



W.I.N.G.S. Maternity Home

NEWSLETTER

JULY 2010

Special points of interest:

- NEW BIRTH
- Desk of Marion
- FEATHERS

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"He will cover you with His feathers. He will shelter you with His WINGS. His faithful promises are your armour and protection"Psalm 91:4

Congratulation Joy & Baby Alysha born April 25th 2010.



IT'S A GIRL!!!

Brand New Arrival we welcome Baby Alysha in the early hours weighing in at 7lb 12oz. Healthy and beautiful baby girl. Mom and baby are doing amazing.

We are so very proud of both of you!!!

Congratulation Karrissa & Baby Roman born June 25th 2010.

IT'S A BOY!!!

Miracle Baby arrived at 10.32pm weighing in at 5lb 9oz. Both Karrissa and Roman are adjusting to life together. Roman is living up to his STRONG NAME he is a healthy & strong little guy, and is fighting all that is against him.

Please continue to pray for this young mom and son.

A special Thanks to Dr.Athaide

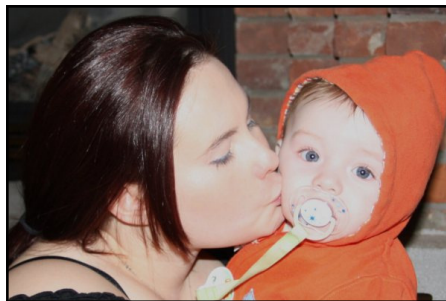
We want to thank Dr. Athaide our OB/GYN for his tireless work that he does with our girls . We are so blessed to have him as part of our support team for these young moms.

TEEN PREGNANCY DOES IT AFFECT YOU????



The issue of teen pregnancy as a health concern is an important one. Teen pregnancy reaches all people in Canadian Society, whether directly or indirectly; it affects teenage girls, teenage boys, their families and their communities. Statistics Canada report that the rate of teen pregnancy in Canada for youth between the ages of 15 to 19 is 49 per 1000. Currently Durham Region has the highest rate of Teen Pregnancy in Ontario, with Oshawa being the highest area of concern within Durham.

SPA DAY IN MARCH



Thank you

To

Everyone who helped make this day possible for everyone.



March Blues

What an amazing day was had by everyone not only the girls who live with us but also those we invited from the community.

Everyone had their makeup done and their hair done and then we celebrated this great day at Casey's Restaurant afterwards.

What an incredible opportunity to just spend a fun day and for some of these girls this was the first time they had ever been pampered.

Thanks to the following sponsors, You are special:

Melissa McMinn, Toni Cranmer, Lorna McDougal & Shely Bent and Jackie for the great pictures

FEATHERS (make a wing) MONTHLY SPONSORSHIP at \$1.00 a day

MONTHLY SPONSOR TO DATE COUNTER

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FEATHERS: Is our Monthly Sponsorship program. You can be a "Feather in our W.I.N.G.S Maternity Home by sponsoring us on a monthly plan starting at \$1.00 a day.

We are looking for 50 Sponsors who would commit to sponsoring our home on a monthly basis for as low as \$1.00 a day or whatever amount you would like to give would be very much appreciated.

Thanks to 2 of our monthly sponsors thus far: Linda Bleau and Diana Graham; WE LOVE YOU and are thankful for not only your Monthly financial kindness to us but for your SUPPORT towards our Home and the moms and babies, who reap the benefits from your sacrificial gift. We cannot do this without the love and support of our friends and family.

PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING FORM can be found on page 5 and 6 of the Newsletter or email me and I will send you a copy as well.

THANK YOU!!!!

Chocolate Covered Almonds

Sales QUEEN

Katie Castell

What a blessing!!! Love you girl!!!

YOUR DONATION TO W.I.N.G.S. IS TAX DEDUCTABLE:

Make your **Cheque payable to**

The Embassy Church and mark the subject line with W.I.N.G.S.

Mail to: W.I.N.G.S. MATERNITY HOME

1 RADFORD DRIVE

AJAX, ON, L1T 1V9

FROM THE DESK OF MARION COZENS

On the day I called, You answered me; You made me bold with strength in my soul.. Psalm 138:3 And if I die ... I die!!

These infamous words of Queen Esther are quite appropriate for the Life that the Master has called us to live. She was willing to risk all for the benefit of the Jewish people. What are we willing to risk for the benefit of the Kingdom?

