

# Your Invitation To Worship

## Down - but not out!

Life's circumstances can knock us down - but they do not have to knock us out! Struggles at work, strained relationships, stress at home, sagging income, sickness and illness - what happens to us is not always what we invite into our lives! Few of us welcomed the difficult times of sorrow and grief that we have already experienced, yet some are able to look back on their lives and suggest that they are stronger for the journey as a result of their struggles. Those individuals chose to get better through the bad times rather than bitter! They took the sour lemons of their lives and made refreshing lemonade. They refused to

surrender to their negative situation. They realized that their success in life was dependent upon right responses to the unwelcome intrusions for life! I think of countless individuals who were pummeled by dire circumstances, yet who refused to quit. They had been beaten, but not broken. Consider:

- Cripple him - Sir Walter Scott
- Deafen him - Ludwig Van Beethoven
- Bury him in snow and give him a seemingly hopeless war - George Washington
- Raise him in dire poverty - Abraham Lincoln

- Strike him with paralysis - Franklin Delano Roosevelt
- Burn him so bad that doctors say he'll never walk - Glenn Cunningham, who set a new one mile speed-walking record in 1934
- Call him a slow learner, retarded and write him off - Albert Einstein
- Call him a college drop out - Bill Gates

There are so many more names that could be added to this list, names of individuals who had been overwhelmed by not overcome. Success in life is determined by about 20% of what happens to us and 80% of how we respond to what happens to us.

Choosing the right response is often the result of having a proper perspective. The way we realize that we are not here by accident or by change - it impacts upon how we live. When we see that we have hope and a future - it helps us go on. God has a wonderful plan for our lives - be assured! To learn more about it, visit a local church this week. Service times and locations are published in the Religious Directory below.

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

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

1412 Britannia Rd. West, Milton, On L9T 2X8  
905-875-2939

Sunday School Classes  
10:00 am

Worship & Communion  
11:00 am

Thursday Bible Study  
7:00 pm

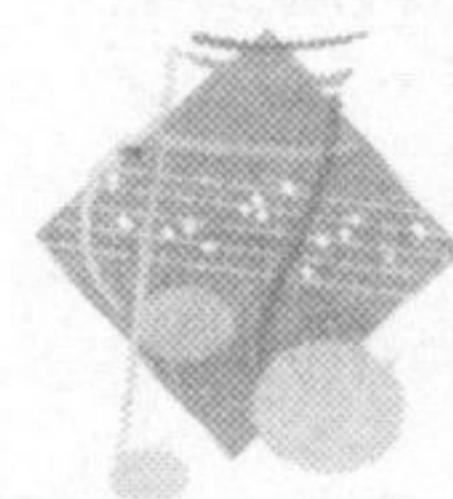
Minister Steve Corbett

### INSPIRATIONAL MUSIC AT VICTORIA PARK

Milton Area Christian Churches Working Together (MACCWT) will once again be sponsoring "Inspirational Music at Victoria Square" this

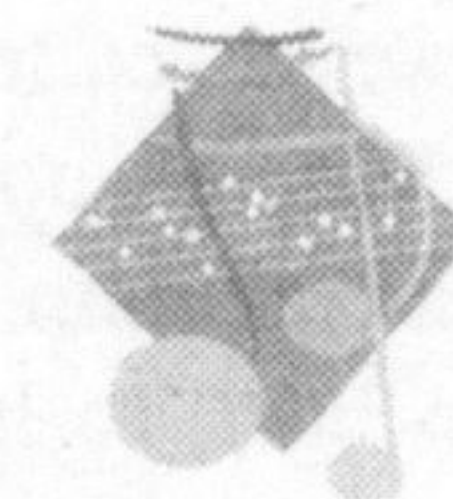
Sunday, August 7, 2005, from 2pm - 6pm

Six Musicians from local churches will be singing and performing a variety of uplifting inspirational music depicting hope, thanksgiving, and praise. There will be four local groups, Country Gospel and two soloists.



Join us at: **Victoria Square Park**  
(Downtown Milton behind Town Hall - corner of Mary & Brown St.)

People of all faiths are invited to come out - bring your lawn chairs and enjoy the afternoon! Concert is FREE but donations will always be appreciated.



