

DECEMBER 2010 NEWSLETTER



NOVEMBER IN REVIEW

On Nov 21st, we celebrated our 6th **Birthday!** It's been an amazing six years! We are so thankful for all those who have made the Tapestry their church community and have blessed us all with their presence, hospitality, and gifts. To celebrate, we had a fun joyous 6th birthday Sunday Service as we watched our newest baptismal video (<http://www.youtube.com/user/thetapestry>) and played some Tap history trivia! After the service, we had a "Taste of the Tap" as people brought an appetizer or tapas from their ethnic background. We had a great time tasting great food, listening to live music (thanks Matt on the violin and Joanna, Bradley on the cello), and sharing stories with each other! We can't wait to celebrate birthday number seven!

On Nov. 28th, we held our **annual general meeting** and the elders for 2011 were affirmed. The Executive Board for next year will consist of Jason Jang (Chair), Timothy Yeung, Gerben Beeksma, Derek Yih, Amie Wiebe, Dave Tsui, Roberto Lim, and Pastor Albert. We thank them for their willingness to serve the church in this important role. We pray that God will use their gifts and discernment as they provide leadership to the Tap.

WHATS ON TAP? (December will be a super busy month so mark the following dates down!)

1. **Tap Family Skate** (4:30 – 6:00 pm on Sat. Dec. 11th @ Minoru Rinks) – Join us for a family skate. Skate rentals will be available. Invite your family and friends to join the fun! Admission is by donation.
2. **REVERE 3.0** (7:00 pm on Sat. Dec. 11th @ the Tap) - Revere presents Christian recording artist *Future of Forestry* in concert at the Tap. Tickets can still be bought at the church office or at the door. For more info, check out www.revere.thetapestry.ca
3. **Pancakes Breakfast** (8:30 am on Sun Dec. 12th @ the Tap) – Join us for our annual pancake Christmas breakfast! All donations will go to the Tapestry Christmas fund.
4. **Christmas Sunday Service** (10:00 am on Sun. Dec. 19th @ the Tap) - Join us for a special family Christmas service. All the children in our church will be performing, the new adult choir will be singing, and there will also be some dramatic narrative as we celebrate the birth of Jesus.
5. **Christmas Eve Service** (5:00 pm on Fri. Dec 24th @ the Tap) – Join us for our candle-lit Christmas Eve service. Our adult choir and some special musicians will lead us through a reflective night service.
6. **Read the OT in a Year** – The devotional blog is back! Follow Pastor Al on the Tapestry.ca blog as we read through the Old Testament together as a community. It starts Jan. 1, 2011, so follow along, blog your comments and questions, and begin this year-long journey through God's Story.

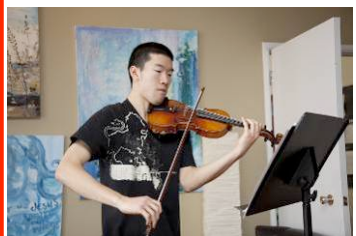
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Church picture!



Cupcake mural!



Live music during the Taste of the Tap!

