

Niagara United Mennonite Church

Called to be Servants of Christ in Our Community

August 13, 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 — Ramona Neufeld

Grusswort — Psalm 145:17-21

Lied — GDM #3, "Lobe den Herren, o meine Seele", V. 1-3, 6

Schriftwort — Matthäus 14:22-33

Botschaft: "Unser Begleiter im Sturm" — Renate Dau Klaassen

Lied — GDM #425, "Harre, meine Seele"

Segen

*Diese Andacht wird am 20. August, um 10:30 U. auf Cogeco Cable 10, gezeigt werden.
Die nächste deutsche Andacht wird, so Gott will, am 27. August, um 10:00 U. stattfinden.*

Worship Service at 10:00 am

Welcome		John Tiessen
Worship in Song		Ladies Choir
Community Prayer		John Tiessen
Children's Moment		Renate Dau Klaassen
Scripture Reading	Matthew 14:22-33	Debbie Fast
Message	"Who is this guy, Jesus"	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 ...

A special welcome this morning to our friends from Bethany Mennonite Church! We are glad you have come to worship together with us as part of our summer visit exchange! Next Sunday, we look forward to joining you at the corner of Creek Rd. and East-West Line!

Staffing Update:

On Sept 1, Rachael will be returning to the half-time Worship Coordinator Role from her Mat Leave. Rachael has already taken on some responsibility of the role beginning of July, but will be officially back Sept 1. We also would like to give a great big thanks to Renate for taking on the role and responsibility to help us direct our worship to God the last 1.5years.

Attention Music Lovers!

On Saturday October 28th, there will be a workshop and hymn sing to introduce all music lovers to Voices Together (the new hymnal) at Shantz Mennonite Church in Baden. Ten NUMCers are already attending. Contact Rachael if you'd like to join the convoy to Baden!

Next Sunday August 20

No worship services here at NUMC next Sunday, August 20th -- all are invited to join in worship at Bethany Mennonite Church, corner of Creek Rd. & East-West Line at 10:00 a.m. See you back here on the 27th!

August 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 the Tuesday, September 5 from 6:00 to 7:00 pm. All are welcome to join us. We gather in the youth room.

Sprout - Stories of Transformation

Copies of the Summer 2023 MCEC Sprout magazine are available at the Welcome Centre. Please pickup a copy and read how God is transforming lives and the unexpected paths on which God has led those working abroad with Christian Witness. The magazine features ministry stories from across our region and nationwide church community.



**Dear family,
Red Brick Kids needs your help!**

**We are looking for someone
to teach our oldest class,
Grade 3 - Grade 5 (age 8-10).**

**Please talk with
Ana Janzen for more details!
Call or text: 905-246-1527
or chat with her in person
on Sunday! :)**

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)



Update on MCC School Kit Challenge

Thank-you to all who have contributed to our MCC School Kit supplies in the foyer. We will continue to collect supplies until the end of August. In addition, money donated to NUMC with the designation of 'NUMC school kits' will be used to buy more school supplies or to help cover costs of shipping the school kits overseas.





Foundation for International Development Assistance
productive cooperatives Haiti (pCH)

Sunday September 17 Guest Speaker Betsy Wall

We welcome Betsy Wall, Executive Director for FIDA-PcH to preach on "The Peaceable Kingdom Here on Earth". "Haiti: The Other Story" is a short bio about Betsy and the work FIDA-PcH is doing in Haiti. Copies are posted on the bulletin boards around the church. FIDA, along with its working arm in Haiti, productive cooperatives Haiti (pCH) provides resources to men and women who are motivated to become invested shareholders in their own productive agricultural cooperative. Resources include cooperative formation, agricultural training and inputs, a comprehensive adult literacy program, and an innovative cooperative-based health services program.





Fall Fundraiser for Haiti

*“proceeds supporting adult literacy
for 2000 men and women”*

Wednesday, September 13, 2023

5:30-9:30 pm

at the Trevor Falk Farm 1039 Lakeshore Rd.,
Niagara-on-the Lake

with host, the ever popular, Joe Pillitteri, and featuring
special guest, Lawrence Hill, author of “The Book of Negroes”



TICKETS
\$100/person
*(includes \$50 tax receipt
plus book bag with copy of
“The Book of Negroes” and
hand made Haitian bookmark)
PLUS a fabulous raffle table
and LIVE Auction items!*

- 5:30 pm** — Wine/Beer tasting Bar sponsored by Konzelmann and Trius Wineries
- 6:00 pm** — Buffet Dinner by MJ Ingridelli Catering and a Waterloo County pie table
- 7:30 pm** — Interview with Lawrence Hill
- 7:45 pm** — LIVE Auction begins!

RESERVE YOUR TICKETS NOW BY CALLING BETSY WALL AT
519-588-7967 or email: betsy.wall@fida-pch.org



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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/>

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 20, 2023

- 10:00 am Worship Service at Bethany Mennonite Church, Niagara on the Lake
- 10:30 am Cogeco Broadcast of August 13 German Worship Service

August 27, 2023

- 9:00 am German Worship Service
- 10:00 am Worship Service
- 10:30 am Cogeco Broadcast of August 13 Worship Service