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We take our coffee seriously. That's why we've got ethically sourced and fairly traded coffee available. Help yourself to it at any time. Our treat.

Coffee & Connection Time is what we call the 10-minute break during our gathering. We do this so adults can refill their coffee and kids can get to their classrooms. Our nursery is available at any time during the gathering for babies 24 months and younger. For information about Kids at the Ridge (age 3-grade 5), please visit the Welcome Centre.

f you're a student in grades 6-12, check out The Source, which happens the first and last Sunday of each month. Learn about the details at the Welcome Centre.

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We'd love for you to fill out a Welcome Card at the Welcome Centre. This will help us respond to any questions you might have. Don't worry, we won't bother you with annoying phone calls or spam mail. Promise.

You might also want to visit our website (jerichoridge.com), become a fan of our facebook page, or follow us on Twitter (@ierichoridge).

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#### Crock-Pot Potluck Today!

Please stay after our worship gathering today for our crock-pot potluck. We have a variety of crock-pot dishes, buns, drinks, and desserts to feed everyone (and if we're short on food, be on the lookout for a young boy with 5 loaves and 2 fish). When dismissed, please sign your child out of their children's program or help our facilities team set up tables in the central area.

#### Sign up for Coffee Garage

Halloween gives most people the best chance of the year to interact with their neighbours, which is why we invite you to host a "Coffee Garage" at your home on October 31. The Idea: transform your garage, porch, or front yard into a mini coffeehouse where you can serve trick-or-treaters with more than just candy. Sign up at the Welcome Centre and make sure to tell us which items you'd like us to supply you with (i.e. invitation cards, cups, etc).

#### New Momentum Journals

Momentum Journals are available today for our new teaching series on prayer. Please take a journal home with you today and follow the reading plan and prayer calendar throughout the series. Journals are free of charge, but if you'd like to make a contribution to help with our printing costs, you can do this at the Welcome Centre.

#### Post-Secondary Luncheon - Oct 30

Ralph & Margaret Terpstra will be hosting a home-cooked lunch for all of our post-secondary students on Sunday, Oct 30. Their cookin is "mmm, mmm good" so don't miss your chance to fill up! Please sign up at the Welcome Centre (we'll post directions to their home on the 30<sup>th</sup>).



#### Men's Gym Night - This Week

Wednesday is Men's Gym Night! We're meeting at the Denim clubhouse (7179 201 St) on Oct 19 from 7-9 pm for an evening of indoor court games and board games. Athletes, strategians, coffee drinkers, and the like are all invited (that means everyone!). To get to Denim, travel east on 200 St and turn right into the complex (just past the 72 Ave intersection). You'll see parking spots and the clubhouse on your right.

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#### Ministry Leaders' Huddle – Tonight!

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#### The Repurposing Project

Got any kids toys you don't need anymore? What about lumber? Please consider giving the following items to our children's program: blocks, hot wheels, Lego, plywood (about 4'to use for display), and corkboard. Ask Ruth Ellen for more details. (After a list like this there should be lots of questions!)

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