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Greetings! In this issue: Community Services and Urban Ministry Certification Program; The Appearing; In Memory of Victor Rideout; President's Page.

Community Services and Urban Ministry Certification Program

The North American Division Adventist Community Services in Partnership with Adventist Community Services International at the General Conference, has created a free online program that the Newfoundland Mission along with Pastor Ely would like to share with everyone. This community-based program equips participants to be engaged with critical service learning to create a sustainable impact in their communities. Upon



completion of all 15 learning modules, an on-line certificate for basic certification will be automatically generated. Dr. May-Ellen Colon who is the Assistant Director of the Sabbath school and personal ministries department at the General Conference, will be coming to Newfoundland in April, 2019. Those who have registered and finished this program will meet her here.

This is a great opportunity to receive free training on how to more effectively reach your community for Jesus! If you would like to register please go to:



BAY ROBERTS AND CONCEPTION BAY SOUTH

The Conception Bay South and Bay
Roberts Seventh-day Adventist Churches
will be exploring the topic of "The
Appearing" by studying what the Bible has
to say about the Second Coming of Christ.
In addition, taking a closer look at the
ancient prophecies of the Bible and piece
together a startling but undeniable picture
of last-day events that may come as a
surprise to many people.



This series will address questions such as:

- Did the Bible predict the storms, wars and political unrest we see today?
- What will it actually be like to experience the Appearing of Jesus?
- What does the Bible say about a "secret rapture"?
- What are the signs that point to the Appearing?



All are welcome to attend this free event, and all attendees will receive a copy of Boonstra's book, The Appearing.

Dates:

Bay Roberts Seventh-day Adventist Church: October 11-14 at 7 p.m.

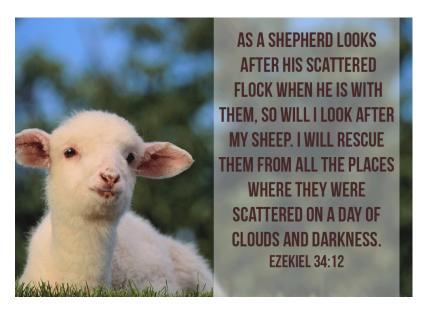
Conception Bay South Lions Club: October 19-22 at 7 p.m.

You may register to attend on-site during this free event, by calling 709.240-2421, or by visiting www.Appearing.org.

In Memory of Victor Rideout

For those that do not know, Victor Rideout passed away on September 14, 2018, age 74 years of Conception Bay South. The funeral service took place at The Salvation Army Conception Bay South Corps on Wednesday, September 19, 2018 at 11 am. We are sure that Victor will be missed by all who knew him, especially his church family and those from Camp Meeting. He was always kind, gentle, and greeted everyone with a huge smile and. He will be remembered for that. We look forward to the day when Jesus comes again and we will be reunited with our friends and family who lived a life





Encouragement

"I will be like a shepherd looking for his scattered flock. I will find my sheep and rescue them from all the places where they were scattered on that dark and cloudy day." - Ezekiel 34:12

God considers each of His children to be a lost sheep. As one of his sheep, He will seek you out and find you to bring you back to his flock. Oh, how much He loved you to ensure that you do not get lost along the way. You are too important for Him to overlook, and you should never doubt that.

PRESIDENT'S PAGE



Christine Bergen and Dena Daniels with new propane stove at Camp Woody Acres | Photo by Ken Corkum | NL Adventist Communications



Sherry Griffin at VOAR Booth at BC Camp Meeting | Photo by Ken Corkum | NL Adventist Communications

This past summer was very eventful for the Newfoundland Mission. The camp purchased a new stove, both Pastor Jamie of the St.John's Church and Pastor Ely of both the Conception Bay South and Bay Roberts churches moved to Newfoundland, and Sherry Griffin travelled to British Columbia camp meeting. There she was able to meet people in the VOAR Booth, present a VOAR Seminar, and had an opportunity to speak to the people gathered in the main auditorium.



Sherry Griffen at VOAR Booth at BC Camp Meeting | Photo by Ken Corkum | NL Adventist Communications



Pastor Jamie and Sarah Joseph Pastoral couple of the St. John's Church move into their new home | Photo by Ken Corkum | NL Adventist Communication

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