### NEW LIFE

824 THOMPSON RD. S., MILTON  
"Only 1/2 km South of Derry Road"  
Phone: (905) 878-3358  
Church Affiliated with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada

Senior Pastor: Rev. Dan Rogge  
Children: Natalie Rogge  
Assistant/Worship: Esther Kessler  
Youth: Clinton Kruger

9 a.m. - Early Worship Service  
9:30 a.m. - All Ages Sunday School  
10:45 a.m. - Second Worship Service  
Service Captioned for Deaf/Hard of Hearing  
6:30 p.m. - Sunday Night LIVE

Supervised Nursery & Dynamic Children's Programs available all services!

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Summer Kids Camp (K-Grade 6)  
August 22-26 from 9 am - 12 pm  
Thursday - All day trip to Wild Water Works in Hamilton  
\$45 per week includes T-shirt

Come and Check Out Our Summer Camps for All Ages. Kindergarten to Grade 11

Website: www.newlife-milton.org

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We welcome you to...  
**ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH**  
123 Main St. E., Milton

ONE CONGREGATION, 2 GREAT SUNDAY WORSHIP STYLES!  
Sun. August 7, 9:30 a.m. SUMMER WORSHIP

supported by music from our Summer Choir  
Summer Sunday program for kids at 9:45 am  
Nursery Facilities Available

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

### 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

FREE BIBLE SCHOOL

Discover the amazing Bible answers to life's perplexing questions, and the secret to a happy life.

For FREE BIBLE LESSONS, write: P.O. Box 23012, 55 Ontario St., Milton, Ont., L9T 5B4.

On the INTERNET, <http://www.vop.com> and [www.amazingfacts.org/bibleschool/schoolmain.asp](http://www.amazingfacts.org/bibleschool/schoolmain.asp)

PASTOR: AJ DaCosta 519-835-8301

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

### The Sanctuary

A Church for Your Heart, Mind & Spirit

SUNDAY, AUG. 7  
10:00 a.m. (BANQUET ROOM)

"Don't let your worries make you weary"

Pastor Jim Danielson

www.thesanctuary.ca/milton

NEW HOME 905.257.3987  
Milton Sports Centre  
605 Santa Maria Blvd. (Derry Rd., west of Hwy. 25)

### St. Antony's Anglican Church

Sunday

8:10 am - Prayer Breakfast

8:30 am - Said Eucharist

GLEN ABBEY RECREATION CENTRE  
(3 blocks N. of Third Line & QEW, Oakville)

905-849-0885

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### GRACE ANGLICAN CHURCH

Clergy: 317 Main St. E.  
Rev. Dr. Mark McDermott the Church on the Hill  
Rev. Carole Langlotz 905-878-2411  
Father Mark Curtis

#### Sunday Services

8:00 am - Holy Communion  
10:00 am - Sung Eucharist, followed by coffee hour. Service includes "Kids' Spirit"

July 25 - July 29 Vacation Bible School

Call the church office or visit [www.gracechurchmilton.com](http://www.gracechurchmilton.com)



Wheelchair Access through Parking Lot  
[www.gracechurchmilton.com](http://www.gracechurchmilton.com)

### KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WELCOMES YOU

170 Main St. E., Milton 905-878-6066

Interim Moderator - Rev. Harry Klassen  
Director of Music Ministries - Sonja van de Hoef  
Director of Discipleship & Family Ministries - Jim Lagnese

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

Nursery  
Children's Summer Worship (ages 3 to 8) 10:30 a.m.

"Growing together in the grace of Christ"  
Wheelchair access and washrooms provided so that all may come and worship. Access off Mary Street.

### MILTON GOSPEL HALL

306 Ontario St. N. • 878-3873

10:00 a.m. - The Lord's Supper

11:45 a.m. - Sunday School

6:30 p.m. - Gospel Service

Wednesday 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer and Bible Study

For the Son of man is come to seek and to save that which was lost.

