

GOD OF ALL SEASONS

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NASHVILLE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER 11 - 18, 2020

CELEBRATE FAMILY HAPPENINGS!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to Melanie & Dave Jordan who celebrate their Anniversary on Friday September 11th

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Lia Payne who celebrates her Birthday on Sunday September 13th



RETURN TO IN-PERSON SUNDAY GATHERINGS UPDATE:

We're looking forward to gathering under the same physical roof on Sunday **September 20th**. In anticipation we'd like to get a sense of how many of us are planning to be present in the auditorium that morning. So that we can comply with regional health guidelines on public gatherings and create seating that allows us to safely maximize the capacity of the auditorium please take a moment and let us know by [clicking this Return Form](#) or clicking on the graphic to the left and let us know how many in your household will be attending our in-person gathering on Sunday September 20th.



POST-SECONDARY STUDENT PRAYER CARDS

We want to practice family support to our students who have entering or returning to post secondary studies this fall and are making the adjustment to a new chapter in their lives in a very different environment than they envisioned. If you're a parent of a student in post-secondary studies - we're making prayer cards available so the NRCC family can join you in praying for them. If you would like us to make a prayer card for your student - all you need to do is [email Dean](#) the following:

> A picture for the card
> The Post-Secondary institution they are attending
> Prayer needs you'd like to include



WOMEN'S CONNECT IS RE-ZOOMING!

TUESDAY / SEPT 15 / 7PM / ZOOM

After taking a bit of an August break - Women's Connect will gather on ZOOM this week to check in and chat. If you're interested in joining around the Digital Table - [please click here](#) and someone will be in touch to give you the ZOOM information for this week.

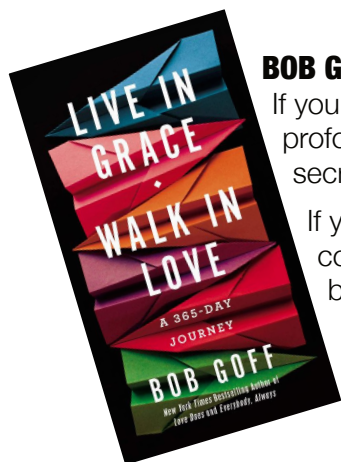
We're looking forward to connecting and growing together again and commencing our fall program. Once those details are finalized, we'll put them in the eNews and on the website. If interested, please fill in the contact form on the website or speak with Gail Lister.



DRYWALL HELP INSTALL NEEDED AT IMANI'S PLACE

If you have any experience in hanging drywall or are willing to help - Imani's Place needs some assistance in drywalling the basement of the home. The drywall and materials are already purchased and onsite.

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



BOB GOFF DEVOTIONAL:

If you were part of our Love Does series then you know Bob Goff! Bob is light and fun, unique and profound, and we hope the lessons drawn from Bob's life and attitude have inspired you to be secretly incredible!

If you're not ready to say goodbye to Bob just yet then we highly recommend getting into a couple of his books! His latest is a daily devotional called *Live in Grace - Walk in Love* and it will be a great encouragement on the adventure of walking with Jesus!

PRAISE + PRAYER:

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

> Praise the Lord - Imani's Place has been awarded the financial grant funds! There are many procedures and limitations however they are so grateful for answered prayer! Please ask God for continued financial support, rest and discernment for Lisa Ogbole and peace for the young ladies there. [Check their website for details on their fundraising initiatives!](#)

> Praise the Lord for a good start to a new (and different) school year. Continue to pray for teachers and administrators as they continue the return to school process. Pray for students who are beginning school either for the first time or returning and whether that be in-class or online and for their elementary, secondary or post-secondary education.

> Pray for Reta Campbell's son Chester and his family in Jamaica as they recover from the fire that destroyed his business.

> Chloe is Ava Cook's young friend 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 as they walk alongside them.

> Continue to ask God for His wisdom and for humility as a community to bring God's kingdom with God's justice near to eradicate racial injustice. Please continue praying for our Black brothers and sisters.

> Pam's Vander Kooi's mother-in-law, Nancy begins radiation treatment shortly. Pam was a teacher at KCA for many years.

> 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 Premier Doug Ford and his family.

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](#)

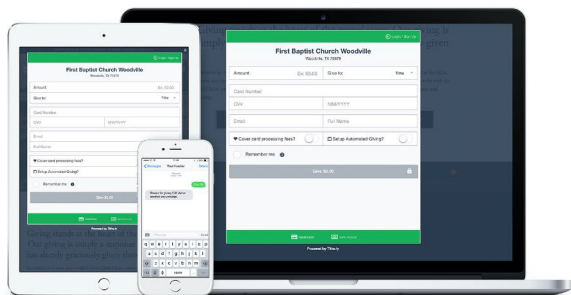


PARENTS AND KIDS TOGETHER!

