

Niagara United Mennonite Church

Called to be Servants of Christ in Our Community

July 30, 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.

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German Service at 9:00 am

Klavier — Ruth Lamarre

Andachtsleiter — Renate Dau Klaassen

Grusswort — Psalm 105:1-11

Lied — GDM #25, "Ich rühme Gottes Wundermacht"

Schriftwort — 1. Mose 29:15-28

Botschaft — "Ein Spiegelbild des Lebens" Joachim Dau

Lied — GDM #423, "Nimm, Jesu, meine Hände"

Segen

Diese Andacht wird am 6. August, um 10:30 auf Cogeco Cable 10, gezeigt werden.

Die nächste deutsche Andacht wird, so Gott will, am 13. August, um 9:00 stattfinden.

Worship Service at 10:00 am

Welcome		Erv Willms
Worship in Song		Ensemble
Community Prayer		Erv Willms
Children's Moment		Kathy Rempel
Scripture Reading	Matthew 13:31-33, 44-52	Esther Willms
Message	"God's Kingdom is like..."	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.***

Within Red Brick Church ...

Ladies Breakfast

Thursday August 3rd at 9 a.m. at the Husky Restaurant on York Road, NOTL. All ladies are welcome! For info contact Linda Friesen (Henry).

Prayer Time

Copies of the prayer guide are on the Welcome Centre and available outside the church office. You can also download a copy from the church website. The next prayer time will be Tuesday August 8 from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. All are welcome to join us. We gather in the youth room.

NUMC Art Gallery Hall - New Exhibit!

Visit the downstairs hallway, and view new creations reflecting the theme of "My Story", expressing family and faith journeys. A special feature includes several paintings by local artist Leah Klassen, who has reinterpreted in colourful canvases drawings found in her great-great-grandmother's sketchbook from Russia. There is also an 1871 painting by a Mennonite artist, which has made its way to Niagara from Russia via the Great Trek, Oklahoma, southern Manitoba and BC!

TV for the Kitchen

The kitchen staff have requested our TV in the kitchen be brought back into service, so they can watch the church service or wedding, or funeral service during their prep time. WE are looking for a NOT large TV, that can accept a WIFI, UTube input, sometimes called a Smart TV. If you have one that you think might work please let Erv Willms know 289 668 9932. thanks

Calling All Singers!

We are putting together a choir to lead worship in the service next Sunday, August 6th. If you're interested in joining, meet us in the choir loft after the service today for practice. You will be ~~bribed~~ rewarded with something sweet! :)

Calling All Treble Voices!

A ladies choir will be leading us in worship on Sunday August 13th, which is also the service that our friends at Bethany will be joining us. Ladies from both churches are invited, and the rehearsal will take place on Thursday August 10 at 7:00 in our sanctuary. Mark your calendars! Bring a friend, and join us for a collaborative, energizing and joy-filled evening of worship.

-Rachael & Ruth

YouTube and Cogeco Services

In the last two weeks we have been having issues with the sound system audio for the online service. The AV team is trying to determine what is causing this issue. In the mean time, the online audio may cut in and out. For this reason the Cogeco service may require using videos from 2022 until this sound issue can be rectified. We apologize for the inconvenience.

The challenge:

Collect 10,000 school kits
in August to help 10,000 kids.
Whether you donate one or 100
school kits, every
donation helps!



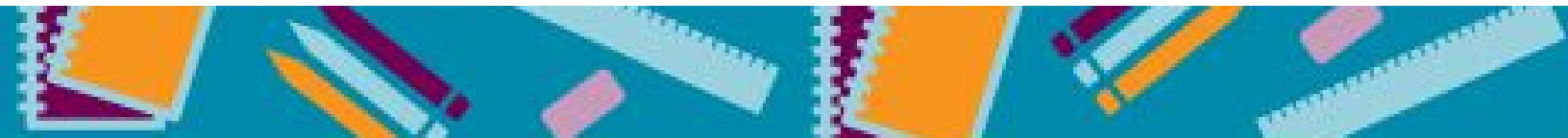
the school kit CHALLENGE

Notebooks and pencils are treasures for families around the world who have been forced to flee their homes or struggle to afford basic school supplies. Without these items, many kids in places like Syria, Ukraine and South Sudan can't get the education they desperately need.

Enter, the **School Kit Challenge**: 10,000 school kits to help 10,000 kids during the month of August.

Contents (NEW items only)

- 4 spiral or perforated-page notebooks (about 21.5 cm x 27 cm) totaling 500-600 pages
- 8 new unsharpened pencils
- 1 ruler (flat, good quality; must indicate 30 cm; inch markings optional)
- 12 coloured pencils (in packaging)
- 1 large eraser
- 4 new black or blue ballpoint pens
- 1 small all metal pencil sharpener (one or two holes)



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Office Hours & Staff

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

Red Brick E-News

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

Family News ...

The flowers at the front of the sanctuary are in memory of Natalie Lammert who passed away fifteen years ago on this date, July 30th. She is lovingly remembered by her daughters, Ruth, Linda and Dorothy, and their families. "You left us beautiful memories, your love is still our guide. Although we cannot see you, we know you are by our side.

Funeral Service

Our condolences to Helga Rahn and family on the passing of Henry Rahn on July 25. Visitation and funeral service will take place on Monday July 31 at the church. 10 am visitation, 11 am service. Those wishing to join the funeral choir are asked to meet in the choir room at 10 am. See the [Tallmans website](#) for further details.

Administration ...

Church Office

We have found a person for the Office Administration role and we are anticipating a beginning of September start date. Details are still being finalized. Over the summer, the office will be covered by our current staff and some volunteers. For the summer there may be times when the office is not available. Please be patient, leave a message on the phone and someone will get back to you. For August if there is a Pastoral Emergency, please contact Pastor Daniel Janzen .

Looking Ahead ...

August 6, 2023

10:00 am Worship Service

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