



"Walk It Out" from Laurentian Wesleyan Church

*Inspiration and Information to
Help You "Walk Out" Your Faith Everyday.*

Sunday November 12th, 2023

Thanks for joining us! We pray you are filled with the grace and peace of Jesus. We encourage you to fill out a welcome card, located in the pews, and give it to me, Pastor Jason. You can also head over to www.laurentianchurch.com and click on "HELLO" to let us know more about yourself.

Today - Sunday Service - 10am

In-Person & Online

Nursery available (unstaffed)
Refreshments to follow

Is it there to draw on?

It was in Grade 13 English class, and our teacher asked a student about the structure of the sentence on the board. "What is the predicate in this sentence?" The student didn't know, so she asked someone else. And then a look of horror came over her face as she realized that none of us knew the answer (although I suppose only an English teacher would be horrified at something like this...ha). The reality was, we had never been taught the structure of a sentence...something that should have happened in elementary school. She could try to pull out the answer all she wanted, but the knowledge wasn't there.

Recently I was feeling a bit discouraged, and a song came to mind that I haven't heard in a long time.

His strength is perfect when our strength is gone
He'll carry us when we can't carry on
Raised in His power, the weak become strong
His strength is perfect, His strength is perfect
("His Strength Is Perfect" by Steven Curtis Chapman)

I'm so glad it was in my mind for the Holy Spirit to draw on, so I could be reminded of an

important promise of God; "My grace is sufficient for you, for my power is made perfect in weakness." (2 Corinthians 12:9b)

A simple question to reflect on today...are you putting good things in so the Holy Spirit can draw them out when you need them? It could be a song, but even better is inputting scripture.

Pastor Jason and Chrissy – Thanks Again!

Chrissy and I had fun exploring Niagara Falls last weekend. The falls really are majestic. Thanks again for the weekend away!



Prayer Corner

- Continue to pray for Lorna. She is healing from her eye surgery.
- Continue to pray for the family and friends of Allen McLaughlin as they prepare for his upcoming Celebration of Life Service - details tba (partner to Sam, Marg Anderson's grandkids' mom).
- Peace & Justice: Peace of Jerusalem" (Psalm 122:6). Persecuted church. War in Ukraine.
- Healing & Comfort: Loes Verlinden (Tony's sister-in-law), Tony Verlinden, Sharon Graff, Allan (partner to Sam, Marg Anderson's grandkids' mom), Pat Gorman (Lydia Eichwald's son), Nancy (Ernie Reise's wife), Sharon Webster, Lorna Powell, Kevin Trombley (Chrissy's Uncle), Pauline (Nancy Mercier's sister), Cecile Muisse (Madeleine Daly's mom), Annabelle (Fern Turcott's sister), Thomas & Johnathan (Barb Daw's sons).

•Wisdom & Freedom: Accessibility Project.
Celebrate Recovery Ministry, Braydon, Andrew.

•Salvation. Lift up some names that come to mind. This website gives a clear presentation of the Gospel: peacewithgod.net

If you have requests to add or remove, or an update to share, please let Pastor Jason know.

Join and share requests on our "Laurentian Prays" Facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/laurentianprays>

Something New in the Pews

You'll notice this Sunday that we have 4 new cards in the pews. I pray they'll be useful.

•Who We Are - Perfect for visitors to let them know a little more about our church.

•Prayer - You're invited to share prayer requests with this card, either giving it to me or putting in the offering box at the back of the sanctuary.

•Giving - Gives instructions on how to give.

•Welcome - A simple card for visitors to fill out so we can connect with them.

Downtown Christmas Walk

We're planning to give out candy-canes with a special message attached.

We'll need people to be at our "booth" throughout the night.

More info to come.

Accessibility Project

To see the whole project, visit:

www.laurentianwesleyan.com

Accessibility Fund-Raising

Questions/pick ups – ask Tony 705-358-1263

•Collecting large metal items&pop cans

Upcoming Events, At a Glance

Bible Study - Thursdays at 7pm



Celebrate Recovery - First Baptist Church
Every Wed 7pm – Teaching * 8pm - Share Groups * Everyone welcome.

Seniors' Pot-Luck Lunch -Upcoming Dates

Nov. 21, Dec. 19 & Jan. 16

Downtown Christmas Walk - Fri, Nov 24, 2203 - 6-9pm Plan now to be involved!

Christmas Fun-Night - Sat, December 9th.

More info to come. Mark your calendars!

Christmas Eve Sunday Servies, Sunday, December 24, 2023

•Before service breakfast brunch upstairs (bring something to share and enjoy fellowshiping together!)

•Sunday Service at 10am

•Christmas Eve Service at 7pm. A perfect time to invite friends and family as we celebrate the birth of Christ.

Financial Update – Oct 29th

General: \$3,049.55

Missions: \$40

Access. Project: \$385

Total: \$3,474.55

(Budget Required Per Week: \$2,170.71)

For more information about giving, visit www.laurentianchurch.com/give

Community Announcements

The NB Pregnancy Help & Resource Centre -

Christmas Gift Fundraiser clients. Can be followed Facebook. Donations can be made in person at our office, 357 Ferguson Street North Bay or by e-transfer at nbphrc@hotmail.com

Community Living North Bay is looking for host families for adults with intellectual disabilities. More info on bulletin board.

Upcoming Church Family Celebrations!

25th Lydia Eichwald

December

1st Richard Ouellette

11th Mark & Bonnie Steinman

31st Peter & Madeleine Daly's Anniversary