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NASHVILLE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWSLETTER OCT 30 - NOV 6, 2020

CELEBRATE FAMILY HAPPENINGS!



- > **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Jenny Cook who celebrates her Birthday on Sunday November 1st
- > **HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Lesley Kennedy who celebrates her Birthday on Monday November 2nd



YAY! AN EXTRA HOUR OF ...

Don't forget to set your clocks back an hour on Saturday night and enjoy!



NRCC ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:

Sunday November 29th after the morning gathering. Stay tuned for more details.



SUNDAY MORNING GATHERINGS:

IN PERSON:

Please pre-register *each week* for Sunday in-person gatherings. [CLICK HERE](#) to let us know how many in your household or "bubble" will be attending with you and sitting together. *If you forget to pre-register, you will need to register at the door when you arrive.*

ONLINE:

We use ZOOM for our Sunday online gatherings. Once you request and receive the ZOOM link - it can be reused each Sunday morning without the need to request it again. [CLICK HERE](#) and we'll send it to you via email.

YORK REGION MODIFIED RESTRICTIONS AND NASHVILLE ROAD IN-PERSON GATHERINGS:

Please note that while York Region moved to modified Phase 2 restrictions for social gatherings on Monday October 19th - *schools, daycare centers and places of worship* are currently **exempt** from those restrictions. Which means we are still able to gather in person and we will continue to observe all established guidelines for room capacity, masks and physical distancing as we do. Should those gathering restrictions change to include places of worship - we will comply and communicate those changes with the Nashville Road body as quickly as possible. [Please CLICK HERE for more info.](#)

PRAISE + PRAYER ITEMS:

Here are a few items we can focus on today to help express our faith by joining in praise and prayer:

- > Please continue praying for financial support, rest and discernment for Lisa Ogbole and peace for the young ladies at Imani's Place. [Check their website for details on their fundraising initiatives!](#)
- > Remember Olu & Jennifer Jegede who serve the Jane & Finch community thru Inner City Outreach Foundation
- > Please pray for Martha Lawson's brother Jon struggling with concussion symptoms, anger and oppression. Please pray for a settlement with his employer who has not given him any long term disability compensation as well as praying for Martha and her family as they try to help Jon.
- > Praise the Lord - Karin Schmidt, one of our KCA teachers has returned to work after breaking her femur this summer.
- > Please pray for Esme Kennedy as she is still in Headwaters hospital with stomach issues.
- > Continue praying for Ava Cook's young friend Chloe who has had a recurrence of cancer. Pray for Ava and the Cook's as they show love and care for Chloe and her family and walk alongside them.
- > Please continue praying for our Black brothers and sisters and for God to lead His people to unity in wisdom and humility as a community to bring God's kingdom with God's justice near and eradicate racial injustice.
- > Continue to remember our Healthcare Workers - Nurses and Doctors and our First Responders - Fire, Police and Ambulance. Charissa Redlich, Janet Body and Judi Guaragna in healthcare. Mark Redlich serves with the Region of Peel. Dave Jordan is involved in essential services driving a transport truck to help keep essential goods flowing.
- > Continue praying for all areas of our government as they evaluate and seek wisdom to make ongoing decisions for our country, provinces and communities. Please remember Caledon Mayor Allan Thompson and his family.
- > Pray for Giovanna Heron working with Child and Youth mental health as a counsellor in BC.
- > Pray for Dan Gibson and the leadership of Regeneration Outreach Community in Brampton as they work thru administration issues on top of providing significant daily ministry into the community.

When you have an item for praise or prayer to share with our Nashville Road family - please contact [Melanie](#) in the church office and let her know or [you can click here to share a praise or prayer request from our church website](#)

OPPORTUNITIES TO LIVE OUT THE LOVE OF GOD:



HALLOWEEN FOOD DRIVE:

SATURDAY / OCT 31/ 12-4PM / 253 QUEEN ST EAST, BRAMPTON

Join Regeneration Marketplace's FIRST Touch-less, Drive-By, Food Drive this Halloween!

Children can come in costume as you drive by and drop off food to share with our community!

Needed Items Include:

- > Canned Foods > Dry Goods
- > Diapers > Vegetable Oil



BLESSING RICHMOND JAMAICA

Reta Campbell is preparing to return to Jamaica later in the fall to love her community there in practical ways.

You can be involved by helping to provide school supplies and gently used children's toys and clothing that can be worn in a warmer climate for Reta to take with her.

A container is available on Sunday mornings at the Nashville Road building for you to contribute any donations.

If you're able to help and would like more info - please contact [Reta](#) for the details.

UPCOMING EVENTS + ACTIVITIES:



TEEN RANCH
MASKQUERADE
A night of October fun!

Scavenger Hunt, Campfire, Live Music,
Xtreme Bingo, Mask Contest

Please bring a flashlight,
mask (prizes for best mask!) and a marker for Xtreme Bingo!

HALLOWEEN MASKquerade FOR STUDENTS AGE 12-18: SATURDAY / OCTOBER 31 / 6-9PM / TEEN RANCH, CALEDON

Looking for something for your teen to do on Halloween? Teen Ranch has just the thing - a MASKquerade! There will be a scavenger hunt, live music, extreme bingo and more - including a best MASK prize for those things we're all getting used to wearing!

It takes place at Teen Ranch on HWY 10 - South of Orangeville on Saturday October 31st from 6-9pm. Space is limited so if you're interested [CLICK HERE](#) for more info about costs and how to reserve your space!




women's
CONNECT + GROW!

