



Closing Service for Honpa Buddhist Temple

On September 21, 2008 we observed the closing service of Lethbridge Honpa Buddhist Temple. It was an emotional service. Members gathered together in the Hondo with many fond memories, memories of happiness and sadness, with laughter and tears for their temple. It was a day to say goodbye to the temple. However, it was also a day for new beginnings with fresh thoughts for our new temple. The closing service symbolized a new start for our new temple, Buddhist Temple of Southern Alberta, which is half completed. It was the moment of "Goodbye to the past and Hello to the future".

On this day, we expressed our respects and tributes to those who worked so hard to maintain the temple organization and kept the torch of the Dharma held high and wide for us for 40 long years. I remember one of Bodhisattva's aspirations: I will protect the true teaching, even at the sacrifice of my own body, my own property and my own life. This is what

our predecessors, our friends of the Dharma, did. We must follow them.



In Japanese we have an expression, "Hattenteki-Kaisho (発展的解消)" meaning "to dissolve the form in order that a better organization may be formed".

The word "dissolution" may sound negative and make us sad, inactive and unhappy but it becomes very positive when we use the word "dissolution" as the stepping stone for the stronger organization, better Sangha. That is what we are expecting. That is what we are anticipating. We know that a single pillar is much stronger than the thousand straws. Together in harmony we can accomplish it.

Using the new temple we, each one of us, must deepen our understanding and appreciation of the Dharma. A historical Buddha, Sakyamuni (or Gautama) said, "Of organizations, there are three kinds. First, there are those that are organized on the basis of the power, wealth or authority of leaders. Second, there are those that are organized because of its convenience to the members, which will continue to exist as long as the members satisfy their conveniences and do not quarrel. Third, there are those that are organized with some good teaching as its center and harmony as its very life." Of course, the third is the only true organization, for in it the members live in one spirit, Amida's Great Compassion, from which our gratitude and joy will arise. I am sure that our new temple will truly become our spiritual home – a joyous, harmonious and lively home where we are nurtured by the Dharma and our activities are based on the Dharma which is the solid foundation and the center of our everyday lives.

*Namo Amida Butsu
Yasuo Izumi, Minister-Kaikyoshi
Buddhist Temple of Southern Alberta*

「心あらたに」

本年6月8日のレスブリッジ仏教会の閉鎖に続いて、この度(9月21日)本派仏教会が閉鎖されました。それに当たり、法要が勤められ、法のともし火を護ってこられた先人の方々を偲び、深く感謝の意を表わしました。閉鎖という言葉は、何か否定的、消極的な言葉ですが、それによって、新しい会堂が建立されるのです。数ヶ月もすると2エーカーの土地に堂々としたお寺が建ちます。南アルバータ仏教の新しい始まりです。多くの方々のご懇志のお陰で、聞法の間としてのお寺が継続されていくのです。

法が私たちの種々の活動の基礎です。法(真実のみ教え)は仏様の智慧、慈悲と現れ、南無阿彌陀仏の呼び声となって、日々の生活の中で躍動するのです。私たちを常に真実世界へと目覚めしめるのです。「泣いた、笑った、損した、得した、負けた、勝った」は「目覚め」への過程にすぎないものです。それはあたかも、大海に生まれ消えていく、はかない泡のようなものであったのです。聞法を通して、いよいよ限りなく大きく、広い海のような仏様の世界に心を寄せさせていただきましょ。仏様の深い願いに気づかせていただきましょ。合掌。泉

Sarana Affirmation (帰依式) Information

November 9, 2008

Calgary Buddhist Temple

Call Rev. Izumi for the details.

Participants will receive a Buddhist Name (法名) and Onenju.

Cost: \$30 (Honorarium to the J.S. Buddhist Temple of Canada)

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BTSA President's Notebook

Thanks to everyone who attended the closing service of the Lethbridge Honpa Buddhist Temple. We had good attendance for a day that was in some respects sad and in other respects hopeful. We are grateful to all those who worked so hard from 1966 through 2007 to make Honpa a part of Jodo Shinshu history. Their progressive ideas had an impact in Canada and throughout the Jodo Shinshu world.

