



**NASHVILLE ROAD
COMMUNITY**

CHURCH

February 7, 2016

Weekly eNews

**Mark Your
Calendar**

**Feb 14
Family Fun**

**Call to Pray
February 21 at 9:30 a.m.**

**Business Meeting
February 21 after service**

**Call to Pray
February 28 at 7:00 p.m.**

**March 19
Skating Party**

This week's message,

delivered by Dean Kennedy

"Rosebud" ... then the smashing of a snow globe. What does that mean? That's the question given to reporter Jerry Thompson who's tasked with discovering the meaning behind the mysterious last word of wealthy newspaper publisher Charles Foster Kane in the movie Citizen Kane. Last words get our attention - Sir Winston Churchill's last words were, "I'm bored with it all." Bo Diddley died giving a thumbs-up as he listened to the song "Walk Around Heaven." His last word was "Wow." Some say that of all the words one utters in an entire lifetime, it's what they say on their death bed that makes the most sense. It's believed that people tend to become the most honest when they know they are about to die. Last words have significance - they are usually spoken with perspective and purpose and to hear them is an honour because they are rarely frivolous or forgettable. For the next 7 weeks we're going listen to the Famous Last Words that Jesus spoke to people He encountered on His way to the cross, leaning in to what are not simply final words, but words that have resonance, that stay with us ... that last. This Sunday Jesus prays "Father, forgive them - they don't know what they're doing" and we ask what does that mean? You can read the account in Luke 23:26-35

Upcoming Events

Family Festivities!

Plan on staying after the service on February 14th for some good ol' family fun! There will be games running in the gym, board games in the fireside room and a movie playing in the chapel. Bring a dish to share, and let's celebrate God's gift of families together.

Community Skating Extravaganza!

Circle **March 19th** on your calendars now!! Right this second!! We are hosting a FREE skate at the Albion Arena from 3-3:50.

Followed by a pot luck dinner back at the church. This event is for everyone, bring a friend, ask a neighbour, maybe even bring your dentist! This promises to be a fun filled afternoon! By the way, if you see me skating your way, it's probably best to move....I don't know how to stop!

Announcements

Business Meeting - Sunday, February 21, 2016

A business meeting will be held following the morning service on Sunday, February 21, 2016 to vote on a recommendation from the elders regarding the role of women in leadership. Following this week's gathering, members are asked to meet in the library for a brief, but important announcement that will include the recommendation.

2015 Tax Receipts are ready for pick up!

Please note that 2015 charitable donation receipts (for income tax purposes) will be available for pick-up at the Welcome Desk on Sunday morning.

Thank you for enabling "we the church" to minister in and through this place and to our community, with your faithful financial support for the Lord's work.

Please remember the Gerber family.

Jim's Mother, "Betsy" went home to be with the Lord on January 31st.

For visitation information click on

the link below

<http://www.thomasfuneralhome.ca/obituaries/obituary-listings?obId=756780#/celebrationWall>

NEW!!!

Christian Book Store arrives at KCA!

Mark March 10th on your calendar! Living Books Education is setting up a one-day only Christian bookstore at KCA! This is a perfect opportunity to purchase Easter or March Break reading materials for your children and your family. Watch for newsletter flyer inserts for teacher ideas and suggestions. 20% of our sales will go directly to our school and **church** library. This is a fantastic fundraiser to benefit our church, homes and school! Fiction, Non-Fiction, CD's, Devotionals, Bibles, T-Shirts, greeting cards...Please plan to support our efforts! Please see the attachment from some of the KCA staff for their hot picks!



Exchange Outreach

Every other week the youth in our church head out to the Exchange for a time of fellowship, fun and cooking for a good cause. Each time they gather, they are creating a dish that can be enjoyed by the Bethell Hospice. Our youth are learning a life skill and how to serve in our community.

This month's dates are **February 10th** and **24th**. Please arrive at the Exchange located at 55 Healy road in Bolton by 5pm.

If you are not a youth and would still like to support the Exchange, please bring in Juice, canned meat and cereal to church on Sunday and leave your donations in the chest located in the front foyer. Alternately you can drop your donations off at the exchange. While you are there, say hello to the friendly staff, and pop in the kitchen, there usually are some freshly baked cookies or treats for visitors to enjoy!!

35TH ANNIVERSARY REUNION

CALVARY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL | KLEINBURG CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

SATURDAY APRIL 23RD, 2016



Dear NRCC Church Family,

This year we're celebrating 35 years of learning at Kleinburg Christian Academy, formerly Calvary Christian School. As a ministry of Nashville Road Community Church, formerly Calvary Baptist Church, that gives us great reason to celebrate! Records indicate that over the years, six hundred plus students have shared learning together at KCA-CCS.

We're marking this milestone with a 35th *Anniversary Reunion* this spring. Past and present students, staff, parents, families, church and school board members are encouraged to attend on Saturday, April 23rd from 11:00am to 3:00pm. There will be lots of time to meet and get re-acquainted during the day, and a special formal ceremony will be held at 1:00pm in the gym.

A new "*KCA-CCS Reunion*" Facebook Event was launched this week, so please check it out and forward the invitation to others who you know may be interested. We are encouraging everyone to LIKE/COMMENT on our event page, or call Mrs. Hedley at the school office (905-893-7211) to let us know who knows about the event. If you would like to loan memorabilia or photos for the day, we'd love to display them.

The staff and I are looking forward to a wonderful reunion. We covet your prayers and would love to see you there, either to attend or volunteer. We are thankful for God's goodness and faithfulness over the years!

