



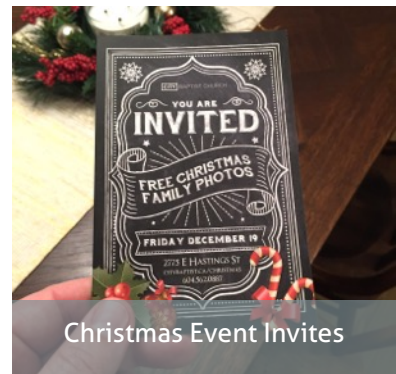
REACH VANCOUVER UPDATE

The Conner Family / January 2015

Dear Pastor and Praying Friends,

I would like to begin by thanking you for your prayer support of our family and for City Baptist Church. Since our last update, God has truly been working and we are excited to share what He has been doing here in Vancouver.

On December 19th, City Baptist Church hosted it's first Community Christmas Photo Event for our neighbourhood. In the weeks leading up to the event, we were able to give out over 7,500 invitations promoting the event. Although the response was not quite what we had prayed for, we were still blessed to have close to 60 guests from the immediate area come by the studio for a free professional photograph. Many of those who came were not able to afford photos on their own, and we were happy to be blessing to them and their families.



Christmas Event Invites

One of the benefits about the event however, was to see how our young church came together around this opportunity to serve our community. It was great to see some who had only attended a few services, devoting their entire Friday to setting up, hosting and serving other members of our community. It really was a great connection time for our church, as well as a great opportunity for us to spread the word about City Baptist.

We are thankful for continued growth at City Baptist. Over the last two months we have seen steady numerical growth, with two Sundays with 39 people in attendance. Our Wednesday evening Bible Study has also grown as we have seen more Sunday attenders make the transition to attending both services during the week. It has been a blessing to see spiritual growth in new believers, as well as developing commitment and excitement in those who are attending each Sunday.



Volunteers from City Baptist



Ryan & Sarah Holmes Wedding

In early January we celebrated the wedding of Ryan and Sarah Holmes. Ryan has been serving with City Baptist since the launch of the church, and we are very excited about Sarah arriving and ministering together as a family. The Holmes have already been a tremendous blessing to our church, and we are looking forward to how God is going to use them in the future. Please pray for Sarah as she transitions to life and ministry in Vancouver.

We truly are thankful to each of you for your financial and prayer investment into our family and church. We are blessed to be a part of your extended ministry to the city

of Vancouver. Please continue to pray that God would use our family and City Baptist Church to make a lasting impact in our community.

Your Friends,

Paul & Jenette Conner

Maximus, Myles & Owen



Paul & Jenette Last Sunday



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Prepping Christmas Invitations

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