A booklet has been prepared that summarizes the history of Honpa. The text for this was primarily taken from previously prepared histories and scattered with photographs. Thanks for this to Robert Hironaka. In preparing the lists of ministers, presidents, and those who have passed on I want to thank, in particular, Mrs.

on letting go. She chose the Beatle song, Hello Goodbye, as the theme for her message. So while we say goodbye to the Honpa building at the end of September, we look forward to saying hello to the new BTSA temple. Also, many thanks to Dr. Roland and Mrs. Brenda Ikuta and the Dharma youth for preparing the delicious curry lunch.



Toshiko Tanaka for her support, encouragement and editing skills. A copy of this booklet can be obtained from Copy Express at 2037 Mayor Magrath Drive for about \$30.

Still with the closing service, thanks are extended to Mrs. Lorita Ichikawa for a talk

the call of duty. With their help we were able to complete the task a couple of days ahead of schedule.

Many of you will be wondering about the fate of the Honpa building. While not official, there is some support for the rumour that



the building will become a day-care. I'm sure that the many good times we have had over the years will create a spiritual sense of

well-being that will benefit a future generation of Canadians.

The BTSA services from now until opening of the new temple will be held in cooperation with the Coaldale Buddhist Church. Please attend whenever you are able. If you do have an opportunity to attend a service at Coaldale you will notice that they have kindly agreed to store our piano. We thank Coaldale very much of accommodating us in this way.

—David Major

Jodo Shinshu Day

Autumn has come and during the month of October we Jodo Shinshu followers in Canada once again hold our annual Jodo Shinshu Day service (previously known as BCC Day). This service is held to commemorate the founding of Jodo Shinshu in Canada. Socho Fujikawa mentions, in his update report, about Jodo Shinshu starting in Canada 105 years ago with the coming of Senju Sasaki Sensei to Vancouver.

The dana / konshi collected at this service will be most gratefully received by the Jodo Shinshu Buddhist Temples of Canada to help with the many expenses that are incurred to operate our national organization.

Please note that the JSBTC will not be printing new "konshi / dana" envelopes for this service. Please use the old BCC Day envelopes or provide your own addressed to the JSBTC.

Let us promote and propagate this wonderful teaching of Shinran Shonin, Jodo Shinshu.

*Namo Amida Butsu
Kunihiko Ikuta*

30th Annual ABC: Plan to Attend

BTSA members are encouraged to attend the 30th annual ABC in Calgary on Nov. 7, 8 and 9. The Calgary Buddhist Temple, this year's host, has invited Rev. Jerry Hirano of the Salt Lake City Buddhist Temple as guest speaker.

A Saturday banquet is scheduled to honor Rev. S.K. Ikuta on his retirement.

Please refer to the registration sheet enclosed with this Hikari. BTSA has decided to reimburse half the amount of the registration fee of \$60 to members who attend the

conference. Robert Hironaka (403-329-3418) and Akira Ichikawa (403-327-1668) will help coordinate travel plans for those attending from southern Alberta. The current plan is to charter a bus or vans if there is interest, but those interested should let either know no later than Oct. 15.

We apologize for the lateness of this announcement since Oct. 7 is the deadline for receiving the group rate at the Delta Calgary South hotel. Please reserve a room as soon as possible.

BTSA Fundraising Update to mid-September, 2008

The BTSA now has an official status as a charitable organization. Official tax receipts can now be issued by the BTSA for any charitable donations. Any one wishing to donate to the building fund can make a one time donation or pledge their donation over the next 3-5 years. A plaque with the donors name will be included in our donor wall.

The target for the fund raising committee is around \$1,000,000. The donor levels are as follows:

Diamond =	\$25,000 or greater
Emerald =	\$17,500 to \$24,999
Platinum =	\$10,000 to \$17,499
Gold =	\$5,000 to \$9,999
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(New donors indicated in italic)

Diamond Level Donors

- Rev. & Mrs. Yasuo Izumi
- Richard & Sue Kanegawa - In memory of Mr & Mrs Sakuji Kanegawa & Mr Stan Kanegawa
- Noris & Sachiko Taguchi & daughters Louise, Patricia, Teresa & Karen

Additional donation in memory of Kohei and Hashime Taguchi and Tayeko Taguchi

- Mrs Aiko Yoshihara & Family - In memory of Motoharu Yoshihara.
- Family of Muneo & Toshiko Takeda
- Coaldale Buddhist Church (\$50,000)

