**Stuck at Home Resources**

We’re all currently feeling the effects of Covid-19 and our country’s mandates. For some, it looks like working from home or even being laid off. For others it means having all of the kids home…always…with no break! We find ourselves with a lot of time on our hands, we want to provide you with some resources that can help you use this time well! Below you’ll see resources for kids, bible studies, worship playlists, and others. We hope these can be a blessing in your home during this time!

As always, if you have any prayer or care needs please email ­­­­­­­dave@northstarchurch.ca We are still the Church (capital C!) and we still follow Jesus’s words to love the Lord with all our heart, soul, mind and strength and to love our neighbour as ourselves.

**Our Top 3:**

Below we’ve listed some of our favorite resources! For other great resources take a look further below.

[RightNow Media](https://accounts.rightnowmedia.org/Account/Invite/LimitedTimeFreeTrialChurch?returnUrl=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.rightnowmedia.org%2FAccount%2FMedia%2FInviteReturn) - RightNow Media has a great library of kid’s content and they’re offering temporary free access during Covid-19! This is a huge blessing to use!

[Northstar Spotify](https://open.spotify.com/user/67uodsp5axgyqjqricqrbw9id?si=2GwrBoJbRGSDoN-nrEtqDw) – We’ve made some worship playlists for you! We hope these will help point your heart towards Jesus throughout your day. (If you don’t already have Spotify account you can make one for free!)

[Bible Project](https://bibleproject.com/) – Want to learn more about books and themes of the Bible? Bible Project is a great resource for this to do alone or with others!

**Other Resources:**

We pray that these resources will be a blessing to you and your family!

**Family Resources:**

[Activity Packs](https://www.activityvillage.co.uk/school-closures) – Kids activity packs for you to print off and use as you see fit!

[Audible Stories for Kids](https://stories.audible.com/discovery) – Audible is offering free kids’ stories to listen to right now!

[Focus on the Family Resources](https://www.focusonthefamily.com/family-time-during-the-coronavirus-quarantine/) – A great offering of resources for all aspects of the family with devotionals and resources for parenting, marriage and more.

[List of Education Companies offering Free Subscriptions](https://kidsactivitiesblog.com/135609/list-of-education-companies-offering-free-subscriptions/?fbclid=IwAR1hO3euqsaO9iwm_vE8gbM3OKOGqSwbnMQQ55HFNZ95Le3ibBnuZBunxxk) – Kids activity packs for you to print off and use as you see fit!

[OrangeKids](https://orangekidmin.com/coronavirus/) – OrangeKids has a digital experience guide for children’s ministry that they are updating weekly.

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[Village Church Kids Online](https://vimeo.com/showcase/6865248) – Part of the Fellowship Baptist, Village Church (Surrey, BC) has begun uploading Sunday School lessons each week for families to participate in together

**Connecting with Friends & Family:**

[How to Use FaceTime](https://support.apple.com/en-ca/HT204380) – Note – Users must have Apple Devices in order to FaceTime (iPhone, iPad, Macbook, etc.)

[How to Use Facebook Messenger Video](https://www.facebook.com/help/messenger-app/1414800065460231?helpref=topq) – Note – Users must have Facebook account/Facebook Messenger App (either on Smart Phone or computer)

[How to Use Google Hangouts](https://support.google.com/hangouts/answer/3115553?co=GENIE.Platform%3DDesktop&hl=en) – Note -Users need a Google account

[How to Use Skype](https://support.skype.com/en/faq/fa10613/how-do-i-make-a-call-in-skype) – Note – Users must have Skype account and app.

**Bible Study & Devotionals:**

[Bible Project](https://bibleproject.com/) – Want to learn more about books and themes of the Bible? Bible Project is a great resource for this to do alone or with others!

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**Worship Playlists:**

The following are all playlists available through Spotify, accounts are free (with some ads) or a subscription is available (no ads)

[Hymns of The Faith – Northstar Church](https://open.spotify.com/playlist/6wNoYFW0pGu2XigA0gbURx?si=69nbPKWURsauWS_secYIgw)

[Instrumental Worship – Northstar Church](https://open.spotify.com/playlist/0GyKILM4Ox9sAFY2Ba49vI?si=bnSFUOpIRtyK0yRt73O-Ig)

[Northstar Worship – Northstar Church](https://open.spotify.com/playlist/1BvVSn9OjWQv4bcff9xob8)

[Praise Him – Northstar Church](https://open.spotify.com/playlist/2nhdvLL8OcIQCiMo6oHjjF)

[Upbeat Songs for Quarantined Kids – The Gospel Coalition](https://open.spotify.com/playlist/29zvXjhLjTlGeOK3n8KqV3)

**Learn Something New/ For Fun:**

[Learn a New Language through Duolingo](https://www.duolingo.com/) – Why not try to get your family speaking in a new language! How amazing would it be for the family to being saying “Please pass the potatoes” in German next Christmas!

[Visit a virtual Art Gallery/Museum/Opera/Concert/Historical Building/Zoo](https://www.cnn.com/style/article/what-to-do-at-home-streaming-art-museums-concerts-coronavirus-trnd/index.html) – You may not be able to travel to these places right now but there’s amazing opportunity to take in their offerings online. Experiences include Musée d'Orsay: Paris, Smithsonian Museum of Natural History: Washington, D.C., Vancouver Symphony, Metropolitan Opera: New York City, The Sistine Chapel: Vatican City, The San Diego Zoo and more!