

Sunday Morning October 14 gathering ...

Pop guiz - what's the only structure that gets stronger as it gets bigger? Nope, not a Big Mac - that could be interpreted on so many other levels! It's actually a Geodesic Dome. If you've driven by the Cinesphere along Lakeshore by Ontario Place then you've seen a Geodesic Dome. It's strength and growth potential comes from the bringing together of 3 beams to form a triangle. There's an UP, IN and OUT dynamic at play. The strength of each beam and angle supports the other and allows for the creation and addition of other triangles so that it grows stronger as it grows bigger. That UP, IN and OUT dynamic is also a great picture of how a disciple of Jesus grows. When a group of disciples connect - church happens! We know Church is a people who ... are brought together (reconciled!!) in their relationship to Jesus and live out that Oneness as a body of disciples growing stronger together in Christ as each one takes responsibility to welcome and support others and be supported by others. This Sunday morning we're going to gather and look at the UP, IN and OUT expressions of following Jesus and how we as a body plan to pursue the mission of making disciples that Jesus has sent us on as a family of missionary servants - One in Spirit and Purpose! Looking forward to being together!



Church Events

- October 16: Women's Connect & Grow -7pm
- October 17: Moving with Music - 9am
- October 21: Family communication meeting @12pm
- October 26: Youth Laser Tag - 7pm
- October 27: Man Up Breakfast - 8:30am
- October 27: YouthNight at the Fitzells -6:30pm



Have you ever wished you could just sit down and have a good long talk with God? Wouldn't it be great to move

past a belief that God loves you to actually hearing God whisper words of love into your heart? When you're worried or confused, wouldn't you love to see the situation from His perspective? Wouldn't it be great to hear how he wants you to respond? When things don't seem to be going your way wouldn't it be great to hear Him tell you where He is in the midst of it and what He is working out in your life.

On Sunday mornings at 9am in the NRCC Church office, there will be an opportunity for practicing hearing God's voice. This is a chance to listen and discuss what is heard in a safe and accountable small group environment.

For more information please google: 4 Keys to Hearing God's voice by Mark Virkler.

Love Does

Paul wrote in Ephesians that walking in the way of Love - like Jesus did is a fragrant offering to God. What's your vision for kindness? Bob Goff has written an amazing book that inspires the followers of Jesus to put love into action. Bob Goff has become something of a legend, and his friends consider him the world's best-kept secret. Those same friends have long insisted he write a book, and he finally did. It's full of paradigm shifts, musings, and stories from one of the world's most delightfully engaging and winsome people. What fuels his impact? Love. But it's not the kind of love that stops at thoughts and feelings. Bob is convinced love takes action. Bob believes Love Does. Here's another idea of how you can put love into action - just like Jesus did for you



After a summer break - we're ready to get MOVING AGAIN!! If you're interested but unfamiliar with MOVING WITH MUSIC - it's a great way to connect and have

some fun! 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: 9am - 10am

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@juliasplacemusictherapy.com



Regeneration Outreach is a ministry in Brampton that continually strives to provide dignity for those in need, as an expression of Christian love in action. They serve those living in extreme poverty and homelessness by meeting their physical and spiritual needs. One of our Nashville Road family - Dan Gibson, serves there as Chaplain. We can also stack hands and help extend God's kingdom in tangible ways by providing new and gently used clothing. Presently they are in big time need of - men's pants, t-shirts, shoes, belts and hats. Also any sort of jackets, back packs or bags are always very helpful. New socks and underwear are always in need. If you bring these items to the church building we'll be happy to pass them along to Dan for Regeneration. Please check out the Regeneration website for all the info on this great ministry!

Youth News!

Youth in grades 7-12 you are invited to an evening of fun! We are hosting a laser tag event right here at NRCC on October 26th from 7pm– 9pm! The

building will be transformed from the serene place you know it to be, to a maze, perfect for hiding and ambushing your friends!

There will be video games and other activities in the chapel while you wait for you session to begin.

Tickets will be on sale now for \$5.00 This includes: Pizza, drink and a few games of laser tag, a perfect night out!

Speak to Melanie in the church office for more information, and to reserve your spot!

October 27th: Youth Night At the Fitzells at 6:30

If you're in grade's 9-12 then have we got the place for you! It's the

Fitzell's on Saturday night to hang out, connect, play some games, eat snacks, and some engage in praise and prayer together because you belong here! Just let Wanda know by text at

416-970-6029 or email thefitzellfamily@gmail.com

Time: 6:30-9:30

Where: 32 Regentview Drive in

Brampton

The J Walkers

October Youth Night

Praise & Prayer

Praise the Lord:

- > Bryson (friend of the Gerbers) is continuing to recover and while still not 100% he is now at his home on his feet and able to move around. Please continue to pray that his lungs would clear.
- > Thanking the Lord for those who prepare and welcome each of us when we gather expressing the truth of the Good News thru hospitality!