Emerald Level Donors

- Hideko Oishi & family in memory of Yoichi Oishi
- Sumie, Ken & Jim Tsukishima - In memory of Mitsugi (Father), Sagami & Hisataro Tsukishima (Grandparents), Kaisuke & Yoshino Hironaka (Gr&parents)
- Saburo & Kimino Nishi - In memory of Taichiro & Eda Nishi & Bonnie Masako Nishi.
- Rocky & Jean Oishi, Sut & Neva Oishi, Jitsuya & Rae Oishi, Mistuko Oishi and Clay Tippet, Gilbert & Rose Oishi, Hideko Oishi, Yoshiyuki & Lily Oishi, Roy & Luri Nagata, Osami & June Oishi. - In memory of Saneyoshi & Chika Oishi

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- D.J. Major & the Hamabata family in memory of Kamasuke Hamabata & Cheryl Prins
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- Mas & Miyo Sunada
- Mrs Sadae Kanegawa in memory of Stan Kanegawa
- Akira & Lorita Ichikawa -In memory of Michael

- Tatsuya Ichikawa
- Tak & Mitsuko Oga
- Yuichi (Posthumous) & Shizuka Akune & family in memory of Ichirohe & Kin Hisaoka
- Tom & Tsuyako Tajiri
- John & Alice Kanashiro
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- Shigeru Kounosu - In memory of Heidi Kounosu.
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- Mas Terakita - In memory of Jane Terakita
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- Children of the Fujita Family - in memory of Harutaro & Tamiko Fujita
- * Jack & Rie Nagai family - In memory of Masako Nagai
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- Tashiro & Okuma Families - in memory of Kaz, Hatsue & Yoichi Okuma, Yasu & Eiji Tashiro
- Roy Takeda, Barbara Takeda, Gary and Beverly McLroy in memory of Nancy Takeda, our parents, grandparents great grandparents, great great grandparents - Fusajiro & Yoshi Takeda
- * Kaz & Nobs Sugimoto
- Grace Nishimura and family in memory of Takenori Nishimura
- Yochio Tanaka in memory of Kimiye Tanaka
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- Jiro & Mae Sasaki
- Ayako Imahashi - In memory of Tanekichi Imahashi
- Joe & Sumiko Tomiyama
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- Jim & Daisy Oshiro - In memory of our deceased family & friends
- Chizuko Kimura in memory of Toyoichi & Haru Matsuno and James T. Kimura
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- Shirley N. Higa & Robert Miyagawa - In memory of Hikojiro & Hisae Miyagawa and Jiro Miyagawa.
- Ted and Joyce Izukawa in memory of the Izukawa and Amemori Families
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- F. Okamura & Family in memory of Ichirohe & Kin Hisaoka
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- Tadanori and Chieko Sakaguchi

Bronze Level Donors

- Mitsuyo Ohno
- Tom Ohno - (Carp, Ontario)
- Mrs Toshiko Hase
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- Grandchildren of Harutaro & Tamiko Fujita in memory of Harutaro & Tamiko Fujita & Uncle Harumi Fujita
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- K. B. Lila, Carly and Stephanie Takeda
- Lethbridge Karaoke Club
- Noriko Oga in Memory of Yoshito Oga
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Other Donors

