

Welcome to North Grenville Community Church

For First Time Guests:

It is a pleasure to welcome you this morning! Downstairs we have Kids Worship for school aged children from 4-12, and supervised nursery care is provided for infants, to preschoolers from 0-4 years (not in school).

You will see a table in the centre aisle, with Bibles on it. These bibles are for your use during the service, kindly return them to the table when the service is over. If you do not have a Bible and want one, please contact the Church office.

Today:

Sermon: "Mob Mentality or Faithful Few?"

Scripture: Mark 15: 1-20, Mark 16 (Page 721-722)

Thank you for choosing to spend Easter Sunday with us. We trust that you will have a blessed time in worship this morning. In your bulletin you will find a Connect Card. For those who are visiting with us the Connect Card can be used to let us know you were here. For those who consider NGCC their home Church the Connect Card can be used to request information, submit a prayer request or connect with the pastoral or administrative staff.

Pastor Thomas will be in the office in the coming week. For appointments, with Pastor Thomas please contact the Church office at 258-4815 x 100 or office@ngccfm.ca.

Celebrating this week:

Happy Birthday: Macy Eng (20th)

Happy Anniversary: None this week

If we missed mentioning your birthday or anniversary, please let us know at 258-4815.

Stay in the know:

Sign up online to receive Church news at www.ngccfm.ca/connect. Also on Facebook at www.facebook.com/ngccfm Twitter @NGCCFM., Vimeo at vimeo.com/ngccfm.



This Week, Please Pray For:

Families:

- Rosalind & Randy Giffen & family
- Lilah Gilmer & family

Pastoral Families:

- Pastor Thomas & Amy-Beth, Joel, Julia, Macy Eng
- Pastor Flizabeth Stewart
- Our Official Board Families

Overseas Missionaries:

- •Rev. David & Jennifer Wright (Niger)
- •Rev. Dean & Stephanie Babcock (Malawi)
- •Rev. Sok Em (Cambodia)
- •Rev. Debbie Hogeboom (Kenya)

"Prayer does not fit us for the greater work; prayer is the greater work."

Oswald Chambers

The prayer chain can be initiated by calling the Church at $613-258-4815 \times 100$. The prayer team meets at the Church on Tuesdays at 11 AM.

Prayer Requests:

- The Kerith Debt Freedom Centre as it ministers to our community. Please pray for our coaches as well as the clients they serve.
- That God would continue to provide for the needs of the Church.
- Those who struggle with addictions and their families.
- Those in our Church family, and community that struggle with health issues, especially our seniors.
- Praise that Brenda Leach's doctors have found the reason for her pain. Please pray that Brenda will be able to do the specialized physio and that it will work.
- Those who are battling cancer; Audrey Moden's brother Peter, Cathy MacDonald, 14 year old Tanner, and Trudy Arnaud's sister Barbara, May Louise's daughter Marcie,
- Michelle, who struggles with addiction, and the effect that it is having on her family.
- Pineview FMC in Cloyne, ON as they are now in transition.
- June Vienneau's nephew Derek McClintock who is fighting cancer and needs a miracle.
- Brenda Garraway's brother in law Brian. Praise that the doctors were able to fix the problem and Brian is now feeling much better.
- Joe Kupecz is thankful for a successful procedure and for the prayers of the Church family. Praise that he is feeling much better.
- Cynthia Kowal and her family as they mourn the unexpected passing of her cousin last week.

April Bible Memory Verse

Pastor Liz is continuing with a monthly bible memory verse for the whole congregation, not just the kids. The younger kids will have a simplified version of the teen/adult verse.

Kids:

While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Romans 5:8 (NIV)

Teens/Adults:

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

I have hidden your word in my heart that I might not sin against you.

Psalm119:11 (NIV)

Library Corner

Celebrate the resurrection with some books to strengthen your faith.

If you have Christian books that you no longer read, they would be helpful to Love Ottawa and Christian Salvage Mission. For more information please see Debbie Stewart.



Today is Benevolent Sunday—The Benevolent fund is used to help those our church family or our community who need a little extra financial help. Please use a benevolent envelope if you would like to participate. Remember donations qualify for a tax receipt, so mark your name or envelope number on your donation.

Board Meeting: There will be a board meeting at the Church on Wednesday April 19th at 7 PM. Board Members, your packages are available for pick up.

What's happening at Church this week?

Tuesday—Why Faith? Real Questions Over Lunch— 11:15-Noon @ Church with Pastor Liz

Tuesday - Fellowship of the Mat Men's Group—8 PM @ Church

Wednesday—Ladies Bible Study— 10 AM - The Gospel of Mark @ Church

Wednesday Night—Families with Kids Care Group 6:30 PM at the home of Pastor Thomas & Amy Beth, 2518 County Road 21 in Spencerville.

Wednesday Night: Board Meeting 7 PM @ Church

Thursday—Lunch with Liz—11:15-Noon @ Church with Pastor Liz.

Thursday—Small Group at the home of Lia Wall 24 Emily Lauren Cres. Kemptville. Study will be facilitated by Joe Kupecz.

New Small Group Studies Are Starting Up!

Tuesday Nights: 6:30—8:30 PM Mixed Group at the home of Denyse Denny, 403 George Street in Kemptville. Study will begin in April 11th.

Wednesday Nights: starting at 6:30 PM. Family friendly group at the home of Pastor Thomas and Amy-Beth. 2518 County Rd 21 in Spencerville. Study begins April 12th. Bring your kids.

Thursday Nights: 6:45—9PM Mixed group at the home of Lia Wall, 24 Emily Lauren Cres., Kemptville. Study will be facilitated by Joe Kupecz starting April 6th.

If you have any questions about the small groups, please contact Linda Moore at 613-258-4463.

If you have spare Tupperware or plastic food containers, the Pastoral Care Team can put them to use. Please put it in the mailboxes by the upstairs bathroom. Square containers are preferred.

Thanks for your help!

Our Mission:

To be a loving and healthy community, reaching others by knowing, loving and serving God.

Our Vision:

To live and love like Jesus (with Jesus)

Official Board Members

Serving This Week in:

| Joanne Berndt | Don MacGregor | |
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| Rosalind Giffen—V. Chair | Jan MacGregor | |
| Joe Kupecz | Christine Power—Secretary | |
| Colin Moden—Chair | Kevin Smith | |
| Linda Moore | Lia Wall | |

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