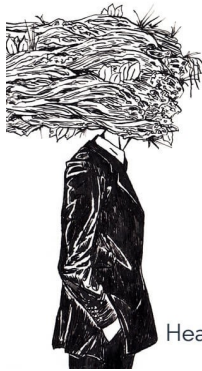


You don't get over an addiction by stopping using. You recover by creating a new life where it is easier to not use. If you don't create a new life, then all the factors that brought you to your addiction will catch up with you again.



HealthyPlace.com

Loaves and Fishes Food Bank

at

The Salvation Army

505 8th St

Every Friday, 1 to 2:30 pm

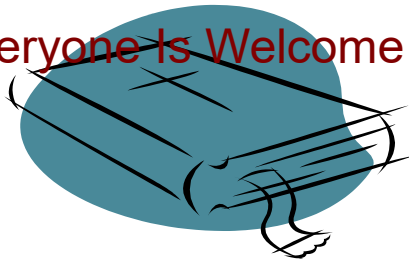
Wednesday's In the Word

Please Join together in Fellowship at 6:30 every Wednesday Evening for a time of Prayer

Followed by an hour in the Word

505 8th Street

Everyone Is Welcome



Happy Labor Day, Monday Sept 2,



The Journey of Life and Gift of Music

Join us every Thursday @ 7 in the New Hope Centre Resource Room for Inspirational, spiritual, gospel music for



Giving Hope Today

Contact Info

Majors/Pastors

Robin or Yvonne Borrowes

505 8th St, Nanaimo BC

250 753 8834

The Salvation Army Nanaimo Community Ministries; Serves between 9,000 and 10,000 meals every month out of the Community Ministries Building (Old church) at 19 Nicol Street. This service is for building residents and any community members. We charge a nominal fee, however free meal tickets are available from Community Ministries, second floor, above the dining room or by volunteering, or even from community members who have purchased tickets. We receive approximately \$40,000 a year in food from Loaves and Fishes. It costs us \$250,000 per year.

Everyone is welcome but occasionally we will ask a guest to leave because of their behavior, their meal will be packed in to go containers for them. We do our best to ensure that those who are most needing the help are fed.

How Can You Help?

Shop In our Thrift Stores

Purchase Meal Tickets

Make a Donation

Volunteer

“Volunteers don’t get paid, not because they’re worthless, but because they’re priceless.” Sherry Anderson

Check out our website:
www.nanaimosa.ca

Back To School Funnies

What’s the point of studying for finals if they are not final? We are coming back to school next year.

The summer holiday was over and young Jack returned to school. Only two days later his teacher phoned his mother to tell her that Jack was misbehaving. “Wait a minute, the mother said, I had Jack with me for six weeks and I never called you once when he misbehaved.

Teacher: John, why are you doing your math multiplication on the floor?

John: You told me to do it without using tables.

Little Nathan comes home from his first day of school and his mother asks, “What did you learn today” he replies, “not enough, I have to go back tomorrow.”

Mom: How did find school today?

Son: I simply hopped off the bus and there it was.

Child: I think we need a new teacher.

Mom; Why is that?

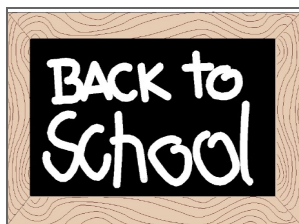
Child: Our teacher doesn't know anything, she keeps asking us for the answers.

Q: What flies around the kindergarten room at night?

A. The alpha-BAT

Q. Why did the student bring scissors to class?

A. He wanted to cut class.



New Hope Center Services Available

Showers 8 to 10 Mon. through Fri.

8–3 Sat. and Sun.

