



Presents...
THE HOPE OF Spring!
 Featuring "Jesu, Meine Freude" by J.S. Bach,
 and a selection of madrigals to welcome spring
SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 3:00 P.M.
KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sonja van de Hoef - Director
John Govedas - Accompanist
Thomas Collins-Pallet - Cello
E.C. Drury Concert Choir - Special Guests

Tickets at Delacourts on Main St., Paper Zone in Milton Mall.
 Or call (905) 876-2401. Visit our new website at www.miltonchoristers.com

I'd need a football nickname before I hit the old gridiron

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The other dilemma is what nickname I should give myself for football. I thought of Sweet Moves Townsend first, but my oldest daughter thought it sounded more like a pick-up artist name than a football player. Then I settled on Sweet Feet Townsend, but now I'm waffling on that. Trains make good nicknames for football players. Night Train, Freight Train, maybe even Go Train. What about Slow Train Townsend?

This whole weight loss has opened up a number of worlds for me.

Maybe I could take a turn at bat with the Senior Milton Red Sox.

Or maybe a golf pro (hint, hint) could give me lessons (and free golf) to see how many strokes he could shave off my game in one summer.

I've already had free lessons for stories I did for The Champion in snowboarding and curling, with mixed results. Mixed meaning horrible and terrible on my part. As for the football, I'm leaning toward giving it a shot.

The Oakville Longhorns or the Markham Raiders better watch out. Slow Train Townsend is on the move.

Murray Townsend's Lifestyles column appears every second Friday.

Religious Service Directory

SHOW ME THE CROSS

His plight was desperate. As a young, six-year-old boy he found himself lost in the downtown, urban core of the city. No matter how his parents had trained him for this kind of a situation, panic struck. His mind blanked on him. He forgot everything his parents had instilled into him in the fear of the circumstance that he found himself in.

Lost and alone he started to cry. Fortunately, an officer of the law came to him and said, "Son, what is the matter?" "I'm lost, I can't find my way home!" he sobbed.

The police officer said, "Tell me your address - I'll take you home!"

"I can't remember. My mom and dad told me what to do if I was lost, they told me the way, they told me what I needed to know ... but I just can't remember!" He cried and cried.

The officer pleaded, "Son, you must try to remember. Do you know your telephone number? Unless you remember, I can't help you."

Visibly distraught, the young boy crumpled into a little ball. Wisely, the kind and gentle policeman put him into his cruiser and said, "Son, I am going to bring you to the central station. Hopefully, your mother or father will call soon and then I will be able to take you home. Does that sound

like a good plan?"

The young boy wiped his tears and nodded. Together, they got into the police car. As they were driving, the young boy frantically looked out the cruiser's window for some landmark he might recognize. Suddenly, he saw it!

Standing tall above all of the other roofs was a church steeple with a cross on the top.

"Stop. Wait. Stop the car."

The police officer braked and questioned, "Son what is it?"

The little boy chimed, "I see the cross! If you can just get me to the cross, I can find my way home."

That day, the sight of the cross eradicated panic and brought peace to a little boy's heart. The cross made the difference!

It still does today! Find your way to the cross and you will find your way home! Allow us the privilege of showing you the cross. Milton's churches are here to help you find peace for eternity. Make plans to visit a local congregation this week. Service times and locations published in the Religious Directory below.

Submitted by Rev. Dan Rogge, Senior Pastor of New Life Church, Milton

St. George's Anglican Church, Lowville
 7051 Guelph Line, just north of Derry Road

Sunday, April 6, 2003

8:30 Morning Prayer
 10:30 Holy Communion

10:30 Service in the auditorium with Guest Speaker Rev. Dr. Trevor Walters Nursery and Sunday School provided

Wednesday, April 19 - 10 a.m.
 Service of Holy Communion

Rector: The Reverend Canon Charlie Masters

For more information call 905-878-1363

Visit our Websites www.stgeorgeslowville.org and www.rflweb.com

Milton Baptist Church
 900 Nipissing Rd.
 (905) 875-1626

9:45 a.m. Sunday School - for all ages
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Sermon Title:
Journeying to the Cross and Easter; open to the incredible fullness of God.

