

# YORK-SCARBOROUGH NEWS

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## The Crossover—Welcome Back Rebecca (and Ruby)!



It's been eleven months since the youth coordinator of York-Scarborough, Rebecca Widdicombe handed over her responsibilities to interim youth coordinator, Robert Robinson. Since April 2013 Robert has tried to keep the York-Scarborough area connected through communication additions such as the **York-Scarborough News** and the **York Scar** facebook profile. The area has had positive improvements and everyone is excited to introduce the plans and successes to

Rebecca. Fresh off maternity-leave we asked Rebecca how she plans to get reconnected to her area since taking leave almost one year ago. "I look forward to planning the deanery meetings, gathering ideas for some awesome youth events," says Rebecca, "and especially meeting in person with as many of you as possible. See you soon!"

## Youth Leadership—Formation Day

On February 22nd, twenty seven leaders from York-Scarborough and Trent-Durham gathered at the Church of St. Andrew in Scarborough to engage in workshops discussing *Bridging the Gaps of our Faith* and *Spiritual Formation for this Generation!*



But if you missed it, there is another opportunity to be a part of some great youth leadership training. On April 5th at St. Matthews Anglican Church in Etobicoke, York-Simcoe and York-Credit Valley hosts Formation Day—A look at Youth and Mental Health with guest speaker Jenn Scuse. **More information can be found in the attached flyer.**

## Upcoming Event—Mark Your Calendars

**Greater Toronto East Prayer Breakfast 2014** on **March 4th** from 7:00am—9:00am at the Brighton Convention and Event Centre. Visit their facebook page—the link is in the email.

York-Scarborough invites you to a **N.O.W. Event**. The NIGHT OF WORSHIP event will take place on **Friday, March 21st at 7pm** at St. Paul's Bloor Street. All youth groups and friends are invited. **See the attached flyer for more information.**

Archbishop's Youth Ministry Team (AYMT) Events: (flyers attached)

- ◆ SPARK: May 30—June 1 in Orangeville
- ◆ Fall Youth Retreat: October 3—5 (SAVE THE DATE)

**JOIN THE TORONTO FLASH MOB:**

**Now on April 26, 2014 in Downtown Toronto**

Rehearsal information and other updates can be found on the official website. Visit [torontoflashmob.com](http://torontoflashmob.com) for more details.



## In Perspective—You are the Solution

At times in our lives our world seems so dark and lonely—as if no one is there or no one understands us. But I recently realized that there are people all around, watching, and examining our every move and even following us. It is because we are the light of the world and others are looking to us for guidance and understanding. In darkness, the only solution is light and all of us who are children of God are the children of light—you are the solution.

(Matthew 5:13-14)

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