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We love our moms!

Rev. Gary Landers

May 8, 2016 *

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 children ages 3-12, and supervised nursery care is provided for children up to age 2.

- 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 up to the age of 2 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: "Pondering" Scripture: Luke 2:19

Pastor Gary is in the Church office on a part time basis during the week, usually Tuesdays and Thursdays. 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: Mandy Boone (13th)

Happy Anniversary: None this week

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



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

This Week, Please Pray For:

Families:

- Arnie & Jennifer, Cole Johnston & family
- Joe & Jan Kupecz and family

Pastoral Families:

- Rev. Gary & Margaret Landers
- Our Official Board Families

Overseas Missionaries:

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

The prayer chain can be initiated by calling the Church at 613-258-4815 x 100. The prayer team meets at the Church on Wednesdays at 1:30 PM

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. Praise God that the sanctuary and foyer have been repainted and there are new curtains!
- Those who struggle with addictions and their families.
- Finances for our students pursuing post secondary education, and jobs for them when they graduate.
- The Pastoral Leadership Task Force (PLTF) and the official board and the Personnel Sub Committee as they seek a lead and youth/children's pastors 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.
- Brenda Garraway's friend Joelle who is battling cancer.
- Trevor & Cheryl, Lauren, Melissa, Jacob, Joshua, Mathias, Bethany Nickerson and extended family and friends as they mourn Megan's passing.
- The residents of Fort McMurray, AB and surrounding communities affected by the wildfire and evacuation

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

Oswald Chambers

Calling all Youth!



The Church is planning to hire a part time youth & children's pastor to start in July 2016. To help guide our choices we need your help. Please complete the survey located at **www.ngccfm.ca/youth**. Or see Susi for a printed copy. Thanks for your time!

Please get your completed survey to Pastor Gary no later than today following the service.

Up and Coming Youth Events/ Fundraisers

To help everyone get to Kingdom Bound with a minimum cost, the Church is planning some fundraisers to help raise the funds needed to go. If anyone has ideas for additional fundraisers, please speak with Pastor Gary.



Celebrating 30 Years July 20-23, 2016

Connection Café/Youth Slave Auction-

Sunday May 29th Car Wash – June 11th (Please note the date change) Yard Sale – Saturday June 18th

We will also be looking for help from parents of the youth and members of the congregations to hold these events. If you are able to assist, please let Pastor Gary know. If you have not yet signed up for Kingdom Bound, but would like to go, please let Pastor Gary know asap.



Free!!!! North Grenville Community Church App for your smartphone or tablet. Available for iOS and Android in the Apple App Store and Google Play. Got questions about the app? See Susi.



Please note that there was an error in the cover letter of nomination packages that were sent out last week. The Nomination/ Recommendation Forms need to be returned by Sunday May 15th, not the

24th as stated in the letter. The forms themselves have the correct date on them. Sorry for the confusion and thank you for your understanding!

Missions Update: Linda Stryker



Please pray for Linda as she rests and heals from a recent successful cancer surgery in Saskatoon.

After more than 20 years of service in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC), Linda is now based in North America due to health reasons. She continues to serve as a link between the FMC in the DRC and in North America by

facilitating ongoing projects and encouraging new initiatives that will help the FMC in the DRC in it ministries.

Help Needed Kids Worship & Nursery

We are looking for adults and youth who would like to share the love of Jesus with the children in our Church. We are looking for a 1 year commitment, once a month to help in either Kids Worship or the Nursery. Police check, interview & references required. Community service hours available for high school students. For more information please contact the Church office.

Did you know

The Pastoral Care Team regularly sends cards or flowers to those in our Church family or community who are experiencing a life event or who could use a little cheering up. If you know someone who has recently had a birth or death in the family, recovering from surgery or illness, etc., please help them accomplish their mission by contacting Deborah de Vries or the Church office. Deborah can be reached at 613-859-4644 or debpersonal@live.ca.

Our Mission:

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

Serving Today In:

Kidz Worship

Pat Attwell Lise Lennox

Nursery June / Fionna

Teenz Worship

Joy Cox

Financial Tellers

Audrey Moden

Charly Stewart

Greeters & Ushers

Friendly people like ... Catherine Davison, Adrien Vienneau, Linda Schmidt.

NEXT WEEK

If you cannot make your scheduled day, please contact the Church office at 258-4815.

| Kidz Worship & | Stuart Hoftyzer | |
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| Nursery | Eileen Mahoney | |
| | Jennifer Sanger | |
| Teenz Worship | Joy Cox | |
| Financial | Donna Seguin | |
| Tellers | Harry Handler | |

Official Board Members

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