- Luke 19.10

### GRACEWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

103 Martin Street.  
905-878-1629

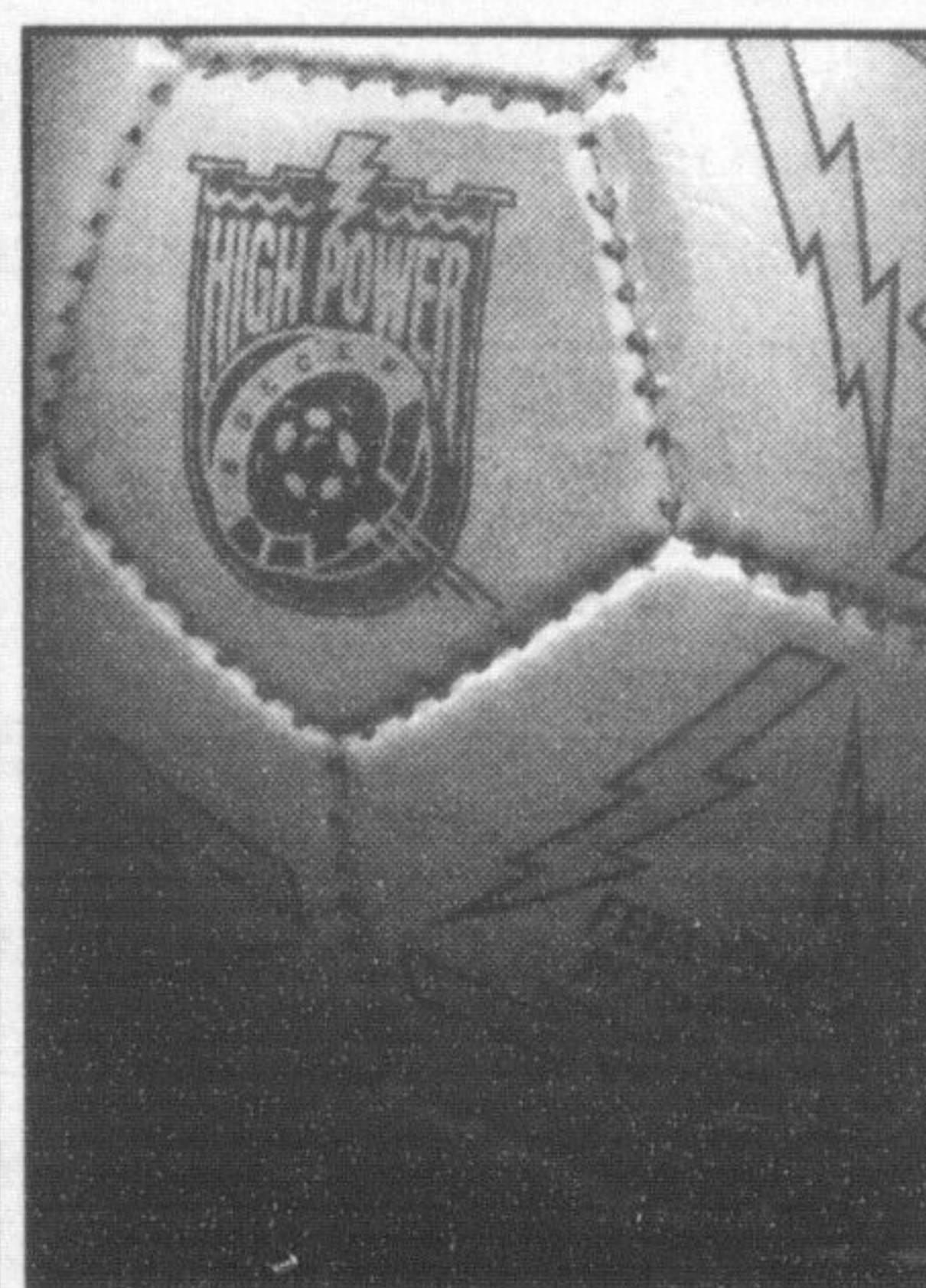
Pastor Walter H. Isaak

10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. - Evening Service

#### Thursday

7:00 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer  
Captain's Crew for Children (ages 6-12)

"You'll always find a friend at Graceway"  
[www.gracewaybaptist.org](http://www.gracewaybaptist.org)



## HIGH POWER SOCCER CAMP 2005

For Children entering JK - Grade 6

Monday August 8th - Friday August 12th 9:00am - 12:00pm

Price - \$45 - (families with 2 children \$70) - (families with 3 children \$99)

Soccer Ball, T-Shirt, Photo, Snacks, Soccer Skills, Songs, Bible Stories, Friends!

Call the church office to register



[www.southsidemilton.org](http://www.southsidemilton.org)  
905-878-5664

