

"Walk It Out" from Laurentian Wesleyan Church

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

Sunday November 19th, 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 <u>www.laurentianchurch.com</u> and click on "HELLO" to let us know more about yourself.

> Today - Sunday Service - 10am In-Person & Online Nursery available (unstaffed) Refreshments to follow

Why do we pray?

I remember hearing Pastor Kirk Perry (Brockville Wesleyan Church) say; "We pray because we know God has the power to act."

We don't just pray out of ritual or routine. We don't just pray because it's expected that a Christian prays.

We don't just pray to "send good thoughts" to those in need.

We pray because we have the privilege of tapping into the same power that raised Christ from the grave! (See Romans 8:11)

And as Paul Baloche says; "When we see you, we have strength to face the day" ("Hosanna" by Paul Baloche)

May we be people of powerful prayer.

Prayer Corner

•Downtown Christmas Walk. Pray for significant Christ-centred conversations as we hand out candy canes and set up our manger scene.

•Prayers appreciated as I conduct the "Celebration of Life" service for Allen McLaughlin next weekend (partner to Sam, Marg Anderson's grandkids' mom).

•Peace & Justice: Peace of Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6). Persecuted church. War in Ukraine.

•Healing & Comfort: Lorna Powell, Loes Verlinden (Tony's sister-in-law), Tony Verlinden, Sharon Graff, 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 Muise (Madeleine Daly's mom), Annabelle (Fern Turcott's sister), Thomas & Johnathan (Barb Daw's sons).

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

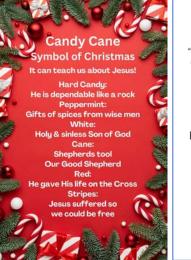
•Salvation. Lift up some names that come to mind. This website gives a clear presentation of the Gospel: peacewithgod.net

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: <u>https://www.facebook.com/groups/laurentianprays</u>

Downtown Christmas Walk – Fri Nov 24th

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.



We pray you would know the Christ of Christmas!

"She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins." Matthew 1:21

Join us for Christmas Worship Sundays - 10am Christmas Eve - 7pm



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New Alarm System

A big THANK YOU to everyone who came out this past Saturday for our orientation day. And thanks Steve Szydlik for taking us through everything. I really appreciate you all. We'll be turning on our system by the end of the month, so stay tuned.

"Journey to Bethlehem" Movie - In Sudbury Theatres

There's a new nativity story in theatres called "Journey to Bethlehem". "This live-action Christmas musical adventure for the entire family, weaves classic Christmas melodies with humor, faith and new pop songs in a retelling of the greatest story ever told, the story of Mary and Joseph and the birth of Jesus."

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, Dec 9th at 5 pm Mark your calendars!

Christmas Eve Sunday Servies, Sunday, December 24, 2023

Before service breakfast brunch upstairs (bring something to share and enjoy fellowshipping 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: \$1,385 Missions: \$20 Accessibility Project: \$245 <u>Change for Change: \$10</u> Total: \$1,660.00

Parsonage Rent (November): \$1200

(Budget Required Per Week: \$2,170.71) For more information about giving, visit <u>www.laurentianchurch.com/give</u>

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

Upcoming Church Family Celebrations!

Bay or by e-transfer at nbphrc@hotmail.com

Nov 25th Lydia Eichwald

December

1st Richard Ouellette 11th Mark & Bonnie Steinman 31st Peter & Madeleine Daly's Anniversary



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