

Nobleford Christian Reformed Church

newsletter ~ April 4, 2025

Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre



The Lethbridge Pregnancy Care Centre is a local Christian agency offering compassionate support and education for the women and men facing unintended pregnancy, counsel for pregnancy related losses, and programs encouraging healthy sexual choices.

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your kind and generous support. Our team at the Centre has been busier than ever with the increasing demands for support. **In just the first 2 Months of 2025 we had 51 new clients come to the Centre.** Because of your partnership we were able to provide these clients with a safe place to talk and process their circumstances. They were provided with information on resources and supports available to them, equipping them to move forward with all the information at their fingertips.

One client sent us a little note after her visit saying, **"I felt that, for once, someone is here for me."** Many of our clients feel alone in their unexpected pregnancy, learning that someone is there for them and truly cares about them can make all the difference!

Your support ensures someone is **here for them!**

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "D. Koop".

Danielle Koop
Executive Director

**names and some details have been changed to protect our clients' identities*

Dear Nobleford CRC,

This past Friday, two powerful earthquakes devastated central Myanmar, with tremors felt in neighbouring countries. As of this morning, the death toll has risen to more than 2,600 people and injury reports continue to climb. We grieve with those whose lives have been devastated by this disaster.



Along with our staff and partners, I am currently on the ground in northern Thailand and have seen and heard the impacts of these earthquakes beyond the borders of Myanmar. I want to pass along a short video update about the current situation and World Renew's upcoming response.

In the coming days, we will share more information about how you can support vulnerable families affected by the ripple effects of this earthquake. For now, we ask that you join us in prayer for this region of Asia.

Please continue to pray:

- For God's comfort for the families of those who lost loved ones to this disaster.
- For guidance for rescue crews working to find missing people.
- For God's provision for the people of Myanmar who were already struggling with the effects of conflict in their country.

Please keep an eye on your inbox this week as we hope to share more details about how you can respond in mercy and compassion to this disaster.

**In Christ's hope,
Garry Mayhew**

Head of Emergency and Humanitarian Affairs, World Renew

PS: As more information about our response becomes available, we will update our website at worldrenew.ca/earthquake.



ATTENTION Grade 12 and College/University Students!

Lethbridge & District Pro-Life Association's 2025 Scholarships have been published!

Two Elsie Alexander Pro-Life Scholarships (essay and work/volunteer) are available for Grade 12 students, and

Two scholarships are available for Post-Secondary students - a Laura Winters Stegen Essay Scholarship and a Henry Vandenberg Pro-Life Work/Volunteer Scholarship.

Students living in the Lethbridge and District Pro-Life Association area who have proven leadership in encouraging respect for all human life, can apply. See scholarship applications for other details. Scholarships are due May 15, 2025

Scholarship application forms can be downloaded from our website:

<https://www.lifelethbridge.org/scholarships>

Please pass on to students who may be eligible.

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Butterflies Tea

in support of Streets Alive Mission's
Genesis Women's Ministry

Saturday, May 31st, 25

Join us for an inspiring Ladies' Afternoon Tea supporting women's recovery. Enjoy refreshments, uplifting speakers, our women-run marketplace, and more.

Aspen Ballroom

Sandman Signature Lethbridge Lodge

320 Scenic Drive S

Doors open at 1:30pm

Tea served at 2:00pm

Mother's Day Special
\$35/ticket until May 11th

After May 11th, \$50 each

For tickets and information
go to StreetsAlive.ca or
call Ally at 403-942-5647

