



# WELCOME

October 2, 2016

Rev. Gary Landers

# Welcome to

## North Grenville Community Church

### For First Time Guests:

It is a pleasure to welcome you this morning! Downstairs we have Kidz Worship for school aged children from 4-12, and supervised nursery care is provided for infants, to preschoolers from 0-4 years (not in school).

- Children will be dismissed for their worship service at about 10:45 AM.
- Teens will meet in the foyer during the sermon for their class.
- Infants/toddlers/preschoolers up to the age of 4 years will be invited to the Nursery during the sermon.

You will see a table in the centre aisle, with Bibles on it. These bibles are for your use during the service, kindly return them to the table when the service is over. If you do not have a Bible and want one, please contact the Church office.

### Today:

**Sermon:** Zechariah and Mary's Responses to the Lord

**Scripture:** Luke 1

Pastor Gary is in the Church office on a part time basis during the week, usually Tuesday and Thursday. He can be reached for appointments by calling the Church office 258-4815 or by e-mail at [pastor@ngccfm.ca](mailto:pastor@ngccfm.ca) or 613-601-2812 (cell).

### Celebrating this week:

**Happy Birthday:** Florence Rogers (4th)

**Happy Anniversary:** Jamie & Richinda Bates (5th)

Louis & Louise Bergeron (6th)

Kevin & Joely Smith (6th)



If we missed mentioning your birthday or anniversary, please let us know at 258-4815.

## ***This Week, Please Pray For:***

### **Families:**

- Phyllis Eaton & Family
- Robert Feibel & Family

### **Pastoral Families:**

- Pastor Gary & Margaret Landers
- Pastor Elizabeth Stewart
- Our Official Board Families

### **Overseas Missionaries:**

- Rev. David & Jennifer Wright (Niger)
- Rev. Dean & Stephanie Babcock (Malawi)
- Rev. Sok Em (Cambodia)
- Rev. Debbie Hogeboom (Kenya)

***“Prayer does not fit  
us for the greater  
work; prayer is the  
greater work.”***

***Oswald Chambers***

**The prayer chain can be initiated by calling the Church at 613-258-4815 x 100. The prayer team meets at the Church on Tuesdays at 11 AM.**

### **Prayer Requests:**

- The Kerith Debt Freedom Centre as it ministers to our community. Please pray for our coaches as well as the clients they serve.
- That God would continue to provide for the needs of the Church.
- Those who struggle with addictions and their families.
- The Pastoral Leadership Task Force (PLTF) and the official board and the Personnel Sub Committee as they seek a lead pastor for our Church.
- Those in our Church family, and community that struggle with health issues, especially our seniors.
- The millions refugees in Syria, Europe, North Africa and around the globe and the efforts of RING (Refugees in North Grenville) to bring families to North Grenville. Praise that we have a new Syrian family in North Grenville. Please pray that they will adapt well to life in our community.
- The Nickerson family.
- Joely Smith's daughter Connor who is pregnant.
- Brenda Leach who has pain that the doctors have not been able to treat.
- Rev. Sok Em's wife Savy passed away in June 2016. Sok is a Free Methodist minister/missionary and co-founder of the Tahas Bible Institute in Cambodia. Savy was instrumental in the day to day operation of the bible institute.
- Those who are battling cancer; Brenda Garraway's friend Joelle, May Louise's daughter Marcie, Audrey Moden's brother Peter, Cathy MacDonald, 14 year old Tanner, and Phyllis Eaton's daughter in law Susan, diagnosed this past week with an aggressive form of Lymphoma.



A huge thanks to the Church family for the excellent response to the Faith Promise Pledge. It is really important that we now honour our faith pledge commitments. To make sure that your pledge is allocated correctly please mark "youth pastor" on your envelope or if donating online, send an email to [treasurer@ngccfm.ca](mailto:treasurer@ngccfm.ca) indicating what part of your donation is allocated to the youth pastor.

Thank you for your faithfulness!

### **Care Groups are Starting Up Again!**

Care Groups are a place to get to know people, to become known and deepen your relationship with God; to be cared for and to care. There are a number of available times and locations to conveniently fit into your schedule.

Monday Night — Fellowship of the Mat Men's Study, will be meeting at the Church starting at 8 PM on Monday Nights. Start date to be confirmed and study to be confirmed. For more information call Don MacGregor at 613-269-2346.

The Tuesday and Wednesday care groups will be doing a 7 week study on based on 2nd Timothy and Titus. In it Paul urges us to live out our faith through vital Christianity.

Tuesday Night - Hosted and facilitated by Denyse and Teresa, to start Tuesday Sept 27th 7 pm at the home of Denyse, 409 George St. in Kemptville.

Wednesday Morning — Ladies Care Group facilitated by Deb Stewart starting September 21 at 9:30 AM at North Grenville Community Church.

Wednesday Night - hosted by Lia starting at 6:45 pm October 12th at Lia's home at 24 Emily Lauren Crescent in Kemptville.

Thursday Night - An 8 week discipleship course facilitated by Pastor Gary starting October 6th at North Grenville Community Church, at 7 PM

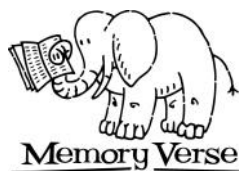
For more information about Care Groups, check out the church website at [www.ngccfm.ca](http://www.ngccfm.ca) or call Linda Moore at 258-4463 or the Church office.

