

# Welcome Group History

Niagara Falls

The Welcome Group first opened the doors to a new meeting on December 18, 1978. The first founding members of the group included Larry and Wayne M., John K. Mike L. and one year later Jerry M. Wayne M. saved the group from closing in 1989.

The Welcome group started as a result of no local open speaker meetings in Niagara Falls area on a Sunday evening.

The Welcome group's first location was at Dorchester and High St. The group closed at that location in early 2000 and moved to the Christian Center for a few years. The Welcome group then moved to the Lions Club on Drummond road for a couple of years. The Welcome group is now located at Queenston Free Methodist Church and continues to carry the message of Alcoholics Anonymous.

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