God has woven together the design of this home, this ministry as only He can do. In here I see the storms of life that these young moms face and I watch them throw over some of the load to make it a lighter load during the times of turbulence. I think about Queen Esther and how she faced the fear of death and staring it in the face, moved forward in spite of the risks.

What did she cast overboard in her storm? For one thing, she threw away a three day supply of food! She fasted for three days and when you are living in a palace day in and day out with maids and servants at your fingertips, bustling about to meet your every whim, that can be quite a sacrifice. She also cast away the fear of rejection and death! After fasting with her maidens, she gained the courage to do what she was destined to do from her birth. I am not quite sure she was feeling the whole destiny thing when she entered the inner court of the palace with trembling fingers begging to feel the tip of an outstretched scepter. I am not convinced that she felt terribly confident or hopeful at the time, that her plans to expose the deceitful Haman at a banquet, were the exact design called for by the Master. We have the privilege of looking forward and backward and seeing the marvelous threads of destiny weaved together by a God of justice who can right every wrong and arrange the most amazing of coincidences in favor of those who least expect it but desperately need it. I am so blessed that our King is so readily available when we face the storms of life? We need not tremble and fear as His royal scepter is always within reach and beckoning us to come closer to His Holy place.

OUR CURRENT NEEDS

Some of the practical ways in which you can help are:

1. Donation of Clothing baby AND Maternity Clothing.
2. Diapers size **New-born & Size 3** and **wet wipes** currently.
3. Enfamil A + Formula for one of our new little one.
4. Digital Camera would



be such a blessing to our young moms who can't afford to by one. To capture those precious moments with their little ones.

5. **Monthly sponsors** to help us with the day to day expenses of running this program. All donations will be given a Tax Receipt from The Embassy Church. Make cheques payable to The Embassy Church.

5. Volunteers and Drivers needed to help daily in here and also with Dr. appointments.

6 We need items to make up 50 Gift bags for a Display that we will be doing for W.I.N.G.S. ; we need things for moms and things for babies to put in the bags.

7. **Mentors**, who would be willing to walk alongside one of our girls and encourage them and talk with them on a monthly basis.

W.I.N.G.S.

**Marion Cozens
C.E.M. (Chief Executive Mother)**

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Our Mission: We commit to come alongside displaced pregnant young women, who grace and compassion to their circumstances, and encourage them to develop positive life choices.

Our Hope: At W.I.N.G.S. Home we believe every child is a gift from God and we are committed to assisting our moms in making healthy decisions for herself and her unborn baby. Although her life will be filled with challenges, she will draw strength from the encouragement offered during her stay at W.I.N.G.S. By the time she leaves, we hope that she will know that, in God's sight, she and her baby are truly significant, and that He wants a future filled with hope and promise for them.

Our Vision: To provide a Safe Shelter, offering a wide range of comprehensive services to all young moms and soon to be moms within our home and outside in the community. To assist these young women in leading a healthy, happy and productive life, grounded in a deep sense of personal worth.

FRIENDS OF W.I.N.G.S.

Free Lunch and Social EVERY Thursday for All Young Pregnant Women or Young moms

With children under 1 years old. Come and fellowship together and access our resource room to help with any of your babies needs.

VOLUNTEERS needed for this day; to chat; to speak; to drive; to love; to listen.

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

DR. KAREN MARTINDALE-SLIZ

CHIROPRACTOR

For donating your time to help our young moms and their newborns AND just loving on our precious little ones.

YOU ARE THE BEST!!

SPECIAL THANKS TO:

LAURA WICHMAN

Doulagraphs

Photography

For the Donation of the Beautiful pictures of our growing W.I.N.G.S.

FAMILY

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING SUPPORTERS

VOLUNTEERS ARE SO VALUABLE TO US!!!!

A special thanks to the following for your countless hours of time that you have given to us this far.

Monika & Dave Castell; Ruth Smith; Linda Bleau; Jackie & Earl Zurba; Christine & Dave Imler; Shelly Bent; Debbie & Carver Ransome; Kelly Johnson; Tina Dunleavey; Cheryl Devenney; Katie Castell; Katie Wiedrick & Melissa Loveless

Thank you everyone for your very important part in this Ministry.

AND ALL OUR INTERCESSORS A BIG THANK YOU!!

We could not do this without each of you.

Thank you to the following Churches

in the Region for your part in W.I.N.G.S. and the life's of our moms and babies.

