



**“Anglicismes” in Québec – some English words that have been borrowed for the French language:**

- Bargain
- Boss
- Cheap
- Cute
- Joke
- Leader
- Pitcher
- Shop
- Size
- Staff
- Tip
- Toast
- Toothpick

**Vive le Québec !**

- **Note:** In Québec, an “Allophone” is actually someone whose mother tongue is neither French nor English.

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**THE POWER OF A PARTY !**

Have you ever considered the interesting location for Jesus’ first miracle? A wedding banquet: of all the places to perform the miraculous, that one was pretty interesting. Jesus was a friend of publicans and sinners and that fact allowed Him many opportunities which the religious folks passed by.

Our last outreach event of 2009 was a Christmas party: a party that turned into an impromptu worship service. There is



**French Home Group**

nothing like the holidays to turn your home into an environment of praise, and some Christmas carols have just the right words to gravitate in that direction. “*Oh, come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.*” It wasn’t planned, but we quickly brought out the keyboard and went with the flow. Our friends and classmates who had previously come together with us to practice French were singing with great enjoyment, and you could feel the presence of Jesus among us.



**Scott with his classmates**

At the end of the evening we asked our guests how they would feel about transitioning our French conversation group into a Bible study and the decision was unanimously in favour of doing so. Our first French “Life Group” began this past Monday evening (Jan 11<sup>th</sup>) with 7 in attendance.

We had worship, the Word and ended with... a birthday party for a 5-year old girl named Clarice. I don’t know whose eyes were brighter, Clarice’s or her mother’s, but we saw firsthand that night the power of prayer, of praise and yes... the power of a party.



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