# Centre for Christian Studies Local Arrangements Info

#### Meeting space

CCS Learning Circles are held at one of a variety of venues around Winnipeg, depending on the size of the learning group and availability of space. The most common venue is:

The Centre for Christian Studies Woodsworth House 60 Maryland Street R3G 1K7 204-783-4490

#### Other meeting spaces have included St. Benedict's Retreat &

Conference Centre, Stella-North End Community Ministry, Crescent Fort Rouge United Church, **St. George'**s Anglican Church, etc. Please



consult the cover letter of your student info package to find out where your Learning Circle will meet.

#### Accommodation

You are welcome to make any accommodation arrangements that you wish (friends, hotel, etc.) and are responsible for making your own reservations. If you're unfamiliar with Winnipeg and want a place to start, here are some nearby possibilities. The University of Winnipeg Housing office, Ivey House and International Guest house are all aware of the Centre's programs and will try to group you with other CCS students. (Contact locations personally for availability and up-to-date rates.)

| Booth University College<br>447 Webb Place<br>Winnipeg, MB R3B 1P2<br>Phone: (204) 947-6701<br>Contact: Rochelle Amy Ext. 854 (Hospitality)<br>email: <u>hospitality@boothcollege.ca</u>  | <ul> <li>\$22.50 plus tax/night</li> <li>Salvation Army facility about 5 minute walk from University, 20-25 minute walk from CCS</li> <li>single or double bedrooms available</li> <li>laundry facilities with purchase of smart card (\$10.00 minimum)</li> <li>microwave, kettle, fridge/sink on each floor</li> <li>full kitchen on third floor</li> <li>lunch and supper available (lunch \$8.75, supper \$9.75)</li> </ul> |
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| University of Winnipeg<br>McFeetors Hall<br>Phone: (204) 786-9139<br>Fax: (204) 774-5519<br>Contact: Harry<br>Website: http://uwhostel.wordpress.com<br>email: <u>hostel@uwinnipeg.ca</u> | <ul> <li>Available during summer months:</li> <li>\$560 for 2 weeks</li> <li>Private room with bath</li> <li>Linen service weekly</li> <li>Wireless</li> <li>Lounges and kitchen available, bring your own housewares</li> <li>20-30 minute walk to CCS</li> </ul>  |

| Guest House International<br>168 Maryland Street<br>Winnipeg, MB R3G 1L3<br>Phone: (204)772-1272<br>e-mail: <u>backpackerwpg@hotmail.com</u><br>website: <u>http://backpackerswinnipeg.com</u> | <ul> <li>\$25/night (tax included) for shared room</li> <li>5 minutes walk from CCS, 20-25 minutes walk from University of Winnipeg</li> <li>kitchen, games room, AC, TV/VCR/videos, internet access, BBQ.</li> </ul>   |
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| Red River Hotel<br>360 Colony<br>Winnipeg, MB R3B 2P3<br>Phone: 1 866 826 4457<br>website: <u>www.redriverhotelwinnipeg.com/</u>   | <ul> <li>\$120 plus tax/night (approx.)</li> <li>Hotel about 5 minute walk from University, 20-25 minute walk from CCS</li> <li>single or double bedrooms available</li> <li>laundry service available</li> <li>indoor pool and fitness facilities</li> <li>restaurant</li> </ul> |

There are many Bed and Breakfast homes in Winnipeg. You can find a list at <u>www.bbcanada.com</u> (a national site, follow the links to Winnipeg).

Estimated walking distances are given above to give you a general idea – however, if you prefer not to walk, there is excellent bus service between Woodsworth House (and the Maryland Street hostel and guest house) and the University.

# Transportation in Winnipeg

You will be responsible for getting to your accommodation and to the Learning Circle meeting space on your own.

Winnipeg has an international airport (<u>www.waa.ca</u>). The Greyhound bus terminal is also located at the airport. Taxis are available from the airport (about \$15). The #15 Mountain bus would take you from the airport to the University/Booth College area (or check with the driver about transferring to a #17, #20 or #29 for Maryland Street). The #11 bus runs along Portage Avenue between the University area and Maryland. The #29 runs south down Maryland.

Bus Fare on Winnipeg Transit is \$2.50 per trip for adults and schedule information is available at <u>www.winnipegtransit.com.</u>

A map of the area is enclosed.

### Parking

There is some street parking near Woodsworth House, but it is time-limited (and cars parked on Maryland during rush hour will get towed). There is a parking garage adjacent to the University with a daily rate in excess of \$5.00. Very limited street parking is available in the area and it requires regular meter feeding.

#### Meals

You are responsible for getting your own meals. There are a number of restaurants and grocery stores in the area. (See partial list below.) As well the Booth College dining room has lunches and dinners. Occasionally CCS students have the opportunity to gather for a shared meal. Please return the enclosed Student Information sheet with information about dietary restrictions.

# Coffee/tea/snack breaks

There will be breaks each morning and each afternoon during Learning Circles. There is a common pot to cover the costs of coffee/tea/snacks, and responsibility for set-up and clean-up is shared throughout the Learning Circle.

# Grocery Stores

- Food Fare 115 Maryland (at Westminster)
- Food Fare 905 Portage (between Arlington and Burnell)
- DeLuca's -950 Portage Avenue
- Safeway Sargent (between Sherbrook and Maryland)

### Restaurants

Near CCS and the Maryland Street guest house:

- Stella's (café & bakery) 116 Sherbrook
- The Nook (diner)
   43 Sherbrook St. (at Wolseley)
- Wanabees Diner (breakfast) 639 Broadway St. (at Langside)
- Bella Vista (Italian) 53 Maryland St. (at Wolseley)
- Bistro Dansk (Danish) 63 Sherbrook (between Wolseley and Westminster)
- Cousins Deli 55 Sherbrook St. (at Wolseley)
- Boon Burger (vegetarian) 79 Sherbrook (between Wolseley and Westminster)
- Charisma (East Indian)
   83 Sherbrook (between Wolseley and Westminster
- Fork & Cork (fondue & other) 218 Sherbrook (just south of Broadway)
- Champion Restaurant 226 Sherbrook (just south of Broadway) (Chinese & Vietnamese)
  - McDonalds 644 Portage (at Sherbrook)
- Tim Horton's 255 Maryland (just south of Portage)

Near the University of Winnipeg and Booth College:

- Stella's (café & bakery) 460 Portage Avenue
- Pop Soda's (coffeehouse) 625 Portage Avenue
- Dalat Restaurant (Chinese & Vietnamese) 661 Ellice Ave.
- Sorrento's (Italian) 529 Ellice AVe.
- Homer's (Greek) 520 Ellice Ave.
- A Taste of India 510 Sargent Ave.
- Elements Café
   University of Winnipeg Science Building
- Subway 508 Portage Ave.
- Junior's (burgers, fries) 558 Portage Ave.
- Tim Horton's Portage Place
- Partners
   Portage Place
- Food Court
   Portage Place
- Extreme Pita 491 Portage Ave.

If you have questions, contact Scott Douglas (204-783-4490 or sdouglas@ccsonline.ca).

Map of central Winnipeg including Centre for Christian Studies (star) and University of Winnipeg

