

## Life Recovery

### Living in Freedom Everyday

*Life recovery home is a non-profit women's residential recovery program for women bound by substance addictions. We have the capacity for up to 18 women and encourage all of our residents to embrace and adhere to Christian beliefs, living in relationships with Jesus Christ. Our programs range in length from 90 days to one year. At Life recovery a high percentage of our program graduates continue on to live in freedom and remain sober upon leaving the home. We appreciate this opportunity to welcome the community into our home to see our crafts and decorations.*

### Tour Etiquette

- Please respect homeowners privacy.
- Please remove your shoes and use the bag provided to carry them with you throughout each home.
- Washrooms are not public unless otherwise designated.
- No pictures or video cameras without permission from the host.
- Tour is not recommended for small children

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Northview Church Hosts The

# Christmas Home Tour



Each Home you visit is filled with Christmas decor  
From modernity decked out to rustic and warm  
The stockings are hung on the mantel with care  
Garland fills the staircase, not an inch of it bare.  
The trees are done up and the tables are set  
This is a Christmas house tour you'll never forget!!

Sunday December 4th 2011

1:00pm - 6:00pm

Look for the white sign with a red bow on it to identify the home on the tour

**"The moment you walk in the front door you will feel *Christmas*"**

**\*ONE\* Mike and Wanda Braun — 5356 Mt. Lehman Road (parking along the road)**

Their love of decorating for the seasons and having fun reflect in their country farm home, filled with Christmas treasures they've collected. Their guy garage and one of a kind dream shop shows their flair for finding fun and unique collectibles.

**\*TWO\* Marv and Trish Loewen — 30435 Hawkins Road (House and Stables)**

**House** - A trip to Tuscany. Hand painted ceilings, heavy beam work and travertine floors give the feeling of an Italian old world theme. Ask Trish about the many unique hidden special features. The family room is decorated in red and gold showcasing their nutcracker collection, whimsical Christmas décor and an angel tree in the games room.

**Stables** - Take the second driveway to see their Tuscan styled barn. Their girls lovingly decorate the horse stalls each year. Chandeliers line the aisles and upstairs you'll find the children's colourful Christmas tree set in the equestrian chic Ralph Lauren room.

**\*THREE\* Tanglebank — 29985 Downes Road**

Take a break and stimulate your senses with the sights, sounds and tastes of Christmas. Stroll thru twinkling lights and browse the unique Christmas store while warming up with coffee or hot chocolate. Be the first to sample tasty goodies that will be part of the bistro which is now in progress.

"By Donation" All proceeds will go to Life Recovery

**\*FOUR\* Linda Treliving — 29921 Downs Road**

Just a short walk to the next house (or there will be attendants to help park in the driveway) Linda's beautiful home welcomes you with her stunning fireplace and designer Christmas tree. Her table is already set for Christmas and take time to enjoy her many collections of santas, angels and a village lit up for you.

**\*FIVE\* Life Recovery House — 2693 Braeside Street (please be careful when you exit onto Old Yale Road)**

The women along with some help will be decorating "their home" for the holidays. You will see decorations they have made themselves. Come and see firsthand who you are supporting and feel the warmth and hear the laughter where they learn to "live in freedom everyday".

**\*SIX\* Ray and Anita Geertsma — 33848 Vye road**

Come and see a home where a passion for painting is combined with a love for Christmas. Treasures from family and friends help give the house a cozy, vintage feel. White, silver and candlelight welcome you. Notice the decadent matching cookies made by a friend.

**\*SEVEN\* Gerald and Cynthia Lucas — 34718 Skyline (Ample parking in the 3 driveways and along the road)**

Cynthia is well known for her success as an interior decorator. Her flair for decorating manifests itself with 5 decorated trees and a Christmas village in a winter wonderland. The nostalgic living room comes alive with palm trees, a nativity scene and her traditional upside down tree.

**\*EIGHT\* Sharon Reimer — 35535 Jade Drive**

You'll forget your worries and cares when you enter this stunning west coast contemporary home. A magical atmosphere is created with icicle lights on archways and windows along with numerous trees, bears and even a gingerbread church. You'll wonder if you actually saw elves sewing Santa's suit