

GOD OF ALL SEASONS

ECCLESIASTES 3:1



NASHVILLE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWSLETTER SEPT 25 - OCT 2, 2020



REGISTERING FOR SUNDAY IN-PERSON GATHERING:

We're looking forward to the opportunity to gather under the same physical roof this Sunday morning! If you are planning on being in-person for our gathering and haven't done so yet - please take a moment and REGISTER so that we know how many of us are planning to be present in the auditorium that morning. That helps us comply with regional health guidelines on public gatherings and create seating that allows us to safely maximize the capacity of the auditorium. [Click this Return Form](#) and let us know how many in your household will be attending our in-person gathering on **Sunday September 27th**

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](#)

MASKS:

Just a reminder that masks are a requirement for attending Indoor Worship Gatherings as stated by York Region, so please remember yours on Sunday morning. If you forget, don't worry we'll have extra's in case you need one.

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



NEW SUNDAY MORNING DIGITAL ROOF!

If you're not able to be present in-person at the NRCC building on a Sunday morning, you can still be part of the gathering as we'll still provide a way to gather at 10:30 Sunday mornings under a *digital roof* thru our phones, computers and TV's!

Our online gathering "place" will change though - beginning this **Sunday September 27th** we'll be using ZOOM for our Sunday Morning online gatherings - which is different from what we've been using on Sunday's previously.

REGISTERING FOR SUNDAY ONLINE GATHERING:

In order to see the live video feed starting September 27th you'll need to request the ZOOM link. [Just click here and we'll send it to you via email.](#)

Then on Sunday morning just click that link and once the gathering starts live at 10:30 - you'll be able to see and engage almost as if you were right in the gym!

You can use ZOOM on your phone, computer or iPad. If you plan to use your computer then you can just click the link once it's sent to you and use your computer browser.

If you plan to use a phone or iPad, then you'll need to download the ZOOM App from the App Store or Google Store and then you can use the ZOOM link we send for the Sunday Gathering on your device.

We look forward to having everyone TOGETHER whether that's in-person or online!



SHARING COMMUNION THIS SUNDAY MORNING

We will be remembering and proclaiming Jesus sacrifice and resurrection this Sunday thru "communion". So as to be wise and limit touch we will not be passing a communion plate - instead will have individually sealed bread and juice cups available to be picked up when you enter the auditorium.

If you are joining our gathering online - we encourage you to have your elements of bread and drink ready so that we can all participate as one together regardless of where we are geographically.

CELEBRATE FAMILY HAPPENINGS!

- HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Eric Jordan who celebrates his 16th Birthday on Friday September 25th
- HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to LeeAnn Major who celebrates her Birthday on Saturday September 26th
- HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Michael Cook who celebrates his Birthday on Saturday September 26th
- HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Nicole Brodeur who celebrates her Birthday on Tuesday September 29th
- HAPPY BIRTHDAY** to Marlea Burgess who celebrates her Birthday on Thursday October 1st



PRAISE + PRAYER:

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

- > Please ask God for continued 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!](#)
- > Esther is one of our Senior Preschool Teachers at KELC - her mother passed away on Tuesday morning. Please remember Esther and her family as they grieve her passing but rejoice that she is with Jesus.
- > Please pray for health and protection for KELC, KCA students, teachers and families. Karin Schmidt is one of our KCA teachers - please pray for her as she recovers from a femur break this summer. Pray for LeeAnn who is stepping in to fill Karin's responsibilities in the meantime.
- > Pam Vander Kooi taught at KCA for many years and her mother-in-law, Nancy is undergoing radiation treatment.
- > Continue to remember Reta Campbell's son Chester and his family in Jamaica as they recover from the fire that recently destroyed his business.
- > Remember 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 as they 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.
- > 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.
- > Remember Dan Gibson and the ministry of Regeneration Outreach Community in Brampton as they continue to meet the needs amid rising COVID cases in the larger Brampton area
- > We met Olu & Jennifer Jegede last Sunday. Please remember them in prayer as they minister to their community in Jane & Finch thru Inner City Outreach Foundation.
- > Remember Dan Gibson and the ministry of Regeneration Outreach Community in Brampton as they continue to meet the needs of those experiencing homelessness amid rising COVID cases in the larger Brampton area.

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!

We're looking forward to our Kid's Konnection Live Moment in our Sunday morning gathering! Charissa is awesome! We'll still be continuing with our KidsKonnection@Home Version as well!

You'll need a RightNow Media account but 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!



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.



POST-SECONDARY STUDENT PRAYER CARDS

We're supporting our students who have entered or returned 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

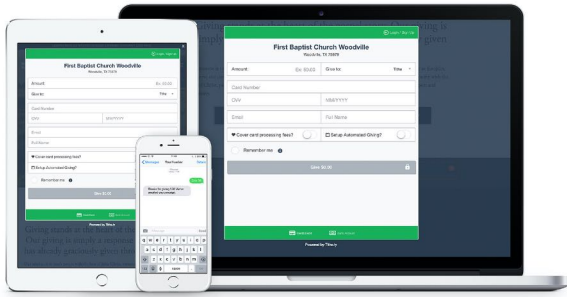


GREAT "STACKING HANDS" OPPORTUNITY!

We're joining together with Jennifer and Olu Jegede who lead [Inner City Outreach](#) to help make a difference by bringing God's kingdom near in a totally active way! It's a 5K run/walk/jog/crawl on Saturday October 24th to help raise funds for Inner City Outreach and their ministry in the Jane & Finch community.

You can choose to participate with the Cook's who are running in the Jane & Finch Community on October 24th at 10am OR you can participate right in your own neighbourhood and community with others.

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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 to God, faith in Him 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.

Beginning Sunday morning we will have a box on hand for those who wish to give their financial offering via envelope.



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: nenapestano@blood.ca or call at 416-526-1972 or apply online at www.blood.ca

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