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Psalm 119:171-172

My lips will pour forth praise, for you teach me your statutes. My tongue will sing of your word, for all your commandments are right.

Summer Trivia

Summer solstice marks the longest day of the year in the northern hemisphere and occurs on June 20th or 21st.

Fireworks originated in China, possibly as early as the 2nd century B.C.

It takes 90 days for a watermelon to grow with 92 % of it being water.

Canada has the most coastline in the world.

The Grand Canyon is the most visited National Park in the U.S.

The first modern Summer Olympic games were held in 1896 in Athens, Greece.



Redemption Bible Chapel Women's Ministry



Hello summer!

Summer is not too far away! The warmer weather has taken its time showing up this year, but hopefully sunnier days are here to stay for a while.

As I reflect on this past ministry year, it is with a thankful heart. We just held our annual Radiant Conference on June 6-7 with over 300 women in attendance. What an exciting weekend! As well, between September and May, over 200 women gathered on Tuesdays to study the book of Esther, Psalm 23, and the book of Philippians. While together, we also memorized scripture, prayed for one another, and encouraged each other throughout the ups and down of life. I'm so thankful for faithfulness of our leaders, as well as each woman who committed to come, rain, shine or snow!

Although we offer larger women's events throughout the year, Tuesday Bible Study is really the core of our Women's Ministry at Redemption. It is where discipleship happens through both biblical teaching and relationships. If you are not yet a part of our Tuesday Bible Study, I would encourage you to make plans to join us again in the fall!

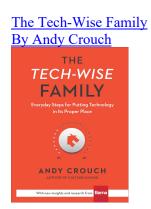
Although the summer means a little less activity around the church, there are many ways that we can continue to grow in our love of God's Word and our fellowship with one another. Here are just a few ways we can be more intentional about how we spend our summer months:

- Join an online Bible study. (Visit Lifeway or Esther Press to join up.)
- Follow a Bible reading plan. (She Reads Truth offers shorter plans.)
- Read through and discuss a book with a friend. Even better, run a book club of your own!
- Think of someone you want to get to know and invite them for a coffee. (<u>This</u> is my favourite coffee shop!)
- Explore the hiking trails with family or friends. (Here's a <u>guide</u> to trails in London.)
- Be sure to attend the events going on at Redemption in June, July and August! (They're all listed <u>here</u>!)

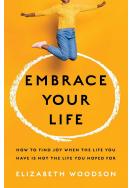
May summer 2025 be one of rest and relationships as we enjoy the good gifts that God has so graciously given us!

Línda Seabrook, Dírector of Women's Mínístry

Resource Recommendations:



Embrace Your Life By Elizabeth Woodson



Starting Place Podcast With Elizabeth Woodson



What's happening in Women's Ministry this summer?



Join us for a couple of coffee mornings at the church. This is a great time to connect with friends, as well as meet some new women. Dates: July 8th and August 5th Time: 9:30 – 11 am Childcare provided.

It's a "Fun Night Out!" Don't miss this evening of fun and fellowship. Hope to see you there! Date: Thursday, July 24th Time: 7-8:30 pm





Does the word "book" excite you? How about "café" or "road trip?" Make plans now to be part of our road trip to Reformed Book Services in Brantford! Enjoy an evening of book browsing, as well as coffee and treats in their café.

Date: Thursday, August 14th Time: Leaving the church at 6 pm (More details regarding carpooling will follow in an email to registrants.)

> Details and registration for our summer events: https://www.rbclondon.ca/women/

"And so with the sunshine and the great bursts of leaves growing on the trees, just as things grow in fast movies, I had that familiar conviction that life was beginning over again with the summer." (F. Scott Fitgerald)



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