



# Harvest Bible Chapel York Region

2008 Annual Report

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# Introduction

- My All for His Glory, Rev 4:11 is the theme for Harvest Bible Chapel York Region in 2009.
- We have seen God's blessing and His workings in the most unusual but not surprising way. After all He is God.
- Harvest Bible Chapel York Region or Markham as it was known, began in the Spring of 2005. A small group of believers waited on the Lord to see what He would do through them. The seeds were sown for a new church plant.
- Centennial Community Baptist Church began in 1967. They had been meeting on what was once the wide open space of Markham. Markham has grown and changed tremendously over these years and Centennial was in the middle of this - new homes, new highways and a new community.
- On June 15, 2008, the members of Centennial Community Baptist Church voted overwhelmingly in favour of becoming part of Harvest Bible Chapel York Region. God's glory was shown in this amazing act of unity as two churches joined together to become - Harvest Bible Chapel York Region.
- We are thrilled today to see what God is doing. New converts to the faith, numerous baptisms, lives being changed for His Kingdom; the Four Pillars lived out.
- Christians are being discipled, taught in God's Word, and challenged to Worship, Walk and Work for Christ.

# Ministry Highlights

- Church attendance
  - June 2008 at convergence 120
  - Current Average Attendance 220
- # of Small groups 9
  - Small group attendance 111
- Other Ministries:
  - Awana
  - Higher Ground
  - Young Adults
  - Women's Ministry
  - Worship
  - ESL
  - Senior High and Jr High
  - Men's Ministry
  - Prayer
  - VBS

# 2008 Financial Highlights

• Assets	\$2,739,171
• Payables due (short term)	\$53,432
• Equity	\$2,685,739
• Debt	0
• Income	\$442,378
• Expenses	\$444,404
• Capital improvements	\$74,447

## Comments:

- Income and expenses nearly matching for a balanced budget.
- Capital expenditures for roof repairs and parking lot improvements increased asset value.
- Financial figures represent Full Year CCBC and 6 months HBCYR.
- Prior to June/08 HBCYR financial reporting is part of HBC Oakville.