Please pray for:

- > Diana Payne is having surgery today (Friday October 12) at Toronto General. Please remember Diana as well as Jason and their kids Lia and Cody.
- > The Adams family their son Ben passed away on October 3rd. The celebration of life and memorial service will be on Sunday October 21st. Please remember Ben's Parents Arnold and Elaine and their other son's as well as Ben's wife Natalie and their daughters Kyra, Autumn, Nikola, and Paige.
- > Heather Campbell as she continues her chemotherapy sessions at Brampton Civic.
- > Isaiah Augusto the infant son of Sandra and Chris in asking God to heal Isaiah of his heart issue.
- > Esme Kennedy as she continues recovering at a rehab home now from her broken hip.
- > Jason Payne's friend Teresa Wilson and her husband Al. Teresa is fighting stage 4 incurable stomach cancer.
- > Joycey Romeo a friend of Dean & Lesley Kennedy. She will begin radiation treatment shortly and then prepare in January for cancer surgery that will require her leg to be amputated. Please remember Joycey's husband Rocco and her children on this journey.
- > Christine Gerber was commissioned as the lead pastor at The Meeting House this past Sunday morning. Please pray as she continues the transition to serving and leading amongst the body there. Pray also for Jim as he continues to serve as an elder among us and begins to transition to serving at The Meeting House.
- > Those running for local government offices as they prepare for the election as well as our current local, provincial and national government leaders as they make decisions, serving our communities, provinces and country.



Our church's bible study library is digital and GIGANTIC and offered as a FREE GIFT to you! It's

called RightNow Media and with it you can instantly stream great biblical teaching to your TV, computer, tablet or smartphone! Enjoy great resources for everyone from kids to young adult and beyond from over 350 leading Christian publishers and ministries! Nashville Road is excited to provide this awesome tool as a free gift! It doesn't cost you anything! CLICK HERE and to head to the NRCC website where you can read about all the great resources and then sign up for free - no strings attached! One of the great resources you'll see is a whole series of short videos called HOW TO READ THE SCRIPTURES that has a video for every book of the Bible, outlining its literary design and main ideas, showing you how it fits into the entire biblical story. Check out the one for the book of Psalms!

GOLF TOURNAMENT COMING SOON!

Organize a foursome of golfers and come support our school golf tournament on Saturday, October 20th. We're playing at the beautiful Caledon Woods Golf Course on Hwy 50. Registration is from 2:00 to 2:45 PM, with a shotgun start at 3:00. Complete a great afternoon of golf with a delicious dinner of grilled beef tenderloin, chicken and salmon, veggies, potatoes, salad and dessert. \$60,00 for a 9 holes with a cart, \$50.00 for dinner only, and \$100,00 for golf and dinner. A silent auction fundraiser will cap off the evening. We're asked to send our registrations to the school office by Friday, October 5th.

If you are not able to attend but would like to participate, consider contributing a silent auction prize. More information available at the school office. Phone: 905-893-7211



The "Back to School" sales are beginning and as you plan for your student's back to school needs - could you add in an extra set of pencils or a binder maybe, or some pencil crayons? Reta Campbell will be heading to Richmond Jamaica again in late Fall and we can help bless the school children there with supplies they need! It's a great way to live out/express God's love as a body. We'll have a box set out soon for your contributions! Reta is also looking for very light weight 100% cotton clothes (the more style and colour the better!) to take with her as well. For more details please speak with Reta! THE LAST DAY TO DONATE IS SUNDAY, OCTO-**BER 21ST!!**



Women's Connect and grow

We're beginning a 4 session study on

Living Life Together! Ladies, if you'd like to create authentic relationships in community with other women to fulfill God's purposes, please join together on October 16 at 7pm in the Chapel.

Family News!!

Family Communication Meeting: Sunday, October 21

For some time now the elders have been engaged in a process of discernment about a change of denomination for the church body, to better align our beliefs regarding the role of women in leadership with denominational position. There will be a short family communication meeting following the gathering on Sunday, October 21 to provide an update and further information about next steps in our process.

Stay tuned......

We are currently working on a Pre Christmas Gathering here at our Church. Please set aside Friday evening, **November 23rd**. We will be kicking off the Christmas season in a fun way!

Family Hapenings

Happy Birthday to Doug Lister!! Doug celebrates his 29th birthday on October the 18th!

What is this? Something you sit on or is it actually something far bigger and grander? Do you see a chair or an opportunity? An invitation? The beginning of an adventure? How does this chair become an expression of the Good News of Jesus when we gather?

