



Who Is God?

As I reflect on this past spring, I am reminded that our God is one who blesses boldness. These past few months, God has been working in my life to bring me to a place of being bold for Him. My last MOMS group was an 8-week session entitled, "Who Is God?" We looked at God as being loving, passionate, trustworthy, in control, interested in the details of our lives, and forgiving. The moms involved came faithfully, asked honest questions and shared their own experiences with God. It was always interesting, sometimes heart-wrenching, and often draining. Putting your faith out there is not easy. But oh, is it worth it! God has been showing me over and over what it means to be bold for Him, and trust me, this is not an easy lesson to learn. I've never been the kind of person one would describe as bold. However, time and again this spring God has invited me to step out and say a spontaneous "yes" to what He is doing. This has meant stepping out of my comfort zone, surrendering my own fears and anxieties, and trusting the rest to God. Boldness comes only when I remember that my life is about glorifying God, and I can't do that if I'm silent. Speaking truth, even when speaking it alone, imperfectly, or awkwardly, never returns empty. Thanks be to God!

Pray for the moms who were involved with this group. They are actively searching for answers about God.

MOMS continues through the summer on a less intensive schedule. A one week session is scheduled for July 24 and another two week session in August. The other program highlight for the summer is the annual Picnic In The Park for the clients. This year it is Monday, July 16 at the gazebo in Victoria Park.



Baby Bottle Boomerang

Many thanks to all the churches and individuals who took home a bottle this year to fill with change. Bottles are just starting to trickle in to the Centre. Don't worry if you forgot to bring yours back on Father's Day. Bottles will continue to be dropped off at the Centre in the next few weeks.

Participating Churches

- Calvary Pentecostal Church – Lindsay
- Cannington Baptist Church
- Cornerstone Community Church – Lindsay
- Fairhavens Community Church – Beaverton
- Fenelon Falls Baptist Church
- Grace Baptist Church – Sunderland
- Kinmount Baptist Church
- Liberty Baptist Church – Lindsay
- Little Britain Community Baptist Church
- Newcastle Baptist Church
- Pioneer Baptist Church – Norland
- Peoples Full Gospel Church – Lindsay
- St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church – Woodville/Bolsover
- St. John's Presbyterian Church – Creswell
- St. Mary's Catholic Church – Lindsay
- Village Baptist Church – Lindsay
- and various individuals



Put a happy face on your bottle remember to return it.



A New Life

Anna is living very far from her home and any family. She is just four months pregnant and the father of her baby wants to help but he can be very controlling. Anna is having her baby but has many questions about how everything will work out. She is coming to the Centre for education and help every two weeks right now. She is only one of nineteen young women who are expecting babies that we are currently working with. Each person is unique and their situations different. Thank you for helping us help them.

Mission Statement: *We are a Christian Ministry committed to protecting life, supporting families and serving our community.*

I would like to support Kawartha Lakes Pregnancy Centre

Charitable Registration #89380 9293 RR001

Here is my gift of \$ _____

Or Contribute online at www.canadahelps.org or follow the links at www.lcpc.on.ca

I would like to become a regular supporter, contributing \$ _____ monthly.

- I have enclosed a cheque
- I would like to use my chequing account (please complete the information on the back of this card).

Name _____
 Address _____
 City _____
 Phone _____
 Church _____

Celebrate Life

Take time to touch the morning. Learn a new word. **HUG SOMEBODY.** Listen to a seashell. **TAKE YOURSELF TO LUNCH.** Share a pleasant thought. Plant a flower. **Take a long walk.** **SHINE EVEN IF THE SUN DOESN'T.** Crunch a juicy apple. *Play tag with a butterfly.* Start writing that book. Laugh with a friend. *Allow yourself to make a mistake.* **Show some tenderness.** Do one thing you'll be proud of. Tell someone how much you appreciate them. See a good movie. **Practice courage in one small way.** *plan a trip even if you don't get to take it.* Do something nice for someone without letting anyone know. **Relive a pleasant childhood memory.** *Give your smile to someone who doesn't have one.* **Fly a kite.** **LET GO OF YOUR GUILT.** Put up a bird house. *Give yourself a compliment.* Pursue a new hobby. Turn off the television and visit your family. Adopt a grandparent. Start a tradition.

I picked this up at a conference that I attended a while ago. I enjoyed reading it and thought you might as well. Celebrate life and have a great summer!

Did you know that the young women who receive help for their baby's often ask about the people who donate. They are amazed and humbled by your generosity. So are we. You make us look good. Thank you for everything.

Centre Needs

Diapers – newborn size
Baby formula – all kinds
Receiving blankets, towels, baby wash
Newborn toys for layettes
Small sleepers
Small outfits for boys and girls
Gently used maternity clothes
Used infant and children's clothing to size 6X



A Thank You

Dear Kawartha Lakes Pregnancy Centre Staff & Volunteers,

Although you make it look easy, we know you work hard, and today we thank you for the outstanding work you do!

Your caring ways make this world a better place!

Thank you so much for the baby gift bag and support provided!

A grateful family.

KLPC Volunteer Opportunities

Yes, we are asking for your help again. We need people willing to be volunteer support workers. Training is provided for new volunteers. When enough people are interested a training session will be scheduled. Please consider prayerfully volunteering some of your precious time to this ministry. We only require 4 hours weekly and attendance at volunteer meetings and fundraising events.

We are also looking for dedicated men and women who believe in the sanctity of life to become part of our Board of Director's. The Board meets monthly on the third Monday evening of the month.

Applications for both of these positions are available from the Centre. Call us to inquire and get more information @ 705-878-8527.



New Hours!

Centre Hours – Weekends and holidays – closed

Monday – Wednesday – noon – 4:00 pm

Thursday – Friday – 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Centre Web Site – www.klpcentre.on.ca

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I would like to use my chequing account

I have attached a cheque marked void.

I (We) authorize the **Kawartha Lakes Pregnancy Centre** to receive

\$

on the 15th day of the month beginning on

Signature _____

Date _____

Signature _____

Date _____

I would like information on:

Volunteering

Material Support (supplies, donations in kind)

Prayer support for KLPC

Memorial Donations

Stewardship Policy: "Spending of funds is confined to Board approved programs and purchases. Each gift designated toward an approved program will be used as designated with the understanding that when a given need is met, designated gifts will be used where needed most. Gifts are acknowledged and receipted with an official receipt for income tax purposes at the end of the calendar year."