## Kids Bible Memory Verse

Pastor Liz will be having the kids work on bible memory verses as part of the kids programming.

### October's Memory Verse

I will give thanks to you, LORD, with all my heart;  
I will tell of all your wonderful deeds.  
(NIV)



Did you know that the Church sponsors two young women in Haiti? We have been sponsoring Anne Sophie Desir and Nasseline Sajous since 2007. Sponsorship has helped these two young women attend school as well has given them the opportunity to know Christ. Thank you to everyone who supported the Children's offering last week, \$134.18 was raised to cover their sponsorship.

**Thank you for your generosity.**



### Save the Date!

Saturday October 29th –8 AM—2 PM. There will be an indoor yard sale at the Church. Proceeds to support the 2017 Youth Trip to Kingdom Bound. If you have any items to donate to the sale, they will be gratefully received starting Sunday October 23rd.

### Thanksgiving Intercessory Prayer Gathering

An evening of worship , prayer, intercession and thanksgiving for North Grenville and Area.

Saturday October 8th at 7 P.M.



Kemptville Pentecostal Church

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Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love endures forever.  
Psalm 136:1 (NIV)





"Oklahoma!" presented by Kemptville Youth Musical Theatre Company. There is 1 show remaining and it has been a hit with the audiences so far! Come this afternoon for the last show at 2pm at the Urbandale Arts Centre (aka the Municipal Centre). All profit is going to "Do It For Darren (DIFD)" a charity for mental health. *Zach and Hope van Noppen* from our church are also in this production! Tickets are available at Scotiabank or at the door. For more information about the production go to: [www.kymtc.org](http://www.kymtc.org)

**The Alzheimer Society of Lanark, Leeds & Grenville  
& St. Paul's Presbyterian Church**

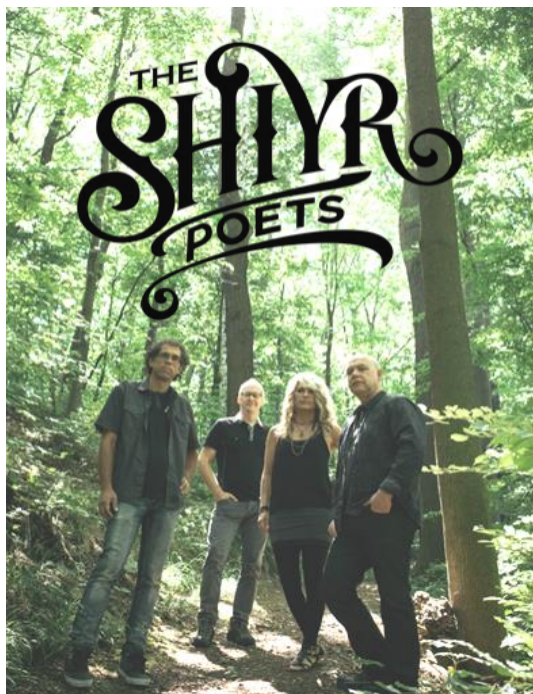
Are hosting a free education session on Tuesday October 4th from 7-9 PM with speaker Mary Campbell, Education and Support Co-ordinator.

The session will be held at 319 Prescott St. Kemptville

Topics discussed include: warning signs of dementia, lifestyle factors that are a potential risk for dementia and care giver support.

**Looking for 3 Grandma's or Grandpa's !**

Help make a difference in the life of a child by volunteering in the Nursery once a month. There is no prep work needed, just a love of kids. If you can help, please see Susi in the Church office more details.



Brian Doerksen, Canadian worship leader and writer of Refiner's Fire, Today, Hallelujah and Holy God, will be performing with the SHIYR POETS on Friday, October 14 at 7 p.m. at the Winchester United Church. Tickets are \$15 each, with a post-show reception. This is a rare opportunity for a small community like Winchester to host such an event. Tickets can be purchased in Winchester at the Seaway Valley

PharmaChoice (Winchester) or at [underHisgrace.ca](http://underHisgrace.ca). If you need more information, contact Rebecca van Noppen at [rvannoppen@hotmail.com](mailto:rvannoppen@hotmail.com)

## Drivers Needed

The refugee family is settling in well here in Kemptville. They are getting appointments now for social events, shopping outings, ESL training, and job readiness seminars.



However, they have no car.  
We are looking for drivers.  
Requirements - 2 adult passengers, 3 kids in car seats. Plus, of course, the driver.  
So - needs either a quad cab pickup with bench seats, or minivan.

If you are able to help please contact Pastor *Ken Gehrels* at 613-258-5008 or [pastor@kcrc.ca](mailto:pastor@kcrc.ca)

## Our Mission:

To be a loving and healthy community, reaching others by knowing, loving and serving God.

### Official Board Members

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#### Serving This Week in:

<b>Kidz Worship &amp; Nursery</b>	Stuart Hoftyzer TBA
<b>Teenz Worship</b>	Joy Cox
<b>Financial Tellers</b>	Harry Handler Joanne Berndt

#### Serving Next Week in:

<b>Kidz Worship &amp; Nursery</b>	Stuart Hoftyzer June V/Fionna
<b>Teenz Worship</b>	Joy Cox
<b>Financial Tellers</b>	Richinda Bates Audrey Moden