All are welcome!

Rev. Greg Macaulay - B.A., M.Div.

MILTON BIBLE CHURCH

Meeting @

Milton District High School
 10:00 AM Bible Discovery Trail
 11:00 AM Worship Service

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(905) 876-3586



MILTON SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Invites you to our weekly Sabbath services at
 Hugh Foster Hall, 43 Brown St. Milton

Sat. 9:30 a.m. - Sabbath School

Sat. 11:00 a.m. - Divine Service

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PASTOR: AJ DaCosta 519-835-8301

For more information about our service and program, please call.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

170 Main St. E., Milton 878-6066

Minister - The Rev. Joseph Gray

Director of Music Ministries - Sonja van de Hoef

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

Nursery

Sunday School Age 3 - Grade 6 **10:30 a.m.**

Youth Class Grades 7-12 **9:30 a.m.**

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Wheelchair access and washrooms provided so that all may come and worship.
 Access off Mary St.

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Church Affiliated with the
 Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Senior Pastor **Rev. Dan Rogge**
 Children **Mrs. Natalie Rogge**
 Assistant/Worship **Mrs. Esther Kessler**
 Youth/Outreach **Mr. Tim Stevens**

9 a.m. - Early Worship Service
 9:30 a.m. - Sunday School for All Ages
 10:45 a.m. - Second Worship Service
A.D. - A MEASURE OF JESUS' IMPACT
 6:30 p.m. - Praise & Preaching

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Good Friday at 4 p.m. & 7 p.m.
 Easter Sunday at 6:30 p.m.

Website: www.newlife-milton.org

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SOUTHSIDE COMMUNITY CHURCH
 2850 DERRY RD.
 Phone 878-5664

10:00 A.M. SUNDAY SERVICE - Heritage Drama Team
 "Adventureland" for kids 3 - gr 6 and nursery care up to age 2.

SOUTHSIDE'S IMAGE X YOUTH MINISTRIES!

Tuesday 7 pm - "The Safari" - gr 6-8

Wednesday 6:30 pm - "The Outback" - kg-gr 5

Thursday 7 pm, "The Jungle" - gr 9-12

See the theme! ...Extreme Fun, Extreme Passion, Extreme Life!

The Purpose Driven Life coming....April 20th, 2003

Call now to register for High Power Soccer Camp - coming August 11-15th, 2003!

Grace Anglican Church

317 Main St. E., Milton
 the Church on the Hill
 Tel. 878-2411 Fax 878-3005
www.gracechurchmilton.com

Rev. Dr. Mark McDermott

Rev. Amy Cousineau
SUNDAY SERVICES

8:00 am - Holy Communion
 10:00 am - Sung Eucharist Church School & Coffee Hour

THURSDAY

10:00 am Holy Communion

We welcome you to...

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH
 123 Main St. E., Milton

Sat. Apr. 5, 1:30 p.m. Spring Team

Sun. April 6

9 a.m and 10:30 a.m. WORSHIP

Heaven's Gate Church School "Prayer" 10:30 a.m.

Sat. Apr. 12, 5-7 p.m. Fishes & Loaves Dinner

Our sanctuary is open daily from noon to 1 p.m. for anyone who would like to pray for peace. All welcome

Rev. John Benham & Rev. Gerry Hofstetter
 Church office: (905) 878-8895
www.stpaulsmilton.org

BAHA'I FAITH

Multifaith Devotions & Breakfast:

10 - 12 am, Sun., April 13

Dawn Prayers & Pot Luck Breakfast.

Learn of The Baha'i Faith and Its Teachings

8 pm. Wed., April 9, 16, 23, 30, Informal Discussion

Baha'i Vision TV:

12:30pm and 10:30 pm, Monday, April 7. Ch. 37

For local information: 905-875-2923

Recording 1-800-433-3284 www.bahai.org

GRACEWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

103 Martin Street

905-878-1629

Pastor Walter H. Isaak

9:50 a.m. - Family Bible Hour

11:00 a.m. - Morning Service

6:00 p.m. - Evening Service

Thursday

7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer

"You'll always find a friend at Graceway"