

## Welcome

We want to welcome everyone to Northridge Community Church. Our prayer is that your relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church will be strengthened by your presence here. If you would like to talk to someone about our church, please fill out the opposite side of this sheet and place it in the offering plate or give it to an usher.

Please take a moment and comment on the following. Your opinion is appreciated.

*I came today because:*

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*What did you like best?*

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*Do you have any suggestions?*

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### Today...

- I have acknowledged and received Jesus Christ as my Saviour.
- I've recommitted my life to Jesus Christ as my Saviour.

Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

## Financial Updates

If you are new to our congregation and wish to be provided with offering envelopes, please complete the tear-off portion of this bulletin. If you would prefer to use automatic debiting, forms are at the welcome centre. Please complete and forward to an usher or hand it in to the general office. If you are **not** using your envelope, **it is very important to include your designated number** on your cheque, not just your name.

Please clearly mark your offering envelopes each week, to ensure your gift is properly allocated. If you need to know your building fund contribution to date relative to your pledge, please contact Kimberley at the general office – [mail@northridgecommunitychurch.com](mailto:mail@northridgecommunitychurch.com)

Please note our updated Capital Campaign thermometer over the Welcome Centre. Your pledge dollars and sponsored events total approx. \$400,000.00. **As well, you will note that our annual budget envelope giving has increased by just over 10%.** This is to accommodate a variety of ministries and necessary staff adjustments. **Your prayerful consideration is encouraged with regards to your personal giving** - Thank you.

Congregation giving to Senior Church Week Ending Nov 7	Previous week's actual	YTD budget Week 32 of 52	YTD Actual Week 32 of 52	2010/11 annual budget	Surplus - Shortfall
Envelope	6,844.33	118,461.53	112,773.83	<b>\$192,500.00</b>	-5,687.70
Loose Offering	143.59	5,538.46	3,641.85	<b>\$9,000.00</b>	-1,896.61
<b>Totals</b>	<b>6,987.92</b>	<b>124,000.00</b>	<b>116,415.68</b>	<b>\$201,500.00</b>	-7,584.31

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## The ABC's of Salvation

**Admit Your Need** – “For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.” (Romans 3:23)

**Believe on Christ** – “Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved.” (Acts 16:31)

**Commit Yourself to Christ** – “Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.” (John 1:12)

Being truly sorry for your sins and through the power of Christ, forsaking them, go forth to live for Christ.

**He will give forgiveness, power, victory, purpose and life eternal!**

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*“But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles: they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.”*  
*- Isaiah 40:31-*

## November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010

### Mission:

To know Christ better and make Him better known.

### Values:

- Making soul winning our primary purpose
- Seeking to develop and nurture every believer as our primary function
  - Looking to the example of Christ as our primary expectation
  - Providing worship that glorifies God as our primary celebration

### Vision:

That the people would be energized, so that the Church would be multiplied, and that God would be glorified.

**Ministers:** Everyone!

**Pastors / Officers:** Brian & Glenda Bishop

**Lay Pastor:** Gord Mayer

**Children's & Youth Pastor:** Sandra Reid

## A Place to Begin, Belong & Become

## Worship & Celebration

Call to Worship / Prayer  
Welcome / Connecting Point  
Celebration & Worship  
Offering  
Message / Scripture

"God You Reign"

Gord Rawlins  
Cameron Rawlins  
Pastor Glenda

### "Life's Healing Choices" – Part 8

Response/Sending  
Benediction

## Community & Church News

### WELCOME

We welcome all of you to Northridge! We pray that you will experience the warmth of God's presence and the friendship of God's people. We also pray, as we conclude this teaching series (Matthew Ch. 5 - Beatitudes) on "Freedom from Your Hurts, Hang-ups and Habits", that you will be renewed with fresh hope as you look to the future.

If you are a visitor with us today, please see an usher at the Welcome Centre, following our worship, to receive a small gift as a reminder of your visit.

**Please note: Sunday, November 21<sup>st</sup>, will be a Celebration Sunday for this series.**

### THOUGHT FOR TODAY

"I know of nothing in the spiritual life more discouraging, than to meet the kind of person who seems to give the impression that he or she is always is walking on the mountain top." – Dr. Martyn Lloyd-Jones

### CLASS 201

CLASS 201 - Discovering Spiritual Maturity - begins Tuesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> and will conclude on Tuesday, December 14<sup>th</sup>. Each session will be approximately one hour in length. Topics that will be covered are as follows: **Time Alone in God's Word, Time Alone In God's Presence, Our Giving, and Fellowship.**

If interested, please complete the tear off portion with your name and contact information and place into the offering plate. For further details, contact John Tillsley or Pastor Brian.

### SUNDAYS @ NORTHRIDGE FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH

We are pleased to provide special and relevant programs for those up to 16 years of age - Kingdom Kare (ages 0-2years), Kingdom Korner (ages 3-6 years) and Kingdom Kids (ages 7-12) and Kingdom Krew (ages 13-16). Sandra is encouraging and inviting you any Sunday to see what these ministries consist of – what are kids learning, what are opportunities for you to serve. If interested, please see Sandra or contact her at [sandra.reid@rogers.com](mailto:sandra.reid@rogers.com)

Teens will worship with the adults until the time of the message, at which time they will accompany Pastor Gord to the teen room.

