

NASHVILLE ROAD COMMUNITY CHURCH

October 25th, 2015

A photograph of several bright yellow sunflowers with dark brown centers, resting on a light-colored surface. A piece of brown fabric ribbon is draped across the scene, partially overlapping the sunflowers.

Mark Your Calendar

October 31

Man Up! 8:30 am

October 31

Costume, Candy & Fun
7pm

November 1

Call to Pray at 7:00 p.m.

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Information session on
Canadian Blood Services after
service

November 8

Plan to protect training
after service.

November 15

Town hall meeting 7pm

November 22

Symposium on Hell 7pm

Back in the day - Nike was THE brand when it came to athletic wear. Thru their commercials, Nike and their “swoosh” captured imaginations and inspired millions into active lifestyles giving people grand visions of athletic achievement, not to mention making millions for Nike as people bought shoes and clothes emblazoned with the logo. Later it was revealed that Nike’s shoes (and other companies) were being made in sweat-shops where many workers made \$1.25 a day making the clothing and shoes. What looked good on the outside - had a really ugly and manipulative inside. In Matthew 23 in what would be Jesus final public “sermon” before His crucifixion, he exposes the religious leaders and their brand of ugly and manipulative religion and warns the people that it only looked good on the surface but did not lead to life. You can read Jesus’ warnings and woes in Matthew 23:1-39

Gospel Joy Choir Concert

The Gospel Joy Choir will inspire and encourage us in concert *this* Sunday, **October 25th at 7p.m.** You are most welcome to invite friends and family to hear what Good News sounds like and see what transformation looks like!

Gospel Joy was established in 2003 in Poznan, Poland, and since then has performed nearly 500 concerts in Poland, other European countries and the US. God has allowed them to present almost 100 weekend gospel music workshops all over Poland. We know it will be a fantastic evening of celebration!

NRCC partners with **The Exchange** to provide food for those who are in need in Caledon. Items especially

needed this week are **school snacks, cereal, canned fish/meat and juice.**

Please leave your dry goods donation in the wood chest in the NRCC foyer. Fresh produce should be taken directly to The Exchange, located at

55 Healy Rd., Unit

10, Bolton.

Thank you for supporting the Caledon community.



Kids Korner

Children from **JK to Gr.1** are welcomed in the Jr. Kindergarten room after worship to play, sing and participate in a bible story and a craft. This week's lesson will focus on the creation story.

Children from **grades 2-5** will be welcomed in the chapel after worship for some fun & teaching from a new curriculum.

FLY (youth, gr 6-12)

Youth will be meeting this week after worship.

Volunteers needed

We are looking for **chair crew** team members, to assist with set up and take down of chairs. This position will require you to help out one Sunday a month and would need you to be at church around 10 am to help with set up. If you can lend a hand, please contact the church office.

Teaching assistant required for Jr. Kids Konnection room. We are looking for an adult to assist one Sunday a month. For more information please call the church office or speak with Janice Elliott.

Journey 101

Journey Canada is a community-based, Christ-centered discipleship ministry that exists to help people find hope and live life through experiencing Jesus in their life and relationships. Women and men participate in a Journey program to address a range of personal hurts, habits and hang-ups—from sexual abuse to addiction, from anger problems to low self-esteem, from sexual identity to divorce. The vast majority of people who enroll in Journey want freedom from addiction and healing from abuse. *Upcoming courses:*

- *Journey 101 Tuesday nights 6 weeks beginning November 3 2015 Location: NRCC*
- *Journey Discipleship Program - 15 weeks beginning January 2016 @ Location: Rexdale Alliance*

For more information, please talk to Dave or Martha Lawson or email toronto@journeycanada.org journeycanada.org

Plan to Protect...

Children's workers, there will be a mandatory meeting after the service on Sunday November 8th. We will be meeting for about an hour, to refresh ourselves on our policies and procedures in working with our children. Lunch will be provided.

Celebration of Life..

The Celebration of Life for Lesley Kennedy's father (Tony) will take place on Sunday October 25th at 2pm at Bramalea Baptist Church - 9050 Dixie Road in Brampton.



Man Up! Men, are you tired of the same old breakfast, day in and day out? Are you searching for some excitement, some pizzazz with your eggs? Are you looking for some great conversation to go along with your coffee? Then come on out to the next men's breakfast on Saturday October 31st at 8:30 am! Nashville Road's two finest chefs will be preparing your meal, and promise it won't be boring, just maybe a bit hard on your cholesterol levels. Come out for some good food and great conversation. The cost for this event is \$5.00, please sign up at the Welcome Centre.

Costume, Candy and Fun!!

Join us on Saturday October 31st at 7pm for a night of fun, games and a boat load of candy!! We will have activities for young and old to enjoy! Admission for this super fun event is a box of nut free candy. We will be serving hot dogs and apple cider. Don't forget to dress up in your favourite, non scary costume and join in the fun!

TDCH Information Night

On Wednesday, November 4, all current grade eight students are invited to Grade Eight Day at TDChristian High School in Woodbridge. It's your best opportunity to find out everything TDChristian has to offer. The day runs from 9:30 am – 2 pm. Parents are welcome as well, and lunch is provided. To find out more, go to www.tdchristian.ca. To RSVP, please email Mr. Matt Heinbuch at admissions@tdchristian.ca.

Canadian Blood Services

Join us in welcoming Canadian Blood Services on Sunday November 1st, 2015 at 12:30-2:30 (after service) for an Information Session and Volunteer Training Session. This two part session will begin with lunch and an information session regarding the critical need for blood and how to give. This will be followed by a volunteer training session for those interested in giving time as well. We will be inviting neighbouring churches and residents to attend this two part session, so this is a perfect time to invite your neighbour, coworker or friend. Lunch will be provided for all who register in advance. To register visit the Nashville Road website and click on the serve tab. Then click on Canadian Blood Services.

TOWN HALL MEETING

As mentioned at the Annual Meeting of the church last spring, the elders have been engaged for some time in prayer, study and discussion regarding the role of women in leadership. The first Town Hall meeting was held on Sunday, June 14, 2015 to discuss the process for addressing the issue, and to share resources so the body at NRCC could prepare to engage with the subject. The goal continues to be, uniting on a God honouring position by the end of 2015. More time may be required.

The next Town Hall Meeting is planned for **November 15, 2015 at 7:00pm** in the chapel. A white paper summarizing the subject and the position of the elders, will be available to the membership on November 1. A sign-up sheet will be available at the Welcome Centre beginning this week, for those who wish to receive a copy. We look forward to hearing God's voice and growing together, as we discuss this important subject.

