



Welcome

North Grenville Community Church

June 11, 2017

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For First Time Guests:

It is a pleasure to welcome you this morning! Downstairs we have Kids 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). The service is audio is broadcast into the foyer and that area is available for little ones who need more room to move.

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: What do I treasure?

Scripture: 1 Timothy 6:17-21

Thank you for choosing to spend Sunday morning with us. In your bulletin you will find a Connect Card. For those who are visiting with us the Connect Card can be used to let us know you were here. For those who consider NGCC their home Church the Connect Card can be used to request information, submit a prayer request or connect with the pastoral or administrative staff.

Pastor Thomas will be out of the office for the next two weeks. For pastoral care needs or to make an appointment with Pastor Thomas, when he returns please call Susi at 258-4815 x 100 or office@ngccfm.ca.

Celebrating this week:

Happy Birthday:

Harry Handler (16th)
John Garraway (17th)



Happy Anniversary:

Pastor Thomas & Amy Beth (9th)
Rosalind & Randy Giffen (15th)

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

This Week, Please Pray For:

Families:

- Teresa Meulensteen & family
- Colin & Audrey Moden & family

Pastoral Families:

- Pastor Thomas & Amy-Beth, Joel, Julia, Macy Eng
- 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.
- Those in our Church family, and community that struggle with health issues, especially our seniors.
- Pray that Brenda Leach physio treatment would be effective in reducing pain.
- Those who are battling cancer; Audrey Moden's brother Peter, Cathy MacDonald, 14 year old Tanner, and Trudy Arnaud's sister Barbara, May Louise's daughter Marcie,
- The upcoming Kingdom Bound trip and fundraisers. Praise that the Yard Sale went well.
- Those in Ottawa and Gatineau affected by the flooding.
- Please pray for continued healing and strength for Eileen Mahoney as she continues to recover in hospital.
- Please pray that Linda Moore's doctors will be able to develop a method to do the needed knee surgery that will not result in a lifetime of pain for Linda.
- Praise that General Conference 2017 was well received by the pastors and delegates who attended. Please pray for wisdom to use what we learned at conference in our local Church. Please also pray for our new bishop Rev. Cliff Fletcher as he adjust to his new role.
- June Vienneau as she recovers from a fall/concussion.

June Bible Memory Verse

Pastor Liz is continuing with a monthly bible memory verse for the whole congregation, not just the kids.

Kids/Teens/Adults:

⁶ Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Philippians 4:6 (NIV)

Library Corner

Debbie would like to inventory the library books. If you still have a library book that you took out **before** February 2017, kindly return them to the library by ASAP so that it can be counted. If you have books that you took out **after** February 2017, you can continue to borrow them.



If you have Christian books that you no longer read, they would be helpful to the Christian Salvage Mission. For more information please see Debbie Stewart.

Yard, BBQ & Bake Sale Thank You!

A huge thanks to everyone who brought in stuff, baked helped the youth run the sale, cleaned up and otherwise supported the yard sale.

Your generosity is very appreciated and allowed the youth to raise \$1,856 towards Kingdom Bound. This includes the donations received Sunday June 4th from the baked goods.



What's happening at Church this week?

Tuesday—Why Faith? Real Questions Over Lunch— 11:15-Noon @ Church with Pastor Liz

Wednesday—Ladies Bible Study— 9:45 AM - Sacred Pathways.

Thursday—Lunch with Liz—11:15-Noon @ Church with Pastor Liz.

Thursday— Small Group at the home of Lia Wall 24 Emily Lauren Cres. Kemptville. Study will be facilitated by Joe Kupecz.

Society Meeting & Church Picnic

Our annual Society Meeting or Annual General Meeting will take place on **Sunday June 25th** as part of the Sunday Worship Service. This is not intended to be a dry boring business meeting, rather an opportunity to celebrate what God has been doing in this local Church. Members will be voting to elect leadership positions in the Church. So if you are a Member please make it a priority to attend.

Following the service there will be a Church picnic, held at the Church and everyone is welcome to join in.

