



## Bountyfull Mission Statement

At Bountyfull we commit ourselves to journey with people who have come to realize they are powerless and are ready and willing to seek help.

### Steps on the Journey

1. We accept the person totally and non-judgmentally.
2. We listen to their life story and help them discover the hidden roots of their brokenness.
3. We help them identify and own the resultant dysfunctional behaviour
4. We help them discover that the answer to healing their powerlessness lies within, through their loving acceptance of themselves and their whole life story.
5. They come to a spiritual awareness that they do not journey alone.
6. They touch the life-giving power within themselves

# Bountyfull 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

## Newsletter



*The light of the Christmas  
Star to you  
The love of the Son and  
God's peace to you in the  
New Year 2010*

**The people who walked in darkness  
have seen a great light... Isaiah 9:2**

Twenty years ago Sister Monica, Sister Pat and I were challenged by those words of Isaiah that foretold the mission of Christ to shed light on those who walk in darkness. The wise men came from foreign lands and were guided by that star of wonder to experience the light and the warmth of that first Christmas scene. Over these twenty years many thousands of people have come from their foreign lands of darkness, pain, and brokenness in search of healing. We, too, have walked alongside each one of them in their journey, and ours to move from the foreign lands of darkness and brokenness or addiction to the peaceful serenity of rediscovering our lost energy, faith and love.

It has been a great privilege for Monica, Pat and me to be fellow pilgrims on that journey of self awareness. We feel very privileged to have been called to shed some of that healing light of the Christ Child on our broken world,

On this, the occasion of our 20<sup>th</sup>

Anniversary in this building, we would like to express our profound gratitude to the many who have supported our ministry. First of all, to my Oblate Community for the trust and confidence they have placed in us when our vision of healing was merely a faint hope. I would like to acknowledge especially Father Larry MacLennan and Father John Fitzgerald for their initial support. We convey our gratitude also to Monica's community, the Sisters of Charity IC, for supporting Monica in helping to create our ministry of healing. Our gratitude also to Pat Donovan's Community, the Sisters of Saint Ann, to our Board Members who have helped us keep the flickering flame of our financial security alive. And finally, to our many faithful supporters and the countless guests who have accompanied us on this life-giving journey over these twenty years.

Wishing you all God's blessings in the New Year 2010,

*Larry Mackey, OMI*

"I have come that they may have life  
and have it to the full."  
John 10:10



*Strolling  
Down  
memory  
Lane  
1989  
-  
2010*

*Thank You, Former Staff Members*

*Danielle Grant,  
Rick Hancock  
Richard Hovan  
Tom McGregor  
Lucy Adams  
Lynda Askew  
Elin Ife  
Sister Mary Brown*



Danielle Grant and Larry with  
original carving 1989



*Ron Squires  
Chris Bernard  
Cuba Dyer  
Kathy Stack  
Sister Marianne Rohrer  
Diane Groves*



*Thank you, Support Staff over the years*

*Dolores Bohan  
Sr. Therese Kergoat  
Ruth DeWeerd  
Annette McGregor  
Chris McPhee  
Diane Craig  
Marina Pedraza  
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### Present Staff

Fr. Larry Mackey, OMI  
Director  
Monica Guest, SCIC  
Patricia Donovan, SSA



## OFF Principles Our Focus is Feelings

No  
Judging  
Analyzing  
Criticizing  
Fixing  
Saving  
Rescuing

Simply accept  
unconditionally

## *A special message to our Benefactors*

*The Board of Directors and the Staff of Bountyfull House want to express our deepest gratitude to all of our benefactors for your generous and faithful support. We appreciate it. Without it, we would not be able to continue to operate.*

## *Thank You, Former Board Members from 1989 to 2010*

*Fr. John Fitzgerald*

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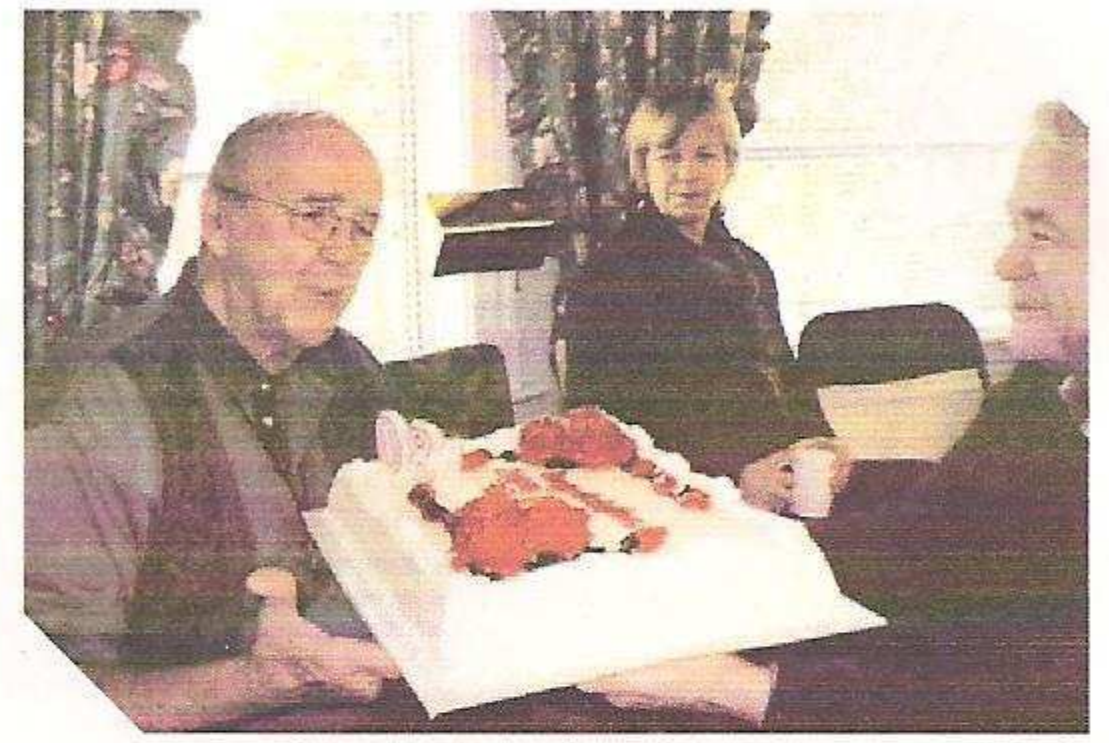
*Fr. Terry McNamara*

*Fr. Bernie McCosham*





Monica celebrates 75<sup>th</sup> birthday



Larry celebrates 80<sup>th</sup> birthday

### For Reflection

*... Love has no room for fear  
Rather perfect love casts out all fear,,,  
(1 John 4:18)*

*... I shall remove the heart of stone from your body and give you a heart of flesh  
instead... You will be my people, and I will be your God... Ez. 36:25,28*

Dear Larry, Monica and All,

Thank you for shedding light on so many of us!  
You have made the world a brighter place.  
Joyeux Noel and a Bountyfull year 2010  
in every meaning of the word.

With my love, T

Perhaps you would like to consider making a donation to Bountyfull House. It is through the generosity of many people like you that we are able to carry out our work at Bountyfull. Please fill out this form if you wish to make a donation.

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1. I have enclosed a cheque in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OR

2. I hereby authorize a donation to Bountyfull House in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to be deducted from my bank or my credit card on the first day of each month beginning \_\_\_\_\_.

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*Happy 2010*