



Welcome

North Grenville Community Church

October 23, 2016

Rev. Gary Landers

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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: The Compassion of Jesus

Scripture: Matthew 15:29-32

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: None this week

Happy Anniversary: None this week

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



Psssst! You can follow the Church on Facebook at www.facebook.com/ngccfm & Twitter @NGCCFM. Stay in the know!

Get the digital bulletin by signing up on the contact form on the Church website at www.ngccfm.ca or via the Church app available in the iTunes App Store or Google Play.

This Week, Please Pray For:

Families:

- Rob & Maureen Gummesson & family
- Harry & Leila Handler & 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. 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,
- Crystal Ufford, who will be needing additional tests related to heart function.



A huge thanks to the Church family for the excellent response to the Faith Promise Pledge.

- . Please also remember if donating monthly based on a weekly amount that some months have 5 weeks not 4.
- 4. Thank you for your understanding and 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.

Indoor Yard Sale!

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. The Church will be open from Tuesday–



Friday from 9:30 AM-4:30 PM and Friday evening from 7-9 PM. We are looking for gently used, household items, clothing, books, art and decorative items, sporting equipment, furniture etc. If you have any questions or need help getting your donation to the Church please contact the Church office.

Lunch with Liz

Thursdays, 11:15 AM–12 PM in the Church foyer. All youth 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



Applicable to Canadian shoeboxes only

- Bubbles
- Camouflage 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

1. No food items or candy
2. No used or dirty items
3. No liquids or items that leak, melt or freeze
4. No breakable items
5. 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 (non-liquid), pads/ tampons, razors, facecloth/towel, comb/brush, hair accessories
- Toys, puzzles, Lego, books, children's bibles, soccer ball and pump, dolls, stickers, colouring books

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@kccr.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.

Human Trafficking is a \$32 BILLION Industry Worldwide



You're invited for a free dinner as World Hope Canada raises awareness and shares inspirational stories from Ukraine. Hear how WHC is working to end human trafficking and #arrestpoverty.

FRIDAY OCT 28TH - 6PM

LOCATION:
SOUTHGATE COMMUNITY CHURCH
1303 FRENCH SETTLEMENT RD

A FREE WILL OFFERING WOULD BE GREATLY APPRECIATED TO SUPPORT THE WORK IN UKRAINE.

SPACE IS LIMITED.
PLEASE CALL HELEN PARKER
AT 613.482.1499
TO RESERVE YOUR SEAT
OR VISIT WORLDHOPE.CA



Save the Date:

Saturday December 10th
Join us for the Country Christmas Gala at the Church. It will be an evening of desserts and coffee as well as special musical guests and a good old fashioned carol sing. More details to follow, so stay tuned.



Holy Cross Bazaar, now in it's 22nd year, is holding their Fall/Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 5, 2016 between the hours of 9:30am and 1:30pm in the Holy Cross Parish Hall in Kemptville. The Bazaar has long been known as having one of the best bake sales in town as well as selling jams, jellies and preserves. There are also many Christmas decorations, hand made crafts, a re-gift table, hand knitted and crocheted items, a 50/50 raffle, and a silent auction. As always there will also be a delicious luncheon served.

Our Mission:

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

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Serving This Week in:

Kidz Worship & Nursery	Eileen Mahoney June V/Fionna
Teenz Worship	Joy Cox
Financial Tellers	Kathie Wilson Harry Handler

Serving Next Week in:

Kidz Worship & Nursery	Everyone is upstairs today.
Teenz Worship	Joy Cox
Financial Tellers	Donna Seguin Joanne Berndt