

Lorne Park Baptist Church e-Blast (Jan. 14, 2022)

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A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR ERROL

Hello Lorne Park Brothers and Sisters,

As we focus on rebuilding our fellowship and bond, we are hosting our first "Kick Off" LPBC Community Gathering on January 30, 2022, between 4:00 -5:00pm on Zoom. The theme will be "*Re-uniting, Rebuilding, and Re-engaging Together for the Kingdom's sake*". Pastor Errol and EC invite you to a time of interaction, prayer and dialogue using Breakout Rooms and an Open-Mike approach to ensure that everyone has a voice. We will also take the opportunity to share some exciting information around upcoming events such as corporate bible study, fundraising, sermon themes and reviving programs that serve the needs of our faith community. If you have a heart and a burden for the ministry of LPBC within this community, you cannot afford to miss this event. The Psalmist said: "Behold how good and how pleasant it is when God's people live together in unity. (Ps 133:1 NIV). Every Blessing, Pastor Errol.

FUTURE E-BLASTS

As mentioned in previous e-Blasts, we continue to experience some email delivery issues to our members. **All e-Blasts are posted on our website lpbc.ca but sensitive and personal information may not be included in the website version.** The link is on the Welcome page to the pdf document to make it easier for everyone to keep up to date on our church news. We will continue to mail out each week's e-Blast but if for some reason you don't receive it you can find it on our website. Also, if you are not receiving it by email but should be, please let Ward know at wardpiper@rogers.com and he will use a work around to ensure you receive it in future.

EPHESIANS STUDY

Anyone interested in joining a 12 week video series on Ephesians, please join us on Zoom (same link as Sunday) on Thursdays at 7:30 pm. We will be starting chapter 1 this coming Thursday. If you have any questions or require further information, please contact Wendy.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Now that the church is meeting once again in-person on Sundays, we need help in a number of areas including: assisting Rodney with technology, Sanctuary readiness, ushering, and registration admission to name a few. Please speak to Errol, Laura, Rodney, Wendy, Ward or Gail if you can lend a hand.

UPDATE ON OUR REFUGEE FAMILY CO-SPONSORSHIP

Our planning for the arrival of our Co-sponsored family, Muska T. and her 4 children, is proceeding. We hope to welcome them sometime in February or March. The parents of Numan T. (our co-sponsor) have arrived in Canada and are now settling into life in their temporary quarters. We praise God for answered prayers!!

We need your support

We are asking our congregation to respond in donating items that they will need, including furniture, household items and clothing. We also need volunteers to serve on teams for the different areas of need. Please contact Ruth Foggett (ruthfoggett@gmail.com) if you would like to help or have items that you are able to donate.

We will shortly be issuing more details about these needs and how you can respond. Please watch for an e-Blast in the near future

We thank you for your support and prayers for these family members! Please remember Muska and the children as they continue through the process of coming to Canada.

Ruth Foggett and Don Hallman

NEXT COMPASS PICKUP

Barb Yates will be picking up items for the Compass on Friday, January 28th at 10 a.m. If you have items for the Compass, please contact Barb before next Friday at Barbara.yates@sympatico.ca

THIS SUNDAY AND LOOKING AHEAD

Please note that we are putting our in-person worship services on hold until further notice We will continue to meet over Zoom and you can join us each Sunday at 10:30 a.m. using the following link:

<https://zoom.us/j/9326242374?pwd=OUJTSkRocjdVNU5sbVRzRGpzbno4Zz09>

Meeting ID: 932 624 2374

Password: 000000 (if needed)

Call in number: +1 647 558 0588 (if needed)