- Duane & Karen Yoshihara in Memory of Harumi Fujita
- Tosh & Joyce Saruwatari - Gordon & Joy Saruwatari In memory of Juzo & Aiko Saruwatari - Kohei & Hashime Taguchi
- Tucker Hironaka
- Joanne Tomiyama & Allard Everdingen - Calgary
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- Ted & Sue Koyata
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- Reverend Tomofumi Fujii
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- Dr. Bruce Todd - In memory of Lorraine Aiko Hinatsu-Todd
- Robert & Judy Takaguchi - In appreciation of the Raymond Pioneer Members
- George & Sharon Nyhoff
- Martha Katsuta - In memory of Yoichi Oishi
- * Yuse & Chiyomi Matsuno
- Tanaka family - in memory of Gene Tanaka
- Keiko Tsukishima - in memory of Tsutomu (Tom) Tsukishima & Emiko Catt
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- Haruko Ikeda
- Ron Kanashiro
- Bishop Orai Fujikawa
- Hiroshi Kitagawa
- Doug Mikado
- Kaz Takaguchi, Michael Takaguchi, Leanne & Earl Fisher In memory of Yoshifumi Takaguchi, Kichizo & Kimi Takaguchi, & Kohei & Hashime Taguchi
- Hiroaki Ohmae In memory of Heidi Kounosu
- Peter Oka In memory of Asako Tanaka
- Hiro & Yoshiko Okishita
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- Ken and Amy Kurio
- Eietsu Chiba
- Fumi Sugimoto in memory of Nim, Chris, Atsushi Sugimoto and Shiz Ichino
- Tom Mitsunaga and Jean Quan in memory of Nakae Mitsunaga
- Kamloops Jodo Shinshu Temple
- Raymond Pharmacy - owner Wayne A smith
- Ken and Wendy Hoyano
- Estuko Osaki
- Alice Kokubo
- Isamu Koyata
- Wanda Tomiyama

The BTSA greatly appreciates the contribution from the above in starting the fund raising drive. To date we have raised \$750,000 in donations or pledges.

To make a contribution or pledge please contact Jim Tsukishima (327-1279) mtsfarm@telus.net, Roland Ikuta (317-0078) Rolikuta@shaw.ca or send cheques to Robert Takaguchi (P.O. Box 1249 Raymond, Alberta T0K-2S0).

PLEDGE FORM



I WISH TO SUPPORT THE BUDDHIST TEMPLE OF SOUTHERN ALBERTA

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CONTRIBUTION

TOTAL CONTRIBUTION: \$ _____

_____ Monthly Instalments of \$ _____ for _____ years _____ Yearly Instalments of \$ _____ for _____ years

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Signature _____ Date _____

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Buddhist Temple of Southern Alberta
C/O Treasurer Robert Takaguchi, Box 1249,
Raymond, Alberta T0K 2S0



THE BUDDHIST TEMPLE OF SOUTHERN ALBERTA children & youth dharma classes

Dharma classes and activities are currently on hold until the opening of the new temple.

We look forward to decorating and furnishing the new classroom. Donations of surplus stationary and art supplies, second-hand books, games and toys are always welcome. We look forward to seeing returning students and hope to attract new families in the new year.

The dharma class is also excited to have some green space on the North side of the new temple. A big thank you to the Ikuta family for donating a play structure. A landscape design is in the works that will include gardens and grassy areas. A spot will be reserved for a tree that we hope will be planted by dharma students in the spring.



GOODBYE TO THE SOUTH TEMPLE

(left) The last service at the Honpa Buddhist Temple occurred on September 21, 2008

(below) Dharma students spend one last time in the upstairs classroom at Honpa.



BTSA CHOIR ACTIVITIES

Autumn was the theme when the Southern Alberta Buddhist Choir sang at the Nikka Yuko Japanese Garden Tea House October 4.

Despite the rain, which kept most visitors away, the choir enjoyed singing in the beautiful setting of the Garden's Tea House. We were reminded that the Choir started in 1993 with 35 members which included eight men. In the last year and a half, the Choir has had 20 members. New and returning members are always welcome.

Choir practice continues through December 11 at the NCS office (downstairs, room 14) in the Bill Kergan Centre, 207 - 13 St. N. Practice is cancelled October 9 and October 23, but otherwise meets weekly with a social the first Thursday of the month.



October and November Schedule

10月と11月の予定表

October

02(Thu)	7:00pm	Cub Scouts visitation
05(Sun)	10:30am	Shotsuki Monthly Memorial Service & Study/Discussion Group at Coaldale
08(Wed)	7:00pm	BTSA Meeting at Coaldale
11(Sat)	2:00pm	Wedding
12 (Sun)	10:30am	Regular Service & Study/Discussion Group at Coaldale
19 (Sun)	10:30am	Regular Service & Study/Discussion Group at Coaldale
20 (Mon)		Fund Raising - Silent Auction
21(Tue)		Inter Faith Dialogue at U of L
26 (Sun)	10:30am	Regular Service & Study/Discussion Group at Coaldale
31 (Fri)		Film Series at Calgary Central Library

