

AUGUST 2, 2020

THROUGH THE DOORS

OF THE RED BRICK CHURCH

www.redbrickchurch.ca



Worship Service

Worship service will be made available online on our [website](#) and will live stream to Pleasant Manor at their respective times.

You can also watch on Cogeco YourTV at 10:30

Join others in watching the Worship Service live at:

<https://niagararedbrick.online.church>

Worship Service Details

10:00 AM

Welcome

John Tiessen

Community Connection

Children's Moment

Jonathan Bradnam

Scripture Verse:

Ephesians 2:19-22

Message:

Daniel Janzen

"Where there is"

Music Corner

A PLAYLIST FOR YOUR WEEK

FROM YOUR MUSIC TEAM



This week's playlist is a selection of music that bounces back and forth between heavy to light. This is rather metaphorical for the state of my soul: one minute I'm feeling light, another I'm feeling so very very heavy. One minute, I'm excited and enthusiastic, and the next I'm overwhelmed and exhausted. One minute I feel totally lost, and another, I feel somehow closer than ever to understanding how Jesus is speaking into my life. As we enter our sixth month of the pandemic, it feels like we're being stretched beyond our limits. The state of the world today and the unknowns of tomorrow raise worries and fears that, if not explicitly spoken, are certainly reflected in our interactions, from tense grocery store lineups to heated online debates to divisive decisions within and between families and friends. This is not an easy time. In the words of Michael Gungor, Jesus...constantly creates us into something new. We're undergoing a transformation in every way in this season, and the unknowns of that can be completely overwhelming. And so I'm working hard at extending grace to myself, to be okay with being all over the place in my feelings. To be okay with not knowing. And to trust that we can find rest for our weary souls in Jesus. Maybe you can relate. If so, this all-over-the-place playlist is for you too. :) Praying for an abundance of peace, patience, and hope as we sit in this season.

Sincerely, Ellery Rauwerda

Within NUMC

All the latest things that are happening



Looking for Home Church Leaders!

As we seek how to congregate in this time of crisis, our government has advised that we could meet in gatherings of up to 10 people. To that end, one hopeful way we could reconnect in the Fall through this time of COVID is through home churches! However, in order to do home church, we need leaders! If you or someone you know is interested in possibly helping us to lead this initiative, please contact Chris Hutton and we'll see what we can do in the Fall!

Ladies Breakfast

Ladies "Awesome August Breakfast Picnic", Thursday August 6th, 9 a.m. All NUMC ladies are invited to enjoy a reading that will "take" you on a picnic while you have breakfast in your favourite spot at home or perhaps you'll find a nice place to spread a picnic tablecloth! Email me a quick note (short or long) about a picnic that holds special memories, changed you in some way or perhaps it just was the best picnic ever. I will put these notes together into a reading for us to share together at breakfast on Thursday (August 6th). Email me or phone me, my contact info is in the photo directory, by the evening of Monday August 3rd. I will have the picnic reading emailed to you in time for 9 a.m. Thursday. Blessings! Linda Friesen (Henry)

Family News



Baby Announcement

Alex and Melissa Froese announce the arrival of their daughter, Charlotte Claire Froese. Charlotte was born July 23. This is the tenth grandchild for Rick and Erika Froese. Second grandchild for Ken and Julie Fyfe. May God bless the family.

ONLINE & TEXT GIVING

We now have online giving and text giving.. Previously, online giving was done through Canada Helps, it is now done direct through our REALM system.

TEXT GIVING

Text **NUMCGIVE** to **73256** then follow the steps.

- recommended using all CAPS as this shuts off the auto-correct feature on the phone. Less likely to make a typo

ONLINE GIVING

Go to **www.redbrickchurch.ca/give**. Then follow the steps

GIVING FUNDS

There are 5 funds you can opt to give to. Budget, Capital Fund, MCC, Christian Witness and Friends of Mennonite Centre Ukraine.

Budget and Capital Fund, have a memo section, in this area you can say be more specific of where to allocate the funds, i.e. Budget - library or Deacons. Capital Fund - Roof or Renovations.

Tax Receipts and Fees

- there is a 3% processing fee to us to use these methods of donating.
- during the checkout process you can opt to cover this cost
- Example \$10.00 donation + \$0.30 processing fee = \$10.30 donation, donor receives tax receipt for \$10.30
- Tax Receipts for donations will be issued at the end of the calendar year
- VANCO will send you a receipt of donation as proof that the transaction has been processed.

Contact the church office if you have questions on how to use these options or if you have questions on how to allocate your donation.

We continue to welcome donations by cheque or E-Tranfers if that is your preferred method of donating.

Niagara Life Centre request for your support

As you may recall, in previous years NUMC has supported the Niagara Life Centre. This year more than ever, they need our support. This can be accomplished by way of an on-line program. The campaign runs until August 2nd. Thanks for your consideration.

<https://niagaralifecentre.ca/virtual-coin-campaign/>

Niagara Life Centre's 2020 CHANGE IS GOOD CAMPAIGN: We've made it! Today marks the final week of giving to Niagara Life Centre's Change is Good Campaign, and coin will be collected and returned. We wanted to say a huge THANK YOU to all who participated with giving via the coin canisters or by online to the Virtual Coin Canister! Every cent and every dollar directly impacts many lives in our community through help, hope, and healing.

Life-giving change is good!

Contact Us



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*Stay connected with church community in the following ways:
Click the links to find out more!*

Service Information

Youth and Young Adults

Pastor's Armchair Devotional

Sunday School

Care Ministry

Calendar of Events

Life With Us

Give

- Join a virtual home church: contact Chris Hutton
- Watch the service online with others on Sunday mornings at 10 am
- Tune into Cogeco Sundays at 10:30 am
- Visit the website: www.redbrickchurch.ca
- Sign up for the church E-Bulletin and receive this in your inbox!
- Find us on Facebook:
- Reach out to our 'Care Ministry'