

Beginnings. They're exciting, inspirational, usually full of enthusiasm, they carry a hint of uncertainty but abound with anticipation! Such is the awakening of what we call "church". A group of people so overwhelmed by the reality, the joy and the truth of Jesus' resurrection that it reshapes their lives! Jesus Himself authenticates and commissions them to continue the telling of the greatest story in history - the story of God's reconciliation of all things! This rag tag group of people will be a living testimony, living examples, living proof to each other and the world of what God has done and is doing! Jesus gives to them a purpose, a power and a plan and we are part of that covenant community as Jesus says to us -"You will be my witnesses!" This Sunday we begin a significant series in the life of NRCC and Awaken to the Resurrection. Acts 1:1-11

### **Church Events**

- April 16: Family Bowling @3pm
- April 17: Call to Pray @9:30 am
- April 19: Young at Heart @ 11:30am
- April 23: KCA Anniversary Celebration 11am-3pm
- April 30: Man Up! @ 8:30
   am

#### **Exchange Food Donation**

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 into the kitchen. There usually are some freshly baked cookies or treats for visitors to enjoy!!

# Young at Heart Fellowship

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 at 11:30 a.m Our guests:

Friends of Caledon Meals on Wheels Guest Speakers: Wally and Jeannie Stephenson

Music: Kleinburg Christian Academy Children's Choir

"And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins. Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost. If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

But Christ has indeed been raised from the dead..."

# **Upcoming Events**

## Family Bowling!!

April 16th we are hosting an afternoon of 5 pin bowling followed by a pot luck back at the church. Join us at Skyview Lanes located at 3 Industrial Rd. Bolton at 3pm.

The cost for this event will be \$10.00 per family at the door.

We will then, head back to the church for a pot luck supper.

AGM is around the corner. Ministry leaders are asked to start preparing their reports. Annual reports give our faith community a glimpse into each ministry and insight into where God is leading. Please submit your report to Melanie at melanie@nashvilleroad.ca by April 10th.

The AGM will be held on Sunday, May 1s at 7pm

# **A Call to Pray**

One Hour.
Twice each month.

One early..... 9:30 am
One later ......7:00pm

Praise offered.
Sins confessed.
Burdens shared.
Hearts joined.
Fears released.
Joy renewed.
God speaks.
Jesus intercedes.
Spirit present.
Eyes opened.

One hour.
Twice each month.

We must begin to believe that God, in the mystery of prayer, has entrusted us with a force that can move the Heavenly world, and can bring its power down to earth.

Andrew Murray



#### **Inner healing Training opportunity**

Restoring The Foundations (RTF) ministries is offering training seminars to help you learn inner healing tools that will help you and those you care for in life or ministry. These simple tools are based on Biblical principles that bring greater freedom, peace and joy in life. Topics covered will include generational sins, ungodly beliefs, forgiveness, repentance and deliverance.

The first Training opportunity is being held April 8, 15, 20 and 22 from 7-10pm at Catch The Fire Church on Attwell Drive. The cost is \$100 plus a manual fee of \$45. For those who already took this course and want to attend as a refresher, there is no fee.

NRCC is hoping to offer the second Training in June if there is enough interest. George and Laurie Hull will be leading us in applying the inner healing ministry tools as we walk through the healing process with each other in small groups of 3. The first training is a prerequisite for this course and a commitment to attend all classes is important. The cost for this has been reduced to \$175 for NRCC people. The time commitment will be a Thursday night, all day Friday and all day Saturday. Dates are pending.

I cannot say enough about the positive impact these tools have had on my own life and ministry. I wish I had known these tools 25 years ago. I have seen people freed from anger, fear, negativity, control, and generational sins that can be traced back for decades. I am happy to share these stories and I encourage you to prayerfully consider taking this course as a means of fighting for yourself, your family and your church community.

Thanks, Martha Lawson

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