



September 30<sup>th</sup> – October 6<sup>th</sup>

## Welcome to The Gathering!

*We exist to connect people to the love of God.*

### Stay Connected

Check us out online: [www.thegatheringottawa.com](http://www.thegatheringottawa.com)  
Like us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/thegatheringottawa](http://www.facebook.com/thegatheringottawa)  
Follow us on Twitter: @GatheringOttawa

### Keep in Touch

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### Multiple Giving Options Available

There are three ways to give to The Gathering: the offering plate on Sunday morning, via direct debit, or by going online and using Canada Helps. Contact Kristyn or visit us online at [www.thegatheringottawa.com/giving](http://www.thegatheringottawa.com/giving) for more info.

### Take Notes with YouVersion

To follow along with today's message, and take notes online with YouVersion, open your YouVersion Bible App and go to "Events"! To access the OCSB wifi, use the password: wireless4all

### New Comers Meet & Greet: TODAY AFTER SERVICE

New to The Gathering? Join us after service for a meet and greet and get to know some of the Pastors and Board Members, as well as Jeff's heart and vision for the church! We're excited to meet you in room 161!

### COMM(UNION) Worship Night: TONIGHT @ 6PM

Join us at Parkway Church (7275 Parkway Rd, Greely) tonight for an evening of worship and communion! Come and hear Pastor Jeff (The Gathering) and Pastor Michael (Parkway) share about how our two churches are coming together in partnership in some practical ways in order to reach South Ottawa with the good news of Jesus. Stick around afterwards for a dessert potluck (please bring along a nut-free dessert to share!)

### Life Hacks!

Through September and October, we're looking at the book of James and finding life hacks to enrich our lives! Do you have a life hack you'd like to share with the congregation? Send us an email and let us know!

### Home Church Fall Semester Has Started!

We weren't created to do this life alone...would you like to get connected? It's not too late to join a home church, check out the Home Church section of our website to find a group that fits your schedule! For more info, contact Jeff.

### [re]UNION Junior High: Wednesdays at Parkway Church

Grades 6-8 can find their place in Christ, and connect with peers of the same faith at [re]UNION at Parkway Church Greely! [re]UNION takes place from 7-8:30pm, at 7275 Parkway Road.  
For more info, email [youth@thegatheringottawa.com](mailto:youth@thegatheringottawa.com).

### Mosaic Senior High: Thursdays at Parkway Church

Grades 9-12 from 7-9pm at Parkway Church in Greely (7275 Parkway Road). Students can expect a safe place to explore and wrestle with their faith, while being surrounded by a team of leaders who have lived life and found a faith of their own. For more info, email [youth@thegatheringottawa.com](mailto:youth@thegatheringottawa.com).

### Jericho Road Coffee Houses in October

We as a church are serving at Jericho Road's coffee houses each Thursday in October! We need your help with providing food, as well as volunteers to spend some great evenings of connection. Sign up today, or email us for more info!

### Friends for Dinner: THANKSGIVING

Ottawa has over 15,000 international students, and Friends for Dinner is an opportunity of reaching out to those students during Thanksgiving and connecting them with Church families throughout the city. This Thanksgiving, why not consider hosting some students in your home for dinner, and showing them God's love? We're looking for families who love God, who have an open heart and who are willing to open their house. Are you that person? Contact us now!

### Church Family Potluck: October 14<sup>th</sup>

Plan to stick around after service on the 14<sup>th</sup> for a potluck! Catch up with old friends and meet new ones as we fellowship together. Please bring along a nut-free dish to share!

### Volunteers Needed

Would you like the chance to help make Sunday mornings a time and place where everyone can meet with Christ? The Gathering is looking for people to volunteer! Contact Kristyn to join the team!