

# RE:NEW

THE OLD HAS GONE, THE NEW IS UNLEASHED!

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NASHVILLE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH NEWSLETTER - MARCH 8 - 15, 2019

## JOINING IN PRAISE + PRAYER TOGETHER

> Please remember Deirdre and her family as they mourn the passing of Di's father and prepare for the celebration of life memorial in Parry Sound.

> Addison Aspilla's mother Cora is still in the ICU but doing much better. She has been diagnosed with Anca Vasculitis which is a rare autoimmune disease that although has no cure, can be managed. All signs point to a slow recovery.

> Marisa Parise is now in Laos Asia with "Freeing the Children Mission". This next portion of her time in Asia means she is out of contact with friends and family due to the sensitive nature of their ministry.

> Sandra & Chris Augusto continue to await tests 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](#)

> Continue praying for Martha Lawson's brother Jonathan as he continues to struggle with the effects of a serious concussion. Wisdom for doctors, support groups and the love of Jesus to minister powerfully to Jonathan are great ways to pray.

> Please pray for our Provincial government leadership as they wrestle with decisions. One area in particular for our prayers is in the area of funding for students with autism and those families at KCA that are significantly financially impacted by the government decision to cap funding.

> Ryan Jordan is in Europe with his school from March 6-15th. Pray for journeying mercies on this adventure!.

> Remember all families traveling during March Break.

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*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:*

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## SUNDAY MARCH 10TH GATHERING

Early in His ministry Jesus announced, "I have come to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour". So it stands to reason that, as people of the new covenant, we are people of favour. Doesn't it?

We're looking forward to being together as family and exploring the question, "Am I really that special?" (Spoiler alert: the answer is YES!).

## FAMILY HAPPENINGS

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** - To Charlene Cook who celebrated her birthday on March 4th!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** - To Dan Gibson who also celebrated his birthday on March 4th!

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY** - To Cody Payne who celebrated his birthday on March 5th!

## QUICK LOOK CALENDAR

> **MAR 19 / 7PM** / Women's Connect + Grow

> **MAR 23 / 9AM** / Unleashed to Serve seminar

> **MAR 23 / 6:30PM** / J-Walkers Sr Hi Youth Nite

> **APR 19 / 10:30AM** / Good Friday Gathering at Connect Church

> **APR 28 / 6PM** / Potluck + Annual General Meeting

> **MAY 1+2 / 7PM** / KCA's Production of "Seussical Jr"



**THANKS FOR BREAKING PANCAKES TOGETHER!**

Thanks to all who made our “Pancake Tuesday” so great this past week! Whether that was in mixing whip cream or cooking the pancakes or bringing special Cinnamon pancakes! You all served each other in some way and it was awesome to be part of! Special thanks to Dave Lawson for envisioning and organizing everything!



**WOMEN’S CONNECT + GROW  
TUESDAY / MAR 19 / 7PM / THE CHAPEL**

Ladies, we’re connecting every other Tuesday evening for a couple of hours to share and grow! Currently we are discussing J.D. Greear’s video teaching on the book of Ephesians! There’s always room around the table to connect and grow together! If you’re interested, please speak with Gail Lister or leave your contact information with the church office.



**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! Speak to Andrea Wilson for more info.

**COST: \$10 INCLUDES LUNCH**



**J-WALKERS SR-HI YOUTH NITE  
SATURDAY / MAR 23 / 6:30PM / 32 REGENTVIEW DR, BRAMPTON**

What puts a spring in your step? Food, friends and finding hidden treats! The Fitzell’s place on a Saturday night is the place to be! Can’t wait to see you all because there’s always room for you!

Just RSVP to [Wanda Fitzell](mailto: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](mailto:melanie@nashvilleroad.ca)*



**FAITH EXPRESSING ITSELF THRU LOVE**

**SUNDAY / MAR 30 / 10:30AM / MORNING GATHERING**

In Acts 4 we read that the New Covenant People of Jesus - Christians, were *“one in heart and mind. No one claimed that any of their possessions was their own, but they shared everything they had”* and that *“God’s grace was so powerfully at work in them all that there were no needy persons among them.”* (vs 32, 33) That’s what happens when God’s grace is at work - His love is lived out and needs are met - it’s Family the way God intended it - and it’s also awesome! On March 30th during our Sunday morning gathering we’re going to be intentional about sharing as we receive a special offering towards our Benevolent Fund that will help us meet some practical needs within the NRCC body. Please pray and prepare to give as God’s Spirit prompts you.



**LENT DEVOTIONAL GUIDES AVAILABLE**

For those who wish to prepare for Easter we have free reflection guides available at the Welcome Desk that will help you in your journey thru the season of Lent.



**GOOD FRIDAY GATHERING**

**FRIDAY / APR 19 / 10:30AM / CONNECT CHURCH BUILDING**

We’re looking forward to joining with the wider church body on Good Friday and this year we’re meeting at the Connect Church building - [12495 HWY 50 in Bolton](#)



**KCA'S PRODUCTION OF SEUSSICAL JR**

**WED + THUR / MAY 1 + 2 / 7PM / NRCC MAIN AUDITORIUM**

You’ll want to save the dates for this now! Get ready to be transported by our KCA students from the Jungle of Nool to the Circus McGurkus as the Cat in the Hat narrates the story of Horton the Elephant, who discovers a speck of dust containing tiny people called the “Whos.” Horton must protect the Whos from a world of naysayers and dangers, and he must also guard an abandoned egg that’s been left in his care. Horton faces ridicule, danger and a trial but ultimately, the powers of friendship, loyalty, family and community are challenged and emerge triumphant!

