



REVEALED SERIES – WEEK 3

This Sunday's Teaching:

Man oh man I wish we could take a bunch more time on these names of God, to just dig in more and talk about it more. If you're like me, they're just going by way too fast to really reflect upon fully! But alas such it is – Sundays come and Sundays go. So here we go with another of God's precious names...

Jehovah- Jireh – The Lord will Provide. God's name comes to us in the complex and perplexing situations of life and He reveals himself as the One who would provide in the most impossible crisis. Whether we like it or not times of crisis and turmoil come to all of us. Someone once said, "You're either experiencing trouble, just got out of trouble or heading into trouble." Jesus said clearly, "In this world you will have trouble..." (John 16:33).

In his time of trouble and testing Abraham chose the "Bless-or" (God) rather than the blessing and in this God unveiled His name as the ultimate Provider. This is the essence of our desire, to be found choosing God as our highest goal even in times of difficulty and contradiction. Abraham's faith gives us a peek into what was later to come as we look toward the Cross.

I look forward to our time together on Sunday as we again have the joy of digging in further to one of God's most known and celebrated names!

Church Events

- * March 27: Women's connect & grow @7pm
- ♦ March 27: Alpha 7pm @ Connect Church. Still not too late to come be part of the Spring session
- ♦ March 30: Good Friday Gathering 10:30am
- * March 31@ 830am Man up

Community Volunteer Hours:

If you are a high school student looking to build on your 40 hours of Community Service needed for graduation - we're looking for 2 students who would be willing to help with Childcare at Alpha. We meet each Tuesday from 6:45-8:45 beginning March 20th and if you are able to help on a semi regular basis for any of the 12 weeks of the Winter Session - then it's a great way to build your hours or add more. Hint: *Community Involvement Hours look great on scholarship applications!* Please speak to Dean, Giovanna or sign up on the Alpha Helper sheet at the Welcome Desk



Happy Birthdays:

> Harold Barker turned 87 this past Monday! Happy Birthday Harold and we're praying you'll be home soon to celebrate!

> Wishing Martha Lawson a very Happy Birthday on Sunday March 25th!

> Happy Birthdays also to Christine Gerber and Cali-Faith Kennedy who celebrate their birthdays on March 23rd!

MOVING WITH MUSIC:

We've been MOVING WITH MUSIC for the last few weeks and it's been great!. Each session uses music and rhythm exercises that help maintain walking, balance and general



movement. All exercises are adaptable so participants can work at their own level. MOVING

WITH MUSIC benefits healthy older adults as well as those dealing with (but not limited to):

> Brain Injury > Stroke > Parkinsons Disease

DETAILS:

Day: Wednesday mornings

Time: 9:30am - 10:30am

Where: The Chapel at Nashville Road Community Church - 6950 Nashville Road

Cost: No charge!

For more info please contact Julia at 647-230-2066 or email -

info@juliaplacemusictherapy.com

Praise + Prayer:

> We're thanking God for answering prayers for Harold Barker. He continues to gain strength as he recovers so please continue to pray for him as he prepares to transfer to the rehab wing at Brampton Civic. Pray also for Norma at this time as she spends a lot of time at the Hospital with Harold.

> Alpha began this past Tuesday and we had over 30 people in attendance as we join with Connect Church to share the good news of Jesus! We're praising the Lord for the way He knit the table groups together. Please pray for our Alpha meeting each Tuesday from 7-8:45pm - particularly for table hosts as they get to know the people around their table and for those relationships to continue to blossom as we share explore life, faith and Jesus each week!



ALPHA:

Our Spring Alpha session started on Tuesday evening with our first interactive session exploring the basics of the Christian faith.

Each week we begin with a warm welcome and food, then we watch a video talk and finish with open conversation around the table - a chance to share thoughts and ideas about the video we've just watched without being corrected or judged. There's no pressure, no follow-up and no charge; it's just an open, informal, and honest space to explore and discuss life's big questions together.

"Alpha is where I was able to go with people from all walks of life and come together to discuss faith. We ate together, we talked together, and we learned from each other." - Martin, Alpha Guest

We're excited to partner with Connect Church in Bolton for this session of Alpha and you're invited to come and invite others! It's not too late to be part. We meet each Tuesday at Connect Church - 12495 HWY 50 in Bolton from 7-8:45 and it doesn't cost anything. So feel free to join this week if you'd like and invite someone to come with you. Limited childcare space is available.

For more information or details about Alpha - please check out tryalpha.ca or the [Nashville web site](#) or contact the NRCC church office

ALPHA FOOD HELP:

As part of the Alpha program we are partnering with our friends at Connect Church to cook alternate weeks. We are seeking individuals who would be comfortable in either making salads, baking desserts or cookies or helping with the assembly of a main course for approximately 50 guests. "Many hands make light work" is the saying and if enough people participated it would be a great blessing and help make the food prep manageable for all.

If you think you might be able to assist either once or multiple dates - please see Di, Giovanna or Dean after this Sunday's gathering so we can begin to coordinate a schedule. Thanks!



Good Friday Gathering

We're looking forward to joining with Connect Church on Good Friday morning at 10:30am, here at Nashville Road, to worship as a larger body in music and communion as we contemplate together - the good news that God has rescued all things in and thru the work of Jesus - the Christ, on the cross.