

MAY IN REVIEW

May began with a special Mother's day tea on May 10th. The weather was fantastic as we gathered outside on the church front lawn for some tea, biscuits, a pavlova (Russian meringue dessert) decorating contest, and a mother's day "Walk-off" as some soon-to-be Dads strutted their stuff on the Tap lawn catwalk! You had to be there (although the picture below is worth a thousand words!)

In May, we also held another of our **Service Sundays** – a Sunday were we gather together not only for a worship service, but to worship God through acts of service. A number of people helped out at one of the Richmond Bethesda care homes, while others helped to paint the stairs of Covenant Court (the Seniors Housing across the parking lot). On this Service Sunday, we also held our very first (soon to be an annual event) Tapestry FREE 4 All! People from the community were invited to come to a FREE Tapestry garage Sale and BBQ! There were books, clothes, toys, art, furniture, electronics, etc. – All for FREE! Donations were welcome, with all the proceeds going to Chimo Crisis Services (www.chimocrisis.com) and Pedalers for Prostate (www.pedalersforprostate.ca). It was a great time had by all! Hope to see you next year!

WHATS ON TAP?

- 1. BAPTISMAL SUNDAY** – Our annual Baptismal Sunday will be held on **June 28th**, 2009. Join us for a time of worship and sharing at the Tap at 10:00 a.m. and then for the Baptismal service and picnic at Garry Point Park. Five adults, and one child will be baptized this year! Check out the recently produced video from last year's baptism on our website!
- 2. SUMMER RETREAT** – Our summer retreat will take place on **July 10-12th** at the Firs Campground in Bellingham, WA. The theme is "THIRSTY? The Fermentation of Friendship in Community" and Denise Caldwell, a clinical counselor, we be leading the sessions. Sign up soon as space is limited!
- 3. SUMMER KID'S CAMP** - Our Vacation Bible School runs **July 20-24th**, 2009. The theme this year is SonRock! The registration form can be found on our website.

To find out what else is going on at the Tap, bookmark our website or just drop in for a latte.

See you @ the tap!



Free 4 All banner!



Free books!



Free Hotdogs!



Free furniture!



Helping Sam ride across the country!



Mother's Day "Walk-off!"