Bring your favourite salads and desserts to share as well as a lawn chair or blanket to sit on. The Pastoral Care Team will supply the hamburgers, hotdogs coffee, tea and juice. They are looking for a volunteer to BBO the hamburgers and hotdogs on the day. If you are able to help, please contact Linda Schmidt at 613-258-0189.

Richard Moore is looking for some assistance with some building and maintenance tasks such as, repaint the inside of the back door of the Church, clean the lights in the sanctuary and clean stains on carpet.



If you are able to help with these tasks, please contact Richard at 613-258-4463. Thanks for your help!

Youth Pastor Faith Promise

Thank you to everyone who has supported Pastor Liz in the past year. Her ministry to the youth in our Church and community, our kids on family Sundays as well as in the pulpit has been a blessing to the Church family.

It is very much the desire of Pastor Thomas and the Church board to rehire Pastor Liz for another year. Church finances being what they are, it will not be possible to accommodate her part time salary within the framework of our current budget. We would like to be able to make an announcement at the Society Meeting on June 25th, Lord willing that we are re-hiring Pastor Liz for another year. However, we cannot do this without your financial and prayer support.

Please prayerfully consider assisting the Church with Pastor Liz's salary for another year. Kindly let us know of your intentions no later than Sunday June 18th. Thank you for partnering with us to bless the youth and families in our Church and community.



Faith Promise Pledge

In partnership with the Lord, I promise by faith to give financially, in addition to my present regular tithes and offerings. I will designate such a faith increase on my offering envelope beginning Sunday July 2nd. If I will be absent from Church, I will arrange to make my offering in advance or use a method of online/automatic giving in my absence.

Please circle off one of the following:

\$30/week for 52 weeks = \$1,560

\$25/week for 52 weeks = \$1,300

\$20/week for 52 weeks = \$1,040

\$15/week for 52 weeks = \$780

\$10/week for 52 weeks = \$520

\$5/week for 52 weeks = \$260

Other amount _____

Name and Signature:

Funds received are tax deductible and will be receipted for income tax purposes.

So what's up with the driveway?

You have no doubt noticed the barrier that has been put up on the driveway beside the building on the east side.

Many people from the community use our parking lot when accessing the hospital. This is a good thing, as it helps those in our community for whom paying the hospital parking fees would be a financial burden. There is also good will in the community for our Church because we have made our parking lot available.

However, our gravel driveway is not adequate to the volume of traffic that has been using it, also there are concerns about the speed at which vehicles drive through from Concession Road to the back parking lot.

In consultation with the North Grenville Fire Prevention Officer, it was determined that the driveway that runs beside the building would not be used as a fire route and could be removed. In the event of a fire, Concession Road and Dr. Gordon Drive would be used by the fire department, not the driveway beside the building. The driveway/fire route was necessary when the Church was built in 1986, as Dr. Gordon Drive did not exist at that time.

The barrier has been erected as a "pilot project" to reduce the amount of through traffic from Concession Road to the parking lot. Vehicles can enter the front horseshoe to drop people off at the front door, but will need to go back out to Concession Road to Dr. Gordon Drive to access the parking lot. People who wish to park in the Church parking lot are requested to access the lot via Dr. Gordon Drive.

It is hoped that by directing the traffic to use Dr. Gordon Drive as much as possible, it will allow us to get ahead, and stay ahead, of the potholes that regularly appear at the front of the horseshoe. The cost of paving the front horseshoe, driveway and back parking lot would be in excess of \$100,000 and is not in the Church budget at this time.

It is also hoped that the blocking off of the driveway will not be an undue inconvenience to the Church family. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Church office. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Our Mission:

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

Our Vision:

To live and love like Jesus (with Jesus)

Official Board Members

Joanne Berndt	Linda Moore
Rosalind Giffen—V. Chair	Christine Power—Treasurer
Joe Kupecz	Kevin Smith—Secretary
Colin Moden—Chair	Lia Wall

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Serving This Week in:

Kidz Worship & Nursery Andrew Boone
TBA

Financial Tellers Audrey Moden
Joanne Berndt

Serving Next Week in:

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