

Niagara United Mennonite Church

Called to be Servants of Christ in Our Community

July 2, 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 9:00 am

Klavier — Ruth Lamarre

Andachtsleiter — Renate Dau Klaassen

Grusswort — Matthäus 13:44-46

Lied — GDM #304, "Ich weiß nicht warum Gottes Gnad"

Schriftwort — Phil. 3:1-11

Botschaft — "Gewinn in Christus" Ramona Neufeld

Lied — GDM #86, "Schau ich zu jenem Kreuze hin"

Segen

Diese Andacht wird am 9. Juli um 10:30 auf Cogeco Cable 10, gezeigt werden.

Die nächste deutsche Andacht in der Kirche wird, so Gott will, am 16. Juli, um 9:00 stattfinden.

Worship Service at 10:00 am

Welcome

John Tiessen

Worship in Song

Rachael Peters & Chris Hutton

Community Prayer

John Tiessen

Children's Moment

Rachael Peters

Scripture Reading

Genesis 22:1-19

Linda Pankratz

Message

"The LORD will provide"

Daniel Janzen

Closing Song

Sending Blessing

If it is your desire to support work of the church, donations can be dropped off at the Welcome Centre or online at www.redbrickchurch.ca/give

Within Red Brick Church ...

Prayer Time

Prayer time will be this Tuesday July 4 from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. All are welcome to join us. We gather in the youth room.

Summer Lending Library

A selection of great books for a summer read are available in the foyer. Please remember to sign the books out, just like in the library. Not seeing something here for you, check out the amazing collection of books in our larger church library.

Ladies Breakfast

Thursday July 6th at 9 a.m. at the Husky Restaurant on York Road, NOTL. All ladies are welcome! For info contact Linda Friesen (Henry).

NUMC Art Gallery Hall

Inviting new contributions! Especially welcoming pieces reflecting the theme of "My Story"; creations that express who you are and where you've come from.

We anticipate a few pieces by guest artist Leah Klassen, who has done some paintings inspired by drawings found in the sketchbook of her great great grandmother Sara Funk Loewen Falk (1867-1943) in Russia. We particularly look forward to sharing examples of local creativity with a group who will be stopping at NUMC on July 11th, as part of a Mennonite history tour of the area. For further information, contact Renate Dau Klaassen.



Summer Worship is Here!

We are so excited for our special 'in-house' music teams this summer! From new groups, to a worship exchange with Bethany, and opportunities to participate in a pick-up choir and ladies choir, you don't want to miss out. Copies of the summer schedule can be found at the welcome centre. There is nothing quite like lifting our voices together to praise God. See you in the sanctuary!

Who to call...

The summer is always a little quieter around the church and often things come up and with long weekends and vacations it is sometimes hard to know who to contact to get an answer right away. So to assist please check this list.

Pastoral Emergency

Someone has passed away or is ill and is in need of a pastoral visit. Contact one of our three pastors.

Lead Pastor Daniel Janzen	(905) 246-8031	(vacation July 3 - July 26)
Pastor Renate Dau Klaassen	(905) 348-6257	(vacation August 14 -21)
Pastor Chris Hutton	(289) 228-1971	(vacation July 24 - August 4)

Maintenance Issues

Something is leaking, broken and needs urgent attention.

Erv Willms - Maintenance Chair 289-668-9932

Funerals, Visitations and Fellowship Meals

Contact the Pastors Daniel, Renate or Chris (depending on who is available and not on vacation). The Pastor will contact the person in the office and make the Helping Hands team aware.

Financial Donations

We have several options. Sunday mornings using the donation box in the foyer. During the week, there is a black mailbox just outside the double glass doors. The tote on the ground with a white lid has donation envelopes if you need some. Alternatively, sending an e-transfer to treasurer@redbrickchurch.ca.

Bulletins

Sunday mornings they are available at the Welcome Centre and outside the church office. During the week, a few are left inside the white lidded tote outside the double glass doors. A digital copy is available on the church website. www.redbrickchurch.ca

Bulletins Announcements

Email the church office the announcement. If you do not have email, call the office and leave a message and someone will get back to confirm we received your announcement for the bulletin.

Library Books

On Sundays, the mini library in the foyer or the main library on the 2nd floor are open to anyone before and after the service. During the week, best to contact Marlies Boldt directly to see when she will be in the library and able to open the glass doors to let you in.

General Inquiries

Email or call the church office and leave a message. Messages and emails are being picked up regularly. Someone will get back to you presently. If it is urgent, contact one of the Pastors.

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/>

Administration ...

Church Office Administrator Update

We are excited to welcome a new Office Administrator this Fall! We interviewed a number of applicants for the position and anticipate a September start date. We will have more details to share in the coming months. In the meantime, the office will be covered by staff and volunteers. Feel free to leave a message on the phone and someone will get back to you, even if we're not as prompt as Emily. :) For July, if there is a pastoral emergency, please contact Renate or Chris, as Daniel is away on vacation until later in July.

Floor Waxing - July 17 to 21

Just a heads up that in July the floors in the gym, kitchen and around the Red Brick Kids area will be stripped and waxed. It takes a week to do the work and let the floors dry completely.

In addition, this is also the week that our Helping Hands team are all away on vacation. We will be able to host funeral services in the sanctuary this week, but will not be able to host fellowship meals. We pray this will not be an issue but want families to be prepared should the need arise..

Looking Ahead ...

July 9, 2023

10:00 am Worship Service

10:30 am Cogeco Broadcast of July 2 German Worship Service