### NORTHRIDGE ON FACEBOOK & WEB

Keep up-to-date on Northridge. Northridge Community Church and click "like" for FB (Facebook) group. Check out [www.northridgecommunitychurch.com](http://www.northridgecommunitychurch.com) for lots of info including the weekly church bulletin.

### CASA - ages 9-15

Friday, November 19<sup>th</sup> - Casa's Got Talent - Moms and Dads - come out and cheer on your kid's hidden (or maybe not-so-hidden) talents. Please note: This week is an opportunity for younger students to attend - ages 7-15.

### J.O.Y. CLUB (55+)

Wednesday November 24<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am - join us for lunch for only \$7.00. Henk & Helen Verstege present "Tiptoe through the Tulips", a scenic view of Holland & Germany.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

Mark your calendars for Sunday Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> for our annual Christmas catered luncheon - a catered full turkey dinner with all the trimmings.

**adults - \$15 children 3-12 - \$7.50 under 3 - free**

Come and fellowship before the Christmas rush. Accepting payment by cash or debit in the office following this morning's service.

### MASSED CHOIR FOR CAROLS OF CELEBRATION

Andrea Donais will be leading a choir that will perform at Carols of Celebration on Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm @ Newmarket Theatre. Even if you cannot read music, if you can carry a tune, please join us. There will be rehearsals on Sundays & Thursdays as follows:

- o Sun. Nov. 21 - 4:15 pm
- o Thu. Nov 25 - 8:15 pm
- o Thu. Dec 2 - 8:15 pm
- o Sun. Dec 5 - 4:15 pm
- o Sun. Dec 12 - between 2-5 pm (TBD) - dress rehearsal @ theatre

### CAROLS OF CELEBRATION

This year's presentation of Carols of Celebration will again be at the Newmarket Theatre, December 12<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm . Tickets are \$5 and are available through the [24 hour theatre box office](http://newmarket.ca/en/newmarkettheatre.asp) @ 905-953-5122 or at <http://newmarket.ca/en/newmarkettheatre.asp>

### CHRISTMAS VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

SANTA CLAUS PARADES - walkers/wavers needed. Dress warmly: we will also give you a Salvation Army vest to wear. Christmas costumes welcome.

Newmarket - Sat. Nov 20 -11:00 am

Aurora - Sat. Nov 27<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm (Under the Stars)

East Gwillimbury - Sunday Nov 28<sup>th</sup> - 2:00 pm (lunch provided here at church)

Contact Ray Varkki - [ray.varkki@rogers.com](mailto:ray.varkki@rogers.com) to participate.

KETTLES - Many opportunities throughout Central York Region are available for your participation for this year's Kettle Campaign. If you can take a 2 hour shift at a kettle location at the mall, Costco or the liquor stores, just to say thanks as people drop in their donation, please see Glennanne Phillips or contact her at [glennannephillips@rogers.com](mailto:glennannephillips@rogers.com). (Chairs are provided for those unable to stand for periods of time)

SANTA SHUFFLE - 9:00 am - 1:00 pm - registration, spot runners, hand out refreshments. See Adam Jupp - [adam\\_jupp@rogers.com](mailto:adam_jupp@rogers.com)

TOY DEPOT ASSISTANCE - Fri. Dec. 17 & Mon. Dec. 20 - - 9:00 am - 7:00 pm Toy Depot Distribution Days - Help clients take packages to vehicles, provide security.

TOY DEPOT PACK'N CLEAN - Dec 21/22, 29/30 - 9:00 am-3:00 pm - - sort and pack toys for storage, clean depot. Lunch, snacks provided. Help for any portion of the day is appreciated. Contact Ray at [ray.varkki@rogers.com](mailto:ray.varkki@rogers.com) or 905-895-6276.

## Connection Card

Please take a moment to fill in this form. When you're done, detach it and either place it in the offering plate, or hand it to an usher.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Visitor  Neighbour

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### Please contact me about the following:

- What it means to become a Christian
- Discussing a special prayer request
- Junior Action (ages 7-10)
- Scouts- Co-ed (ages 7-14)
- Chat Room Jr. & Sr. (ages 11-17)
- College & Careers (age 18 +)
- CASA (ages 9 - 15)
- Junior Youth Group (ages 7-12)
- Senior Youth Group (ages 13 +)
- Youth Arts (brass, guitar, vocal etc.)
- J.O.Y. Club (55+)

### I am interested in:

- Obtaining information about Church Programs
- CLASS Seminars (101,201,301,401) – Discovering Christian Life & Service
- Joining a Bible Study / Small Group
- Receiving a set of weekly envelopes for offering/tithing or auto debit
- Discovering my spiritual gifts
- A visit from the pastors
- Receiving the morning email  
`A Quick Start`

## Prayer Requests

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