CONNECTING AROUND A PHYSICAL TABLE:

TUES / NOV 10 / 7PM / THE CHAPEL @ THE NRCC BUILDING

The ladies of Women's Connect and Grow are reflecting on their thought life as they discuss a 6 session teaching by Jennie Allen called 'Get Out of Your Head'. We gather bi-weekly from 7:00-9:00pm. If interested, please join us!

So that we can get the room set up to provide physical distancing please let Gail know in advance if you will be attending by [CLICKING HERE](#).



**MOVING WITH
MUSIC**

WE'RE MOVING AGAIN!

WEDNESDAY / NOV 3 / 9AM / NRCC GYM

We're getting our MOVE ON again Wednesday mornings!

Moving With Music is designed as a fun way to make you move! 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. For more information please contact [Bethany](#)

WAYS TO CONNECT + SERVE:



IT'S MORE THAN A
SEAT

CHAIR CREW

It's more than simply a place where someone sits - for us, a chair represents a person and their journey with God. It reflects hospitality and our desire to gather as family to journey together. We're looking for some people who share that vision and can help set up the auditorium for Sunday morning gatherings. It's another way to serve God and the Nashville Road body. If you are interested - please contact [Melanie](#) and let her know.



Kids!KONNECTION!
PARENT/GUARDIAN SURVEY

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Under normal circumstances our Sunday morning Kids Konnection ministry includes two Children's programs, Junior Kids Konnection for Kindergarten + grade 1 and Senior Kids Konnection for grades 2-6. We would like to understand the feelings and intentions of our families in terms of returning to in-person Kids Konnection programming on Sunday mornings. If you have children - please take a moment to fill in this [SHORT SURVEY](#).



LOOKING FOR SOME TECH TEAMMATES!

Our Tech Team are awesome and integral to our gatherings - they help us connect audibly and visually both in-person and online!

A great way to get engaged as part of our community is to serve and the Tech Team needs your gifts! If you're into the techy side of things - or you're willing to learn then we've got the team for you!

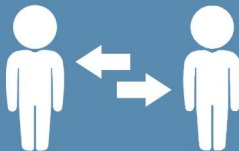
Just speak to one of the Tech Team members on a Sunday morning or let [Melanie](#) know that you're interested and we'll help you get involved!

we're so happy to see you!

when we're together inside the Nashville Road Building please do your part to honour others:



masks or
face coverings
are required



keep a
6 foot
physical distance

HONOURING OTHERS

Wearing a mask is a requirement for attending indoor worship gatherings as stated by York Region's guidelines, so thank you for wearing yours on Sunday mornings. If you forget yours, don't worry we'll have extra's in case you need one.

For children - we're following the Peel District School Board guidelines and asking that all children in grade 1 and above please wear a mask. For children younger than Grade 1 - masks are recommended but not required.

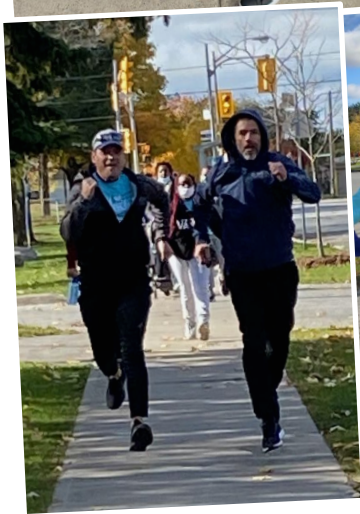
COVID-19 SELF-ASSESSMENT TOOL:

We encourage you to make use of the self assessment tool that the Ministry of Health has made available online to help you decide whether you should attend public gatherings. It's simple to use and you can find it here:

[SELF-ASSESSMENT TOOL](#)

STACKING HANDS WITH INNER CITY OUTREACH: 5K CHARITY RUN OCTOBER 24

Last Saturday we joined together with Jen & Olu to support the great ministry of Inner City Outreach! Thanks to all who gave time, effort and resources to walk, run, roll or crawl and live out the love of God together in your neighbourhood, cottage or at Jane & Finch! Looking forward to next year already - *and more time to start getting limbered up for the 5K!*



POST-SECONDARY STUDENT PRAYER CARDS:

We're praying for our students who have entered or returned to post secondary studies this fall! Here are digital prayer cards for those who may not have been able to receive a physical card while at the church building.



STUDENT PRAYER CARD

ALAIYAH WILSON

UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO, ONTARIO

PRAYER REQUESTS

- > THAT GOD WILL PROVIDE THE RIGHT SCHOOL AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AND THAT I WILL BE PREPARED FOR THESE WHEN THEY COME

Thank You!



STUDENT PRAYER CARD

ALLY RYDEEN

GRAND CANYON UNIVERSITY, ARIZONA

PRAYER REQUESTS

- > FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY AT SCHOOL DURING THE COVID PANDEMIC
- > HEALING FROM CONSTANT BACK PAIN
- > CONTINUING TO BALANCE FRIENDSHIPS AND SCHOOL

Thank You!



STUDENT PRAYER CARD

AMANDA RYDEEN

GRAND CANYON UNIVERSITY, ARIZONA

PRAYER REQUESTS

- > FOR HEALTH AND SAFETY AT SCHOOL
- > MAKING NEW CHRISTIAN FRIENDS
- > BALANCING SCHOOL AND FRIENDS
- > ADJUSTING TO BEING AWAY FROM HOME

Thank You!



STUDENT PRAYER CARD

JOANNA REDLICH

UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH, GUELPH

PRAYER REQUESTS

- > HEALTH & SAFETY WITH COVID PRECAUTIONS AND SOCCER TRAINING
- > BUILDING GOOD RELATIONSHIPS WITH MY THREE ROOMMATES
- > OPPORTUNITY FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH WHILE BALANCING SCHOOLWORK

Thank You!

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