November

02 (Sun)	10:30am	Shotsuki Monthly Memorial Service & Study Discussion Group at Coaldale
07(Fri)-09(Sun)		Alberta Buddhist Conference in Calgary
12 (Wed)		BTSA Meeting
16(Sun)	10:30am	Regular Service & Study Discussion Group at Coaldale
23(Sun)	10:30am	Regular Service & Study Discussion Group at Coaldale
30(Sun)	10:30am	Regular Service & Study Discussion Group at Coaldale

Donations

Memorial Donation (Aug.27 -Sept. 23, 2008)

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Adachi
Mr. & Mrs. Ichio Ibuki
Mr. Hiroshi Kitagawa
Mr. & Mrs. Kaz Ohno
Mrs. Yumiko Osaka
Mr. Morison Tanaka
Mr. & Mrs. Tak Tsujita
Mr. & Mrs. Clifford Thomas
Total...\$150.00

Dr. & Mrs. Akira Ichikawa
Mrs. Sadae Kanegawa
Mr. & Mrs. Mac Nishiyama
Mr. & Mrs. Sut Oishi
Ms. Hideko Oishi
Mr. & Mrs. Roy Sassa
Ms. Sitz Sonia
Mr. & Mrs. J. Tomiyama
Mrs. Sumie Tsukishima
Total... \$385.00

Mr. & Mrs. Roy Adachi
Calgary Buddhist Church
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Mr. & Mrs. Jon Hironaka
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Mr. Morison Tanaka
Mr. Yoshio Tanaka
Mr. & Mrs. Sam Taniguchi
Mr. & Mrs. Clifford Thomas
Mrs. Teruko Tokitsu
Total.....\$1,220.00

Total revenue for Bazaar & Bake Sale
\$2,754.44

Dana Day: Total Donation:
\$175.00
MCILROY Gary E & B
Mr. & Mrs. Roy Sassa
Mr. & Mrs. Glenn Tanaka

Note From Treasurers

It has been brought to our attention that some members are questioning the fact that they have not received receipts for the donations that they have made to BTSA. What we have been doing is issuing receipts to anyone who has made a donation to the 'Building Fund', since the amount is usually much larger and we

acknowledge to the donor that we have received the funds. Where we haven't issued receipts is donations made to the "Sandai Hoyo's" and the "Memorial Donations" unless they are not members. Since we have 248 members and if every member donated four or five times a year, we would be issuing over a thousand receipts in a year. To save costs we decided to issue one receipt to each member for all the donations made by them during the year. The receipt will be sent to them at the end of our fiscal year which is December 31.

(建設資金以外のご寄付は年末にまとめて皆様に領収書を発行いたしますのでご了解下さい。)

If you have any concerns or questions please contact me, Robert Takaguchi (403)752-4012 or Gordon Saruwatari (403)752-4078.

In Gassho,
Co-Treasurers
Robert Takaguchi &
Gordon Saruwatari

Calendar of Events

BTSA Tour of the New Temple

In response to a number of requests, the contractor has generously offered to open the new temple for a limited tour on Oct. 19 (Sunday) at 12:30 p.m. This tour will be open to BTSA and Coaldale members only as it is still a construction site with numerous hazards and everyone is reminded to be careful since each person will be touring at their own risk. Members are advised that we are welcome to attend regular Sunday service in Coaldale at 10:30am. The timing of the tour will allow everyone to attend service and then drive to Lethbridge to view the new temple.

—David Major

Wedding Bells

Many Congratulations to
Darren Takao and Brenda Isaak

Regular Events

Southern Alberta Buddhist Choir

Thursday, 7:00pm-8:30pm
Please contact Lorita Ichikawa

Study/Discussion Group

Please feel welcome to join in the BTSA study/discussion group on Sundays right after the morning service. The purpose of meeting is to deepen our understanding and appreciation of Buddha's teachings, study the Dharma and facilitate discussion. Each study/discussion group session will be preceded by a brief chanting lesson..

Please contact Renae Barlow (renaeb@telus.net) or Rev. Izumi (382-7024)

Obituaries

We express our heartfelt sympathy to those who have lost loved ones.

Harry Yukio Tatebe

87 years old
September 10, 2008