Laundry Machines, by app. Sat. and Sun. \$1 per load, with a 2 load maximum

AA Meeting: Mon. 7pm, In the Dining Room

Journey of Life and Gospel Music: Thurs. 7 pm

Daily Lunch and Dinner (tickets required)

Sheltering and Referral Services

Client Support Services – through PDP

Family and Community Services

Foot Care: (Sept. 13 and 20, by appointment)

Barber Services: (Sept 9 and 23)

Hairdresser: Sept 3, (9 am to noon)

Resume Writing: Sept 25 and 26

Eye Clinic: Sept 7

Naloxone Training – Watch for Posting

Pet Food/Personal Care Items/Meal Tickets

Housing, Tenant, and Addictions Support: (by appointment or limited drop In)

Chaplaincy Support: (by appointment) or limited Drop In)

Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction Outreach Workers every Wed. 9, to 3 , except Cheque day



Salvation Army Community Ministries

And

Salvation Army Church Nanaimo



**THE SALVATION ARMY,
COMMUNITY MINISTRIES**

505 8TH STREET

Fall Fair

Sunday, September 15

1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

FREE

**Food, Games, Music
and Fun**



Our Vision:

To be a mission driven body of believers who through relevant Bible and practical teaching will minister to the spiritual, emotional, physical and psychological person

To be a safe environment where people are encouraged to grow in relationship with God, each other and those outside the church

To be a healthy functioning body of believers in the areas of evangelism, discipleship, service, fellowship and worship

Our Mission

To exalt God

To encourage Christians to live Holy Spirit filled lives

To equip Christians for ministry

To share the love of God by meeting the physical, emotional and spiritual needs of those in the community and thereby lead them into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS

In a Thrift Store

To Sort, Tidy, Display, Post

At Community Services

To, Help in the Kitchen, Serve in the Dining Room, Visit in the Resource Room, Organization Donations, Provide a service to those in need, lead a group or teach a workshop

At the Church

Assist with Social Media

Children's Programming,

Fundraising Projects that support our many Social Service Programs

Come Celebrate

Every

Sunday, 10 am

505 8th Street

The Salvation Army
Community Church



**Youth and Kids at The
Salvation Army**

Club Melody

Ages 6 through 12

Thursdays 6 to 7 pm

Creative Kids

Ages 6 through 12

Tuesdays 3:30 – 4:30

Open Gym

Ages 6 through 12

Wednesdays 3:30 – 4:30

Hockey

Ages 12 to 18

Thursdays 3 to 5

Circle Time Friends

Toddlers with adult

Friday 11:30 – 12:30

505 8th St.

The Salvation Army

250 753 8834 (409)

Church
505 8th St
250 753 8834

- ◆ 10 am Sunday
Worship
- ◆ Prayer and Bible
Wed. 6:30 pm
- ◆ Youth Activity
Street Hockey-
Thur. 3:30 pm
Club Melody
Thur. 6 pm and
much more
- ◆ Loaves & Fishes
Depot, Fri's 1
pm
- ◆ Wholyfit, Mon-
day 7 pm

Thrift Stores

- 1613 Bowen Road:
250 754 9340
- 205 6750 N. Isl. Hwy
250 390 1881
- 14 4128 Mostar
250 585 8505
- Pick Up Line:
250 754 9342

New Hope Center 19 Nicol St

- * Emergency Shelter
- * Community Ministries
- * Meal Program
- * Laundry and Showers
- * Housing Programs and
supports
- * Community Residential
Facility (CRF)
- * Chaplain

The Salvation Army, Nanaimo Ministries



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*"From heaven the Lord looks down and sees all
mankind." Psalm 33:13*

When was the last time you played hide and seek? It's pretty cool when you have found the perfect hiding place and you don't get caught.

There's a story in the bible about a man named Jonah who thought he could hide from God. God had given Jonah a job to do but Jonah really didn't want to do it, so he ran away, tried to hide. You cannot hide from God, God knew exactly where Jonah was and He arranged for Jonah to be swallowed by a very large fish. No fun there. God eventually had Jonah spit up by the fish but not until Jonah understood that hiding from God was pointless. God sees all and knows all. We might as well be open and honest, for it is what God sees that is important and God sees everything.

You know those promises you made to God even when you didn't really know Him. (I promise to.....if you get me out of this mess.) Did you keep that promise? Not many people do. But God is patient and He is waiting on you to follow through with your promise to Him. He knows where you are and He knows what you are doing, so if you are thinking 'yup, I'll get to it tomorrow, or I'll think about it when I get my life together or, really God!' I would hate to see you swallowed by a big fish or worse.

So may I suggest that you just stop trying to hide from God, he will always find you. Keep the promises you make to God. Do that one thing you've been avoiding that keeps popping up and make things right between you and God before you run out of time. God is patient but you only have so much time on this earth and unfortunately nobody really knows just how much time they have.

In the game of hide and seek, God will always win.

