who turn to God,**

**<sup>20</sup> but should write to them to abstain from the things polluted by idols, and from sexual immorality, and from what has been strangled, and from blood.**

**<sup>21</sup> For from ancient generations Moses has had in every city those who proclaim**

him, for he is read every Sabbath in the synagogues.”

### **The Council's Letter to Gentile Believers**

**<sup>22</sup> Then it seemed good to the apostles and the elders, with the whole church, to choose men from among them and send them to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas. They sent Judas called Barsabbas, and Silas, leading men among the brothers,**

**<sup>23</sup> with the following letter: “The brothers, both the apostles and the elders, to the brothers who are of the Gentiles in Antioch and Syria and Cilicia, greetings.**

**<sup>24</sup> Since we have heard that some persons have gone out from us and troubled you with words, unsettling your minds, although we gave them no instructions,**

**<sup>25</sup> it has seemed good to us, having come to one accord, to choose men and**

**send them to you with our beloved Barnabas and Paul,**

**<sup>26</sup> men who have risked their lives for the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

**<sup>27</sup> We have therefore sent Judas and Silas, who themselves will tell you the same things by word of mouth.**

**<sup>28</sup> For it has seemed good to the Holy Spirit and to us to lay on you no greater burden than these requirements:**

**<sup>29</sup> that you abstain from what has been sacrificed to idols, and from blood, and from what has been strangled, and from sexual immorality. If you keep yourselves from these, you will do well. Farewell.”**

**<sup>30</sup> So when they were sent off, they went down to Antioch, and having gathered the congregation together, they delivered the letter.**

**<sup>31</sup> And when they had read it, they rejoiced because of its encouragement.**

**32 And Judas and Silas, who were themselves prophets, encouraged and strengthened the brothers with many words.**

**33 And after they had spent some time, they were sent off in peace by the brothers to those who had sent them.**

**35 But Paul and Barnabas remained in Antioch, teaching and preaching the word of the Lord, with many others also.**

### **Contribution**

The Church is now set up to receive electronic transfer (e-Transfer) of funds for Church Donations. If you wish to take advantage of this convenience, please send you donations to our Treasurer, Chris Gardner: [cgardnercchg@gmail.com](mailto:cgardnercchg@gmail.com) or [cchg@rogers.com](mailto:cchg@rogers.com) or [email@churchofchristhamilton.com](mailto:email@churchofchristhamilton.com)

Collection: <b>July 2021</b>	\$ 2,655.00
Weekly Average:	\$ 663.75



## **GREAT LAKES CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL IS HIRING**

We are seeking a part-time cook to work in our Food Services Department.

Inquiries can be sent to [careers@glchs.ca](mailto:careers@glchs.ca).

### **PART-TIME WEEKEND COOK**

*The candidate should have some cooking experience in a commercial setting. Some training is available. The position will work on Saturdays and Sundays (no Long Weekends) from September to June (20 hours per weekend).*

Consider joining an organization dedicated to offering an educational program centered in the person and principles of Jesus Christ.

We're celebrating **85 Summers** of camp, and we're asking you to choose the new **Camp Omagh** logo.

## Camp Omagh to Launch New Logo and Branding Campaign during the 'Camp Omagh 85' Celebrations



Milton, ON — August 14, 2021 — Camp Omagh announced today the launch of its new logo and branding campaign (Vote Camp Omagh 85), during the 'Camp Omagh 85' Celebrations. These changes come at a time when Camp Omagh is evolving its service offerings and expanding its reach.

“We’ve taken advantage of the COVID lockdown in the past 18 months and have accomplished a lot. Our plan is to improve our offerings to campers in 2022... broadening our footprint across 57 congregations,” said Sean Toohey, Camp Omagh’s President and P&M Committee Chair. “Our new branding and logo will appeal much better to all demographics and will clearly set the tone for a more exciting and Christ-focused experience we

plan to bring to campers for the 2022 season and beyond.”

Camp Omagh celebrates 85 summers of Christian teaching, fun and fellowship through camp living. The quote “the more things change, the more they stay the same” is a reference to situations where there appears to be a meaningful change, but the underlying fundamentals are still the same: Camp Omagh nurtures growing faith in God while developing friendships and enjoying God’s creation.

The Camp Omagh logo was created over 45 years ago. It was, and is playful, and fitting for that time. But the times have changed. We’ve seen the logo evolved over the years from just simple lettering to wood carved letters. To the carved letters, we've added the glowing sun, and the tweeting bird we know today — which worked for different purposes. But that meant that there was no brand cohesion, and no cohesion means no perceived brand value, and no brand value means it’s not speaking to the intended audience.

We’ve created a few new, and more cohesive visual identities/logos. And like countless other rebrands,

when it comes to feedback on the new logo, we are pretty divided. We have 2 new logo choices, and we're leaving it up to the 57 congregations to step in and give their own two-cents on which of the two we should use as the new Camp Omagh logo - Vote Camp Omagh 85.

The entire month of September 2021 is ‘Vote Camp Omagh 85’. Each participating congregation gets one vote. Each congregation’s vote will be posted on the ‘[campomagh.org](http://campomagh.org)’ website. After a winner is chosen, you’ll see all the other visuals around Camp Omagh aligning around this new direction: on the website, on socials, in advertising, and on products. It’s still us. We’re still Camp Omagh. More visually appealing, more consistent and, we hope, more instantly recognizable.

See your local Camp Champion to learn more information. See you in January, when we will select the T-shirt colours for 2022!

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