

This week I'm looking forward to the second subject in our new series, "The Change: Embracing the Gospel." I have found that regardless of where you go, regardless of culture, race or social standing, people everywhere have a need to connect to a sense of Purpose. To be void of purpose is to lose connection with the deepest part of self.

As sons and daughters of the kingdom we have the wonderful opportunity to embrace a new purpose – yet it's a purpose given from the beginning of time itself. We have been given wonderful and unique gifts that ignite passion in us and delights our Father as we use all that He has given us to joyfully serve our true purpose. We look forward to our time of worship and scratching the surface of embracing our kingdom purpose together. See you on Sunday!

Church Events

- November 18 @ 830am Man up!
- Nov 19 @ 930am Call to Pray
- Nov 21: Women's connect and grow @7pm\
- Dec 2 @ 11 am Christmas Parade
- Dec 3: Eagan's Memorial Service
- Dec 4 @1030am Young At Heart Christmas Lunch

NRCC Family Fun Update:

Celebrating Awesomeness!

To several Humberview students who achieved academic awards this past Wednesday!! Clara Martin won the Visual Arts Award as well as the Mathematics Award, the Francais Immersion Award and the Communication Technology Award! Kathryn Martin won the English Award and the Carrieres - Immersion Award and Grace Kennedy won the Integrated Visual Arts Award! Way to go!!

Happy Birthday!

To Leah Kennedy who celebrated her 20th Birthday on November 16th!

Congratulations!!

Ryan Jordan and his high school basketball team won their first basketball game of the Season, they are preparing for a weekend long tournament in Barrie this weekend. Go Stingers!!

CONNECT CARDS:

Church is a people who God's love and grace are changing! We get to be a large family! Families communicate the important stuff that's happening in their lives often around a dinner table! We'd love to celebrate, support and pray for one another when we hear about what's happening. One way to do that is with the Connect



Card. Think of it as the family dinner table in convenient card form! You can pick one up any time and place it in the offering plate on a Sunday or the Connect Card box



Free Books!

We have a large number of Children's books that have been donated to the school and we are invited to look thru them on Sunday! Please check them out and you are welcome to take as many as you would like for free!



Baptism!

One of the great blessings as a follower of Jesus is baptism! Those who have placed their faith in Jesus Christ and received Him to be their Lord and Saviour are to be baptized. The reason for this is that baptism is a visual representation of the transforming power of the gospel! It is a visible, outward sign of an inner spiritual reality! It's also a unique opportunity to publicly affirm our devotion to Jesus. If you have been thinking about being baptized - we're excited to help as we look to celebrate baptisms during a Sunday gathering in the next little while.

Please speak to one of our elders or leaders for more information!

Living out the Love of God

Living out the love of God with Hospitality:

The apostle Paul asked for prayer that God would open up a door to share the Good News of Jesus! Over the last few months we have had several requests from our neighbours if they can use the building for a weddings. Might this be a door that God is opening to us as a church body? We have a great facility but our desire is not simply to provide a room but to show the love of God thru our hospitality here. So we're wondering if there are those in the Nashville Road body who have a desire to serve as part of a hospitality team that would be able to host families from the community who may want to have their wedding ceremony at our building? Can you please prayerfully consider that and if that is something that God has placed in your heart - please speak to Dean or one of our elders or contact the church office as we'd love to talk with you about it!

Young at Heart Christmas Luncheon

The seniors are having their annual Christmas luncheon here in our building on Monday December the 4th. We would love to bless them with preparing their meal for them, but we need your help! If you are willing to bake, or cook a dish, please see the list available at the welcome centre. Kindly drop off your contribution at the church either Sunday morning or you are welcome to bring it here on Monday morning. We will need a small team here at the church to make sure the dishes are hot and ready to serve. KCA students will be our waiters and dishwashers! Let's show our seniors how much we love them!!



Hearing God's Voice:

Will not meet this week, instead we encourage you to join the morning session of Call to Pray.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Women's connect and grow will meet again on Tuesday November 21 at 7pm in the fireside room.

The ladies are working through the book called the Power of a Praying Woman. Please come out and join in on the discussion!

Youth Lunch & Movie:

We're having lunch and watching "The Case For Christ" together in the Chapel on Sunday November 26th right after the morning gathering! Please speak with Diana Payne for more info and to sign up!

CHRISTMAS Parade

SATURDAY DECEMBER 2ND 9am NRCC and KCA are joining together to participate as part of the Bolton Santa Claus parade!

If you would like to help decorate the float, please be at Henderson Oliver, **45 Commercial Rd, Bolton for 9am.** If you would like to hitch a ride on the float, kindly arrive by 10am so we can leave and take our place in line.