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Ring the doorbell at the glass doors!

Red Brick E-News

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Within the Community...

Seniors - Get through February, by joining us in the Simpson Room at the NOTL Community Centre on Feb. 19 at 9:45 a.m. for coffee, a film (God's Not Dead 2) followed by a light lunch there. The cost is only \$10 per person! Please pay Bud and Ella Andres (905 468-2669), Paul and Jo Thiessen (905 468-7392) or Ted and Syl Wiens (289 868-9068) by Feb. 16 to ensure your participation, and so food can be purchased/ordered.

Looking Ahead...

Next Week

Sunday February 16 at 10am

Worship Service

Bounho Phommaseng from Lao Christian Fellowship will be sharing with us.
No Red Brick Kids

11:15am to 11:45am

Adult Sunday School
Anabaptism@500

Niagara United Mennonite Church



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

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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 Centre desk in the foyer or ask an usher.

February 9, 2025

Worship Service at 10:00am

Welcome		Greg Dick
Worship in Song		Westview Group
Children's Moment		Karen Wiens
Community Prayer		
Anabaptism@500 Dramatic Reading		
Scripture Reading	John 13:34-35	Jocelyn Thwaites
Message	"The Life of the Church"	Pastor Daniel
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...

2024 Tax Receipts Packages

Your 2024 tax receipts are in the NUMC mailboxes. Anything not picked up by February 16 (**NEXT SUNDAY**) will be mailed to you. Pleasant Manor Residents Your Tax receipts have been mailed to you. Questions - Contact the office.

Annual General Meeting 2025

Time to mark your calendars. The NUMC Annual General Meeting will be happening on Tuesday February 25, 2025 at 7pm. The Meeting Agenda is included in the insert. Please join us for refreshments at 6:30pm.

Red Brick Kids Coldest Night of the Year Fundraiser

Red Brick Kids will be donating their offering to the Coldest Night of the Year. On Saturday February 22, they will take part in the Coldest Night of the Year walk in St Catharines to create awareness of homelessness in the Niagara Region. Please contact Melanie Scott if you are interested in participating.

No RedBrick Kids on February 16

Please note that Red Brick Kids will not be meeting on February 16, 2025, which is Family Day Weekend.

Family News...

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Wally Baergen 1950 - 2025, brother to Linda Pankratz and Ron Baergen on February 4, 2025. He is predeceased by his parents, George and Frieda Baergen. He grew up in NUMC and left to be a volunteer for MCC in Winnipeg in 1975 where he stayed to this day. Wally leaves behind his wife, Darlene (Wiebe), his daughter, Landin, granddaughter, Madisen, and grandson, Jayden. There were always 6 of us...but now there's 5.

About the worship visuals in front of the pulpit:

The items placed at the front depict various key faith values of the Anabaptist movement. The Bible reflects the centrality of the Scriptures, and is open to Jeremiah 6:16 — “Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, where the good way is, and walk in it.” The symbol on the glass art is of the logo of the former General Conference Mennonite Church, which became part of MC Canada; the line below the globe and the cross represents 1st Corinthians 3:11 — “For no one can lay any foundation other than the one already laid, which is Jesus Christ.”. Menno Simons frequently headed his writings with this verse. The bread and cup remind us of the Anabaptist reinterpretation of communion as an act of remembrance, instead of a literal transformation into the body and blood of Christ, and recall the severe risks the early Anabaptists took to celebrate communion separate from the state church and its leaders. The lantern represents the Anabaptist story of moving from place to place because of persecution, yet keeping the light of faith shining bright. The value of peace and non-violence is reflected by the white feather; during wartimes, the white feather has been used as a sign of choosing against military involvement, but also for shaming those who refused to don the military uniform. The basin and towel remind us of calling everyone in the faith community to be both priests and servants to one another.

NIAGARA UNITED MENNONITE CHURCH

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday February 25, 2025
6:30 pm Coffee Time, 7 pm Meeting Begins
Church Gymnasium

Agenda

1. Welcome and Opening Devotion
2. Acceptance of Agenda
3. Appointment of Tellers Committee
4. Acceptance of Membership Meeting Minutes on February 27, 2024
5. Ministry and Committee Reports
6. Financial Summary and Treasurer's Report
7. Review and Approval of 2025 Budget
8. Election of Directors, Committee Members, and Representatives for 2025
9. Election of Delegates to MCEC Gathering, April 26th ONLINE 10-11:30am, MCC Canada, July 2-5.
10. Other business
 - a. Syriac Church Update
 - b. Westview Church Update
 - c. Capital Project Review
 - d. Constitution Update
11. Closing Prayer
12. Adjournment