

WELCOME

NORTH GRENVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH

AUGUST 28, 2016



Welcome to North Grenville Community Church

For First Time Guests:

It is a pleasure to welcome you this morning! For the summer we invite the children to stay upstairs in the Sanctuary during the message. To keep the kids entertained we have kits with some activity pages and a snack (please let us know if your child has allergies) as well as a special children's message. For the really little ones we have some toys and snacks at the back of the Sanctuary in the seating area. The children are welcome to go to the back during the message or stay with their parents/caregivers. The teens will meet in the foyer during the sermon for their class.

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: Forever Friends
Scripture: Psalm 23 (Page 392)

Pastor Gary is in the Church office on a part time basis during the week, this week Thursday and Friday. 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).

Susi will be out of the office on vacation until September 13th. Lia Wall will be answering the phone and checking messages Wed-Friday from 10Am—12 PM both weeks. For Pastoral care concerns, please call the Church office or Pastor Gary

Celebrating this week:

Happy Birthday: Stuart Hoftyzer (Today!)
Phyllis Eaton (30th)

Happy Anniversary: Stuart & Susi Hoftyzer (2nd)



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

This Week, Please Pray For:

Families:

- Louis & Louise Bergeron & family
- Joanne Berndt & family

Pastoral Families:

- Rev. 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.
- Our summer outreach ministry, praise that it went well.
- 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.
- Brenda Garraway's friend Joelle who is battling cancer.
- The Nickerson family.
- May Louise's daughter Marcie who has been diagnosed with terminal cancer.
- Joely Smith's daughter Connor who is 25 weeks pregnant
- Audrey Moden's brother Peter, (Lotta's husband) who has been diagnosed with prostate cancer, and friend Chris with lymphoma.
- Brenda Leach who has pain that the doctors have not been able to treat.
- Cindy Besharah's cousin Cathy MacDonald, diagnosed with terminal cancer.
- Rev. Sok Em's wife Savy passed away recently. 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.
- 14 year old Tanner, recently diagnosed with cancer.

A huge thanks to the Church family for the excellent response to the Faith Promise Pledge. A total of \$270 dollars of the needed \$200

weekly was pledged. Your generous financial support has allowed us to give Pastor Liz more hours and a budget with which to work. Thanks again for blessing our youth and children.,



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!

Fall Kick Off—Sunday September 18th

Be sure to join us on September 18th for a special Fall Service of Celebration. The kids will take up a special benevolent Sunday offering, supporting International Child Care Ministries and we will also celebrate communion. The kids will be back downstairs for

their regular Kids Worship Sunday School and Nursery classes.



Corn Roast

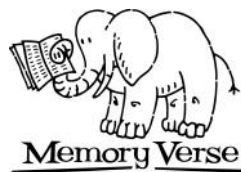
Following the service join us for a corn roast with potluck salads and desserts. Bring your favourites with enough to share. Please note that the corn roast will replace the Connection Café that normally happens on the last Sunday of the month. (Don't stay home on the 25th though, Pastor Gary has some special musical guests coming , You won't want to miss out!)

Kids Bible Memory Verse

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

September's Memory Verse

Trust in the LORD with all your heart
And do not lean on your own understanding.
⁶ In all your ways acknowledge Him,
And He will make your paths straight.
Proverbs 3:5-6 (NASB)



child care international
ministries



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 as given them the opportunity to know Christ. Please prayerfully consider assisting the Church with their sponsorship.

On our next Benevolent Sunday Sept 18th, the children will be taking up the Benevolent offering in support of these two young ladies.

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-- Elder Ian S. Ardern



Care Groups are starting up the week of September 19th. Stay tuned for more information about the groups. For more information about Care Groups, please contact Linda Moore at 613-258-4463.

Free Youth Car Wash Fundraiser

Thank you to everyone who supported the youth car wash.

We washed lots of cars and even a boat, raising \$475 for Kingdom Bound. Thanks again for your support!



Psst.... Youth, save the date!

Pastor Liz is planning a youth retreat/activity at the Church on Saturday September 17th. More details to follow... See Pastor Liz.



Friday October 21st—7 PM

Woodvale Pentecostal Church

205 Greenbank Rd, Ottawa

Pastor Liz would like to get a group of youth (or anyone who likes tobyMac) to go to this concert. Tickets are \$35, if you need a ride, we will be carpooling, please chip in \$5 for gas. Tickets can be ordered through Pastor Liz. She can be contacted at youth@ngccfm.ca

Our Mission:

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

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To give our very hard working Kids Worship and Nursery teachers a break this summer we are letting the kids stay upstairs during the message. To help them adjust to being upstairs there will be a short children's message, as well as quiet activities and a small snack that they can enjoy beside their parents/caregivers or at the back of the sanctuary.



Teller Schedule:

August 28th	September 4th
Cory Bryant	Richinda Bates
Audrey Moden	Harry Handler

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