

Our LPD: "By God's grace, we are committed to encourage and resource our growing family of churches to reflect Jesus Christ."

March 28, 2014

Good Friday morning friends , *Thanks for joining me for five minutes to update you on items of prayer and praise for our Lower Pacific District family.*

Trinity Western Seminary and Trinity Western University news



John Auxier

Last night, I participated in the ACTS Future Works meetings with representatives and leaders of a number of denominations. It was good to be together, and to consider how ACTS and our seminary, TWS can be effective in preparing leaders for both today and for the future. Please pray for **John Auxier**, who directs the Marriage and Family Therapy program at ACTS/TWS, and is a strong advocate for the EFCC on our behalf. Pray also for TWU/TWS President, **Bob Kuhn**, as he serves in revitalizing the ministry of TWS and ACTS, and as TWU seeks the Lord guidance and intervention in their application to start a school of law. For information and prayer requests, please follow this link to the TWU News site:

<http://www.twu.ca/academics/school-of-law/news/2014/default.html>



Bob Kuhn

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

- **May 3-7—E4H (Equip For Harvest)** training for church leaders, boards and those wanting to know more about church planting—(please see attached brochure for details).
- **May 3 A Workshop for church leaders.** In conjunction with E4H, this one day workshop for church leaders and boards will introduce and provide tools for church vision, health and planting, and will equip your church leadership to better consider how God might be leading your church forward. (please see brochure attached).
- **May 28—LPD Pastor and Staff Cruise.** Plan to join us for this day of learning together, praying together and encouraging one another as pastors and staff, as we ply the waters of Georgia Straight on our cruise ship, the *Coastal Renaissance*.



Please pray for:

- ♦ **Matthieu and Mary Howard and family**, as they grieve the passing of their little baby girl, Belle Grace Robin Howard, who at age 4 days, went to be with The Lord on Monday, March 10th, and Matthieu led a memorial service on Sunday, March 23.
- ♦ **Randy and Allana Lemke** of Abby Free, as they prepare to return from their three month sabbatical.
- ♦ **Pastor/staff searches** at Fort Langley EFC. Langley EFC and in several Chinese churches.

Thanks for your partnership! [Your partnership and that of your church is both appreciated and needed.](http://www.lpd-efcc.ca/) Please see our LPD website at <http://www.lpd-efcc.ca/> for more info.

May God bless and keep you through this weekend!

In Jesus,

Rob and Karen

*Have you checked out the **LPD on Facebook?** We invite you to become a friend. Just click on the icon, and watch for updates!*