Pickering Pentecostal Church/Gathering Place in Pickering. Thank you for your continued support and prayers and your financial seed into W.I.N.G.S.

The Embassy Church in Oshawa for allowing us to come under their umbrella and offering to receipt ALL donations that come into W.I.N.G.S.

City Gates Church Ajax, for inviting us to be a part of your "Mother's Day Celebration". What a blessing to our girls.

Kelly Johnson for painting the new nursery and giving of her time so generously. The room is beautiful.

Amanda for a tremendous job with the logo... I love it...

Sheri Gundry ART WITH A HEART for the beautiful painting that is displayed

in our hallways.

Irene McEwan for your continued support in such tangible ways. You are such a blessing to me. Love you!!

SPECIAL THANKS TO THE HEART OF DURHAM REGION: For the Countless baby items that have been donated from this community.

FINANCIAL SUPPORTER 2010:

Monika & Dave Castel

Irene McEwan

Diana Graham

Linda Bleau

Cheryl Devenney

Brittani Cozens

Marie in Courtice

THE EMBASSY'S PRE-AUTHORIZED GIVING PLAN

Terms and Conditions

I (we) authorize the payee to debit my (our) account as indicated on the attached "void" cheque under the terms and conditions agreed to by me (us) with the payee until such time as written notice to the contrary is given.

I (we) acknowledge that delivery of my (our) authorization to the payee constitutes delivery by me (us) to the branch of the financial institution at which I (we) maintain an account and that such financial institution is not required to verify that the payment(s) are drawn in accordance with this authorization.

Termination of this authorization does not terminate the obligation for the services provided.

I (we) will notify the Payee in writing of any changes in the account information or termination of this authorization prior to the next due date of the pre-authorized debit.

Items charged under any of the following conditions will be reimbursed subject to written notification by me (us) to the branch of account within 90 days.

I (we), never provided authorization to the payee.

The pre-authorized debit was not drawn in accordance with my (our) authorization

My (our) authorization was revoked.

The debit was posted to the wrong account due to invalid/incorrect account information supplied by the payee.

_____ **YES!** *I (we) want to join and have enclosed a "void" cheque.*

Name(s) _____

Street _____

City _____

Postal Code _____

Phone () _____

Note, a choice is offered of withdrawals once or twice a month. Complete the following as to your preferences.

*I (we) authorize The Embassy of the Kingdom of God to process a debit, in paper, electronic or other form in the amount of \$ _____ on my (our) account on the **first** day of each month beginning _____ (date).*

*I (we) authorize The Embassy of the Kingdom of God to process a debit, in paper, electronic or other form in the amount of \$ _____ on my (our) account on the **fifteenth** day of each month beginning _____ (date).*

I (we) acknowledge that I (we) have read and understood all the provisions contained in the terms and conditions of the pre-authorized giving and that I (we) have received a copy.

Signature _____

Date _____

Signature _____

Date _____

PLEASE FILL IN THIS INFORMATION

NAME _____

ENVELOPE # _____

Please Print

1st of month **15th of month**

OPERATIONS & DEVELOPMENT OF OUR LOCAL CHURCHTITHE \$ _____ \$ _____

 or **"I BELIEVE GOD"** (The Three-Month Plan) \$ _____ \$ _____

OFFERINGS: Kingdom Missions (Regional, National & International) \$ _____ \$ _____

Alms (Giving To The Needy Or Poor) \$ _____ \$ _____

Events/Outreach \$ _____ \$ _____

Care and Growth Ministry \$ _____ \$ _____

Kingdom Kid's Ministries (*Birth to Grade 5*) \$ _____ \$ _____

Jr. Varsity – Jr. High Youth Ministries (*Grades 6-8*) \$ _____ \$ _____

Embassy High School Ministries (**Youth – Gr. 9-12**) \$ _____ \$ _____

Embassy This Generation (Young Adults) \$ _____ \$ _____

Men's Ministry \$ _____ \$ _____

Women's Ministry \$ _____ \$ _____

Adult Ministries \$ _____ \$ _____

Sonseekers – Seniors Ministry (*50+*) \$ _____ \$ _____

Music Ministry \$ _____ \$ _____

Building Fund \$ _____ \$ _____

Media Ministry \$ _____ \$ _____

 Other **WINGS MATERNITY HOME** \$ _____ \$ _____

Sharing in the ministry of THE EMBASSY with my tax deductible gift.

TOTAL TITHES / OFFERINGS: \$ _____ \$ _____