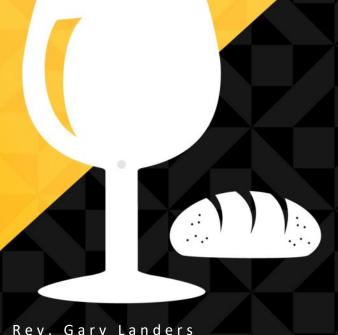
# COMMUNION SUNDAY

Remembering His Sacrifice

JOHN 6:53



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:

# **Communion Sunday**

### Today is Benevolent Sunday

Donations received today for the Benevolent fund will be directed to the Bishop's Relief Fund in support of the work in Haiti to help recover from hurricane Matthew. Please use a benevolent envelope if you would like to participate. Remember donations qualify for a tax receipt, so mark your name or envelope number on your donation.

The kids will be taking the children's offering to support our ICCM kids Anne Sophie Desir and Nasseline Sajous.

**Today—** Bayfield Manor Service—2:30-3:15 PM 100 Elvira St. Kemptville. Everyone welcome. The service is a real blessing to the seniors at Bayfield.

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 or 613-601-2812 (cell).

# Celebrating this week:

**Happy Birthday:** Kyra Smith (Today!) **Happy Anniversary:** None this week

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

# This Week, Please Pray For:

#### Families:

- Lilah Gilmer & family
- Adam Green & 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.
- 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. For
  those wishing to help Rev. Em with the funeral costs, please see the Church
  office.
- 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, recently diagnosed 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

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.

Tuesday Night — Fellowship of the Mat Men's Study, will be meeting at the Church starting at 8 PM on Tuesday 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 or call Linda Moore at 258-4463 or the Church office.



#### 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.

#### Thank you so much!

Florence Rogers would like to thank the Church family for all the flowers, cards and best wishes for her birthday this past Monday.

#### Lunch with Liz

Thursdays, 11:15 AM—12 PM in the Church foyer. All vouth welcome. Bring your lunch and come and hangout.



#### 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. Psalm 9:1 (NIV)



# Update on Haiti

"Reports just arriving from Bishop Desvariste in Haiti indicate that in our southern Haitian Conference we have lost three church roofs and four school building roofs. We also have lost at least three smaller church buildings around St. Marc, and some houses destroyed at Gonaives. Folks who have lost housing are gathering in shelters and hoping the church will help." No word on injuries or casualties at this time.

October 7th, FMC Canada authorized \$5,000 from our Bishop's Relief Fund to be distributed in Haiti. Bishop Keith has been in touch with Bishop Desvariste directly, and traveled to Haiti on Wednesday. The Haitian Conference is thankful for the prayer and financial support of the FMCiC.

# List of Items Not to Include

# NO CANDY OR FOOD



- Bubbles
- Camoflage items
- · Chap Stick & Lipstick
- Deck of Cards (Poker style with hearts, clubs etc.)
- Dice
- Food-including dry beans, grains, rice, soft candy, gum
- Glow Sticks
- Knives
- Laser Pointers
- Liquids (shampoo, conditioner, body wash, bubble bath)
- Make-up
- Medicines
- Mirrors (not encased in a plastic compact)
- Perfume Sticks
- Seashells
- Seeds
- Skull & Crossbones
- Vitamins
- War-related items (guns, camouflage items)

# Five Things To Remember

- No food items or candy
- 2. No used or dirty items
- 3. No liquids or items that leak, melt or freeze
- No breakable items
- No items that scare or harm a child

# Good to pack:

- School supplies, pencils, paper/ notebooks, pens, coloured pencils
- Clothing/ underwear/socks, hats, mitts, shoes
- Hygiene items/ bars of soap/ toothbrushes/ deodorant (nonliquid), pads/ tampons, razors, facecloth/towel, comb/brush, hair accessories
- Toys, puzzles, Lego, books, children's bibles, soccer ball and pump, dolls, stickers, colouring books
- Sewing kits, (older girls) windup flashlights, small tool kits (older boys)

# More ideas at:

http://samaritanspurse.ca/media/431675/OCC-List-of-Approved-Items\_2016.pdf

# **Drivers Needed**

For the refugee family. Either a minivan or quad cab pickup with room for 3 car seats is needed. If you are able to help please contact Pastor *Ken Gehrels at 613-258-5008 or pastor@kcrc.ca* 

# Washing Machine Needed

We have had a request for a washing machine in good working order. If you are able to help, please see Susi in the Church office.

# **Our Mission:**

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

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