With the help of RightNow Media - we're taking our KidsKonnection activities online - it's the @Home Version! If you don't have a RightNow Media account - don't worry - it's free and you can get one anytime - [just click here!](#)

So once you've got a RightNow Media account - kids can head over to our [KidsKonnection page](#) to engage and learn about Jesus together with their families!

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SHARING OUR OFFERING

The heart of Nashville Road Community Church has always been to show the hope found in Jesus by living out His love to everyone. Generosity is an act of worship that expresses our gratitude, faith and love for others. We are grateful for how God has provided for Nashville Road through your generosity during this season of COVID and our inability to gather in person.

We want to make it easy for you to be generous, should you choose to support the mission of NRCC financially.

Check out [the GIVE tab on the NRCC website](#) for info on the options for giving online as well as thru regular envelope donations.



TOGETHER!

Nashville Road is a people who ... are family! Our desire has been to practice being family and ensure no one feels isolated or alone even as we wisely practice physical distancing. As we work towards a return to in-person gatherings under the same physical roof - we'll continue to gather at 10:30 Sunday mornings under a *digital roof* thru our phones, computers and TV's!

Our gathering "place" is our NRCC TOGETHER space that gives us the opportunity to engage together from our own living rooms around our city and connect, sing, pray, chat and encourage one another to live out God's love as good neighbours in our communities.

If you're new to the online portal - there's no need to sign up or login to be part of the gathering and there's some basic "how-to" info on the next page in order to take advantage of our online time together. We go live on Sunday morning at 10:30. So stay in your PJ's if you want, grab some coffee, gather your fam, and click the button below and be NRCC Together!





BASIC TECH INFO FOR OUR SUNDAY ONLINE GATHERINGS

We're excited to have a space to gather together on Sunday mornings under a digital roof!

Since most of us are new to this experience - we've put some basic info on our website that will be helpful if you want to get familiar with what the interface looks like as well as the resources that are available like chat, online bible, live prayer etc.

[Just click here](#) and you can head over to our website where you can get a visual tour of the interface and other helpful info if needed.

SUNDAY CHURCH ONLINE GATHERING UPDATE:

As we continue to learn about our online church environment we want to keep you updated with info so that we can all enjoy as seamless a gathering as possible!

10:30 GATHERING STARTS:

A standard looping video will play until our Sunday video feed begins *automatically* at 10:30 with a 1 minute countdown. If for some reason the Sunday video doesn't begin automatically then clicking the *REFRESH* button should fix any lag. *Oh - and you'll also have to click the **UNMUTE** button on the main view screen to have sound!*

ARRIVING AFTER 10:30:

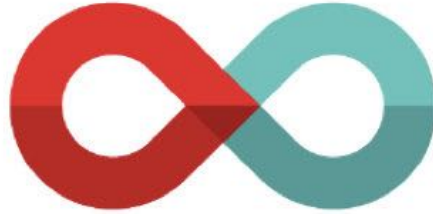
If you're unable to begin the gathering at 10:30 and arrive later - think about it like you're coming into the gym from the lobby at 10:40 and joining the gathering live. To do that - just hit **REFRESH** and you can join the gathering in progress - which allows you to be in sync with wherever the gathering is at that point in time. Whereas if you press play and "start" the gathering from the beginning manually at another time, say at 10:40 - then you'll be 10 minutes behind and you'll be slightly out of sync and so will your comments in the chat window.

Also if at any point you need to PAUSE then hit RERESH when you return and you'll stay in sync with the gathering in real time. We'll try to put some cues in the CHAT WINDOW as to where we are in the gathering to help keep you in sync!

WATCHING OR REWATCHING THE GATHERING AT ANOTHER TIME:

If you're unable to join us live at 10:30 and/or want to watch the gathering video later - we post that video on our Nashville Road website immediately following the end of the live gathering. You will not be able to access it from the Sunday morning location - but it can easily be accessed on the [NRCC website Online Gathering page](#).

Together, we are Canada's Lifeline



Blood
for Life

Plasma
for Life

Stem Cells
for Life

Organs & Tissues
for Life

CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS FOR THE BOLTON LOCATION:

Volunteers act as ambassadors for our blood system, and save lives by giving time. Be the difference that keeps Canada Living! Join Canada's Lifeline this New Year.

If you are interested in saving lives through your volunteer work please email: nena.pestano@blood.ca or call at 416-526-1972 or apply online at www.blood.ca

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