

Niagara United Mennonite Church

Called to be Servants of Christ in Our Community

Sunday May 7, 2023

Welcome! We are so glad that you have chosen to attend Niagara UM today! If you have any questions or would like to learn about what happens on a Sunday morning please visit the Welcome Center desk in the foyer or ask an usher.

[Click here](#) to watch the Live Stream.

[Click here](#) to watch archived videos during the week.

German Service at 9:45 am

Klavier — Marlene Borzychowski

Andachtsleiter — Renate Dau Klaassen

Grusswort — Psalm 96:1-4, 7

Lied — GDM #273, "Es ist ein Born draus heil'ges Blut"

Schriftwort — Apostelgeschichte 7:54-60

Botschaft — "Der Tod des Stephanus" Ramona Neufeld

Lied — GDM #398, "Will ich des Kreuzes Streiter sein"

Segen

*Diese Andacht wird am 14. Mai um 10:30 auf Cogeco Cable 10, gezeigt werden.
Die nächste deutsche Andacht wird, so Gott will, am 21. Mai, um 9:45 stattfinden.*

Worship Service at 10:45 am Coffee Fellowship at 10:15 am

Welcome

John Tiessen

Worship in Song

Choir

Community Prayer

John Tiessen

Children's Moment

Linda Pankratz

Child Dedication

Scripture Reading

1 Peter 2: 2-10

Donna Epp-Froese

Message

"Living Stones: Better than Lego"

Daniel Janzen

Closing Song

Sending Blessing

Within Red Brick Church ...

Sr. Youth

We are going to Fallsview Indoor Waterpark this Friday night! The evening will be a little earlier as we will meet at the waterpark for 6:00pm. Admission is covered for all teens age 14-18! Contact Chris Hutton if you need a ride, or if you would like more details!

In our Gallery Hall: "Awaken to New Life!"

Wander downstairs through the basement hallway and see artwork celebrating resurrection, life and joy!

Prayer Time

If you missed prayer time this past Tuesday, copies of the prayer guide are available at the Welcome Centre and online through the church website. The next prayer time will be on Tuesday June 6 from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. All are welcome to join us.

Library Book Sale

Next Sunday May 14, the library is hosting it's annual book sale. Hard covers \$2, soft covers \$1. Proceeds from the sale go back to the library budget to purchase newer titles

The library noted while doing inventory of the library recently that there are 20 books missing but the person with the book did not fill out the card at the back of the book. If you borrowed a book, please return it ASAP.

Child Dedication ...

This morning we welcome the Fowler, Friesen and Palmer-Almond extended families and friends to our service to celebrate the parent and child dedications.

Corey & Alicia Fowler with their daughter, Jade Rose

~

Kate & Cody Palmer-Almond with their son, Gibson John

~

Michael Zappitelli & Julia Friesen with their son, Julian Frank



Financial Update ...

On February 21, 2023, at the Annual General Meeting, the church membership approved a 2023 expense budget of \$463,375. In order to continue and support all of our church programs, from Sunday morning Worship Services, Youth and Young Adult Programs, Red Brick Kids, caregiving, outside ministry, and many more activities, we require weekly donations/receipts of \$8,911 in order to meet these expense obligations.

As of April 30, 2023 we have received at total of \$104,063 or \$6,121 per week.

Thank you to all that have made contributions this year to date.



MC Canada Philippines Update ...

Our special Sunday morning service in support of Mennonite Church Canada – Philippines has raised a total of \$5,675.

Thank you to all who have made contributions to this special cause.

Special donation envelopes are available at the donation counter in the sanctuary foyer for anyone who would like to donate to this special cause.



Niagara Life Centre's ...

Next Sunday, May 14 starts our "Change is Good campaign"! You can visit <https://niagaralifecentre.ca/events/coin-campaign/> to donate online, or take your coin canister with you! Thank you for your continued support of NLC! Life-giving change is good!

NUMC will have the canister available at the Welcome Centre on Sunday May 14. In the meantime, save your change.

Connect...

Online

redbrickchurch.ca

Bulletins

redbrickchurch.ca/ebulletins/

Calendar of Events

redbrickchurch.ca/calendar

Archived Services

redbrickchurch.ca/resources/sermons/

Giving

redbrickchurch.ca/contact/donate

Facebook

facebook.com/redbrickchurchniagara

Contact

1775 Niagara Stone Road
905-468-3313
office@redbrickchurch.ca

Office Hours & Staff

Monday to Friday staff are at church. Ring the doorbell at the glass doors for assistance or to access the library.

Red Brick E-News

Sign Up

<https://redbrickchurch.ca/through-the-doors/>

In Our Community ...

Book Release

May 10th, 7 pm, at The First Mennonite Church of Vineland - 3557 Rittenhouse Rd. - Theologian and Author Arthur Boers, will be present to share his new book *Shattered: A Son Picks Up the Pieces of His Father's Rage*. See Poster on the Community Bulletin Board.

Annual Spring Bazaar

United Mennonite Home is excited to welcome back its Annual Spring Bazaar! Join us on Saturday June 3rd from 10am-12:30pm at 4024 Twenty-Third St. Vineland. Festivities consist of a Bake Sale, Penny Sale, Raffle, Silent Auction, BBQ, and Entertainment. Raffle prizes include a Handmade Quilt, Webber Travel BBQ, and a \$150 Shaw Festival Gift Certificate. Advanced ticket sales are available weekday afternoons at the UMH volunteer reception desk. For more information, please contact Jodi Thompson - Programs Manager at (905) 562-7385 ext. 5004 or jthompson@umh.ca.

Looking Ahead ...

May 14, 2023 - Mother's Day

9:15 am Red Brick Kids in-person
10:45 am Worship Service & RBK Singing
10:30 am Cogeco Broadcast of May 7 German Worship Service

May 21, 2023

No RBK
9:45 am German Worship Service
10:45 am Worship Service
10:30 am Cogeco Broadcast of May 14 Worship Service