

RE:NEW

THE OLD HAS GONE, THE NEW IS UNLEASHED!

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NASHVILLE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWSLETTER - FEBRUARY 22 - MARCH 1, 2019

JOINING IN PRAISE + PRAYER TOGETHER

> Martha Lawson's brother - Jonathan is struggling with the effects of a serious concussion. Simple tasks are proving to be a struggle. Please pray for wise doctors, support groups and the love of Jesus to minister powerfully to Jonathan.

> Addison Aspilla's mother Cora was taken to hospital last week and is now in the ICU in critical but stable condition as they await test results to figure out what is wrong.

> Marisa Parise will be heading for the next leg of her mission to Laos Asia shortly with "Freeing the Children Mission". Please pray for her as she prepares as this is the portion of her time in Asia where she will be out of contact with friends and family.

> Sandra & Chris Augusto are awaiting tests and results for Isaiah to determine when his heart surgery will be. Please pray for strength for them in particular for Isaiah's big brother Ezra as he tries to understand all that is happening. Keep up to date with how to pray for Isaiah and the Augusto family in [Sandra's blog](#)

> Reta Campbell continues ministering alongside other church ministries in Jamaica to support children and families. Continue praying for unity amongst the churches.

If you are aware of items for praise or needs that we as a community can join together in prayer - please let Melanie in the church office know or email her at:

melanie@nashvilleroad.ca

QUICK LOOK CALENDAR

- > **FEB 23 / 4PM** / Coldest Night of the Year
- > **FEB 23 / 8PM** / J-Walkers Sr Hi Youth Nite
- > **FEB 27 / 9:30AM** / Moving With Music
- > **MAR 2 / 8:30AM** / Men's Breakfast
- > **MAR 5 / 6PM** / Pancake Dinner
- > **MAR 19 / 7PM** / Women's Connect + Grow
- > **MAR 23 / 9AM** / Unleashed to Serve seminar
- > **APR 19 / 10:30AM** / Good Friday Gathering at Connect Church

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 24TH GATHERING

Author Lynda Barry once said that *"Love is the exploding cigar we willingly smoke."* That's a definition of a complicated word but a definition that connects to the truth that humanity longs for love so deeply that the reward is worth the risk of pain to experience it. In his song "Ordinary Love", Ben Rector yearns for a love *"that I touch, that I hold."* Love that is tangible and not merely a thought or an idea.

On the last night before His crucifixion - around a table and a symbolic meal - Jesus reoriented His followers to a tangible love - love as a verb. This Sunday we continue our **Re:New** series looking at the one all encompassing command Jesus gave that fulfilled and replaced all the Old Covenant commands. It wasn't the Golden Rule - "Do unto others as you would have them do unto you" - that's so Old Covenant. His new command was and is more glorious and weighty - "Do unto others *as I have done unto you.*" Looking forward to reNEWing life together as we gather!

FAMILY HAPPENINGS



CONGRATULATIONS - Amy & Mike Hammond welcome their new baby boy - Mason Michael born on February 18th weighing 6lbs 12oz! Congrats also to grandparents Chris & LeeAnn Major and great grandparents Hugh & Marietta Maguire!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY - Ryan Jordan turns the BIG 16 on February 23rd! Have a great day Ryan! Good luck on your driving test!



walk with us
feb. 23, 2019

COLDEST NIGHT OF THE YEAR
SATURDAY / FEB 23 / 4-8PM / 340 VODDEN STREET BRAMPTON

The Coldest Night of the Year is a family-friendly national walk-a-thon where our Nashville Road family get to live out the love of God by helping raise funds for charities that serve hungry, homeless and hurting people in our community, and in 136 communities across Canada. It's a great way for us to put love into action - together!

We're going to be walking in support of **Regeneration Outreach in Brampton**. For all the info on the walk, who we're walking for and how to sign up [go to the Nashville Road web site](#)



J-WALKERS SR-HI YOUTH NITE
SATURDAY / FEB 23 / 8PM / 32 REGENTVIEW DRIVE, BRAMPTON

First we're going to walk together as part of the Coldest Night of the Year to support our neighbours at Regeneration Outreach Community in Brampton! [Join our Walking with Brampton Team by clicking here!](#)

Then we're going to meet back at the Fitzells at 8pm until 10 for some Sloppy Joe's and a Hot Chocolate bar to warm up!

There's always room for you! Just RSVP to [Wanda Fitzell](#) or 416-970-6029

If you have items for the eNews please contact Melanie at the church office by Wednesday each week. She can be reached via email at: melanie@nashvilleroad.ca

MOVING WITH MUSIC
WEDNESDAY / FEB 27 / 9:30AM / THE CHAPEL

It's time to get your MOVE on and the MOVING WITH MUSIC program is designed to do just that! 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!

Please contact Julia at 647-230-2066 or email: info@juliasplacemusictherapy.com



"PANCAKE TUESDAY" DINNER
TUESDAY / MAR 5 / 6PM / THE NRCC MAIN AUDITORIUM

Some traditions offer a Pancake Supper on the eve of Ash Wednesday which kicks off a season of abstaining from certain foods or practices leading up to Easter. Our vision for this supper is simply to enjoy the pleasure of one another's company along with a menu of pancakes, butter, maple syrup, whipped cream, berries, bacon and sausage. All you need to do is sign up at the Welcome Desk and get ready to enjoy breakfast for supper!



UNLEASHED TO SERVE SEMINAR
SATURDAY / MAR 23 / 9AM-3PM / THE CHAPEL

We all have dreams and aspirations. We all have gifts and talents. So let's engage with energy and action to unleash our uniqueness in God's Kingdom together! We're having a one day seminar to help you define your dreams and aspirations; explore your gifts and passion; set goals based on values; and choose an accountability team to help put them in action!

COST: \$10 INCLUDES LUNCH

A PEOPLE WHO ... ROAD RALLY

SATURDAY / JUNE 1 / 9AM / CALEDON MEALS ON WHEELS

Caledon Meals on Wheels is holding a fun, interactive, community Road Rally fundraiser tentatively scheduled to take place on Saturday June 1, 2019 from 9AM- Noon. Journey through the picturesque Headwaters Region making stops to enjoy delicious snacks and collect passport stamps. Then assemble back at a centralized location to enjoy interactive health and wellness activities, a barbeque, entertainment and a chance to win prizes.

We are inviting members of local car clubs, as well as nutrition, health and wellness enthusiasts to participate in planning this community event. Do you know someone who may be interested in being a part of the team that helps to create our inaugural Road Rally? The committee assists with planning the following - Road Rally Route - Games & Activities - Barbeque - Entertainment - Prize Acquisition - Recruiting participants - Marketing & Promotion

Committee meetings take place in the evenings 1 to 2 times a month, tentatively scheduled for Tuesday evenings. If you are interested, please contact Deirdre at (905) 857-7651 ext. 27 or check out [Caledon Meals on Wheels](#)

FAMILY GAMES NIGHT!



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