

HORIZON

WE ARE A PEOPLE WHO ARE LIVING OUT THE LOVE OF GOD

This Sunday:

Have you ever had one of those little thingamajigs on your car dashboard that makes the sound of a laser or missile when you press a button? I had one and loved it! I also had a Homer Simpson figure that would yell things. Those toys were designed to allow us to vent our frustration at doofus drivers when we saw them do dumb things on the road. It was a gimmick and fun but I don't actually remember feeling any different after pushing the missile button on someone who just cut me off! Truth is that transformation doesn't happen at the push of a button.

In the book of Luke - Jesus' disciples encounter some doofuses who cut off Jesus from entering their town and in response Jesus' followers want to reign down fire on them. I wonder if the world around us often sees Jesus' disciples as a people who call down fire? Jesus' response to them and His response to mankind speaks to the transformation of hearts and fruit - rather than terrorism and fire. This week we wrap up our Horizon series - affirming that because of what Jesus has accomplished in us - Nashville Road Community Church get to be "A People Who Are Living Out The Love of God" Check out [Luke 9:51-56](#) and we'll look forward to seeing you on Sunday morning!

Church Events

- September 30 @830 am Man Up
- October 1 @ 7pm: Call to Pray
- October 1 @ 2pm : Baby shower for Levyi
- October 13: Movie night at KCA

Share your story

We are a people who are living out the love of God. That's who a disciple of Jesus is and that's who the church is! Beginning in September we're going to look who we are as Nashville Road Community church. We are people who come from all sorts of different backgrounds and places on earth and we've come together because we've met Jesus! We didn't just shake His hand and walk away but we're now walking with Him together.

.So during our upcoming Sunday gatherings we want to hear the personal stories of how Jesus first became real to us! Everyone's story is different and it's exciting and encouraging to hear about the journeys and stories where God intersected our story for His glory (yep, I see that rhyme now!) We'd love to have you tell your story either live or on video (if that makes you feel more you'd comfortable) Either way - we just want to hear the story of you meeting Jesus! We're going to be looking for people so please contact Dave Lawson and let us know you're interested!

Happy
Birthday!!

To Eric Jordan who
will be turned 13 on
Monday!

Prayer..

- Mike Hammond's grandfather - Vince is in the hospital in Guelph with stage 4 cancer. Please pray for Mike and Amy as they walk this path alongside him and his family.
- Gerald and Gloria Bannon. Gloria had surgery on Friday and doctors found an aggressive form of cancer.
- For those in the Caribbean, and U.S. Who are now beginning to rebuild after the hurricanes.
- Please pray for Lorna Hedley's brother Elmer. He had a quadruple bi-pas and is recovering in hospital .
- Both Sandra Augusto and her husband, Chris have had biopsies done on there stomachs. Please pray that the results come back clear.

Mission in the D.R.

Christine Gerber's Dominican Republic Video:

[Click here](#) to check out an awesome video highlighting Christine's ministry with the Toronto Mass Choir on mission in the Dominican Republic in August!



Living out the Love of God

Church is a people who ... live out God's love in practical ways! This is the season when we're stocking up kids to head back to classes.

As a church body we're collecting school items to send with Reta Campbell to Richmond, Jamaica for school children there who are in need.

Would you consider buying a few extra items to add to our basket of blessings?

We're looking for brand new pens, pencils, crayons, binders, pencil cases, clip boards, erasers, geometry sets, rulers, sharpeners, backpacks, etc.

Any items you want to contribute can be dropped off in the display at the Welcome Center in the lobby at the church building.

Caledon Meals on Wheels is looking for 20 volunteers who are 55 years of age and older to participate in a great new program!

"Let's Do Lunch" with Caledon Meals on Wheels

This 6 month project, starting in September, provides an opportunity for clients to connect with volunteers on a regular basis while eating a healthy meal together. Weekly lunch visits will take place in clients' homes, will be social in nature, and will foster new friendships, and sharing. Program area includes Bolton/ Caledon and Orangeville.

Before starting the program volunteers will have the opportunity to receive training on topics such as "Elder Abuse" and "Seniors Mental Health First Aide". The cost of the volunteers' meals are covered. Stay tuned at our Sunday gatherings for more info and inspiration!

Love Gift

Pastor Ken Stravens, is pastoring with Royal York Baptist in Toronto. He has been diagnosed with stage-four lung cancer. Ken is originally from Kenya and he and his family are in Canada on a religious workers visa.

We have been asked to consider sending a love gift to help meet shortfalls, practical needs and related medical expenses not covered by OHIP. This is a great opportunity to provide care and love in a practical way. We are stacking hands with many other churches and if you would like to participate then donation checks can be payable to "FEB Central" and include the words "Ken Stravens love gift" on the memo line. We will receive these gifts as part of our offering during our Sunday morning gatherings. Please also continue to pray for Ken, his wife and two daughters as they journey through this difficult time.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAVE THE DATES:

OCTOBER PRAYER GATHERINGS:

SUNDAY OCTOBER 1ST 7pm

We meet together as a unified body twice a month as we celebrate how God has answered prayer and we practice our dependence on Him by sharing our needs with Him.

IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS?!

SATURDAY DECEMBER 2ND 9am

NRCC and KCA are joining together to participate as part of the Bolton Santa Claus parade!

Put it on your calendar now for a fun morning together as we prepare and ride our float with the theme "Christmas Traditions"!

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



You are invited!!

(Well the ladies of our church are!)

There will be a baby shower in honour of Leyvi!

Lets join together to help Leyvi welcome her new bundle of joy on Sunday, October 1st at 2pm. The shower will be held at **4976 Countryside Drive.**

To RSVP please contact Julia at **647-230-2066**

