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important 2009 dates

- Aug 27** Travel to Sackville, NB
- Sep 19** Travel to Owen Sound, ON
- Sep 20** At South End Baptist Church, Owen Sound, ON
- Sep 21-25** Worldview Rethink Seminar, ON
- Sep 27** At Springvale Baptist Church, Stouffville, ON
- Sep 28** Travel home
- Oct 27** Troy travels to Sackville, NB
- Oct 29-31** Worldview Rethink Seminar, NB
- Nov 1** At Main Street Baptist Church, Sackville, NB
- Nov 2** Troy travels home

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Dear Friends: We just want to give you a quick overview of the happenings in our lives...

at the office Troy has been doing a great deal of video work and editing. You can see some of his projects on the GoodSeed website—www.goodseed.com. It has been so encouraging hearing an array of people share how various GoodSeed products have had a direct impact in their lives and ministries. We encourage you to take a look. He's also been creating videos for several other products GoodSeed is working on, including a kid's Bible club and a new evangelism training program called Worldview Rethink. Naomi has taken back on the responsibility of GoodSeed Social Coordinator, as well as assisting with proofreading.

at home Troy's been spending much of his spare time developing his photography skills. Practice makes perfect they say and he's been practicing a lot! Take a look at our website to see amazing photos. Plus there are a few photos of our children! Naomi is very busy with the kids. She does a little bit of homeschooling with Ellie a couple days a week, is working to get Adelaine potty trained and does strength training by carrying 23lb Ethan around in her arms (he's only 8 months!)

heading east We will be in the Maritimes and Ontario from August 27 to September 28. We'd love to visit with as many of you as possible. Email or call us if you want to get together or have one of us speak at a meeting. Our time will fill in fast. See the timeline at the left for more details.

new vehicle In the fall of 2008, we asked you to pray for a new vehicle for us. Little did we know (or apparently, anyone else) that the world economy was about to collapse. The Lord did know and answered those prayers by providing us with a great vehicle anyway. Troy's mom drove her old car from New Brunswick (4700km or 2930m!) with the help of Troy's sister, Stacy and her fiancée, Mike. She sold us the car for the cost of the last eight payments she had left on it. It was an amazing deal for us and such a blessing. Just in time, too, as our 12-year old van is on its last legs.

evangelism training seminars Troy will be helping teach in Owen Sound, ON from September 21-25 and in Sackville, NB from October 29-31. We would love to see you there! For information, contact us or visit www.goodseed.com.

we'd appreciate your prayers

- ① We're looking forward to being involved in Bible studies with folks in this area. Please pray for opportunities to reach out to our neighbours this way.
- ② Wisdom as we teach our children.
- ③ Growth in our personal walks with the Lord; growth in our marriage; growth in our relationships with our children.
- ④ Continued provision for our needs. We currently have 35 partnering individuals and churches out of our target of 60. Please pray for 25 more partners in ministry. Visit www.oneinsixty.com for details.



praise God for

- ① Provision of a reliable vehicle.
- ② The tenderness we see in our children's hearts toward the Lord.
- ③ Visits from Troy's family—very special.
- ④ Provision of airmiles for our trip east.
- ⑤ The numerous testimonies we hear of how people have been impacted through the ministry of GoodSeed.

troy & naomi, ellie, adelaine & ethan

Our Life in Pictures

Troy edits together the footage for the Worldview Rethink program.



Troy teaches an evangelism seminar.



Ellie sporting her butterfly face.



Adelaine loves her balloons.



Sweet and silly sisters at Easter.



Ethan is so smiley and such a BIG BOY.



Troy's mom officially handing over her Honda CR-V to us.



Our family!

Visiting Banff with Auntie Alana.



Naomi's Grandma and Grandpa Ratcliff went home to Heaven within 4 weeks of each other this summer. This was their 69th year of marriage! We are so thankful for their godly lives and legacy.

Storytime with Auntie Stace.



Ethan contemplates a career as a linebacker.

