JUNE 9, 2013



Yorkminster Park BAPTIST CHURCH

The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes Minister of the Congregation

The Rev. Dale Rose Minister of Pastoral Care

> The Rev. Sam Lee Minister of Youth

Mrs. Miriam Little Director of Children's Ministries The Rev. Cheryle Hanna Minister of Discipleship

Mr. William Maddox B.Mus, FTCL Organist and Director of Music

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MORNING WORSHIP – JUNE 9, 2013

The service of worship begins with the music of the preludes.

Preludes Prelude Everett Titcomb

Pazienza Percy Whitlock

Processional Hymn *SHB 53 – Joyful, joyful (Hymn to joy)

Call to Worship The Rev. Dale Rose

Introit - O most merciful Ernest Bullock
O most merciful! O most bountiful! God the Father Almighty By Redeemer's

sweet intercession, Hear us, help us, when we pray.

Martin Houtman, tenor

Invocation and The Lord's Prayer (sung Amen)

The Rev. Dale Rose

(Please see inside front cover of the hymn book.)

Responsive Psalm 146 (OT p.644-5)

Gloria Patri - Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Hymn *SHB 68 – Morning has broken (Bunessan)

Prayer with the Children

The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Dedication of the Children's Mission Project

Renée and Ewan

Presentation to Graduates – Courtney, Emma and Katherine

Announcements

Holy Scripture – 1 Kings 17:17-24 (OT p.360)

Katherine

Luke 7:11-17 (NT p.67)

Pastoral Prayer The Rev. Cheryle Hanna

Choral Response

C. M. Palmer

Leave it all quietly to God, my soul, for my rescue comes from him alone. Amen.

Offering - Through Christ, then, let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that confess his name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. (Hebrews 13:15-16)

Anthem - To Thee, O Lord

Sergei Rachmaninoff

To thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul, My God, I trust in thee.

Jessica Willingham, soprano

Doxology Hymn 766

Hymn 243 – Break Thou the bread of life (Bread of life)

The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Recessional Hymn 8 – For the beauty of the earth (Dix 90)

Benediction The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Choral Amen (Maddox in E flat)

Sermon – THE LAST WORD: LIFE

Postlude Allegro maestoso e ben marcato

Frank Bridge

The Memorial Bells will peal for five minutes following the Postlude.

*SHB – Supplementary Hymn Book "Sing to God's Glory"

53

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee

- Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee, God of glory, Lord of Love;
 Hearts unfold like flowers before Thee, praising Thee their sun above.
 Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away;
 Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!
- 2. All Thy works with joy surround Thee, earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays, Stars and angels sing around Thee, center of unbroken praise; Field and forest, vale and mountain, blooming meadow, flashing sea, Chanting bird and flowing fountain call us to rejoice in Thee.
- 3. Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest, Well-spring of the joy of living, ocean-depth of happy rest! Thou our Father, Christ our brother, all who live in love are Thine: Teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.
- 4. Mortals, join the mighty chorus which the morning stars began; Father-love is reigning o'er us, brother-love binds man to man. Ever singing, march we onward, victors in the midst of strife; Joyful music lifts us sunward in the triumph song of life.

Henry van Dyke (1852-1933) Public Domain

- Morning has broken like the first morning; blackbird has spoken like the first bird.
 Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning!
 Praise for them, springing fresh from the word!
- 2. Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven, like the first dewfall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, sprung in completeness where his feet pass.
- 3. Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning! Born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, praise every morning, God's re-creation of the new day!

Eleanor Farjeon (1881-1965)

243

BREAK Thou the bread of life,
Dear Lord, to me,
As Thou didst break the loaves
Beside the sea:
Beyond the sacred page
I seek Thee, Lord;
My spirit pants for Thee,
O living Word!

2 O send Thy Spirit, Lord, Now unto me, That He may touch my eyes, And make me see:

Show me the truth concealed Within Thy word, That in Thy book revealed I see Thee Lord.

3 Bless Thou the truth, dear Lord,
To me—to me—
As Thou didst bless the bread
In Galilee:
Then shall all bondage cease,
All fetters fall,
And I shall find my peace,
My all in all!

For the beauty of the earth,
For the beauty of the skies,
For the love which from our birth
Over and around us lies;
Christ, our Lord, to Thee we raise
This our hymn of grateful praise.

- 2 For the beauty of each hour
 Of the day and of the night,
 Hill and vale, and tree and flower,
 Sun and moon, and stars of light;
- 3 For the joy of human love, Brother, sister, parent, child, Friends on earth, and friends above; For all gentle thoughts and mild;
- 4 For each perfect gift of Thine
 To our race so freely given,
 Graces, human and divine,
 Flowers of earth, and buds of heaven;
- 5 For Thy Church that evermore Lifteth holy hands above, Offering up on every shore Its pure sacrifice of love:

Soloists:

Jessica Willingham, soprano; Dawn King, soprano; Margaret Terry, mezzo soprano; Martin Houtman, tenor; Stephen King, baritone.

Christel Wiens, Associate Musician

*SHB – Supplementary Hymn Book "Sing to God's Glory"

Please note that there is no evening service today.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary Chancel today are dedicated to the glory of God and placed in loving memory of

HOPE AND STEWART McBRIDE

by Hope and Fraser Hambly

The flowers on the pedestal in the Sanctuary today are dedicated to the glory of God and placed in loving memory of

THE REV. ROBERT D. HOLMES

by Jean and the family



Today we are dedicating your gifts for the Kids Care Mission Project. The total amount to be used for planting trees in Maai Mahiu, Kenya is \$2604 which will be delivered by Canadian Baptist Ministries.

Thank you for helping!

Immediately following the morning worship service, **Prayers for Healing and Blessing** will be offered in the Centennial Chapel, which is located in the south transcept beneath the south balcony, for all who wish a lay leader to pray with them. If you (or someone you know) are going through a difficult time, members of the Pastoral Care Committee are present in the Chapel to offer PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND BLESSING each Sunday, following the morning worship service. Your prayers are confidential unless you request they be shared with our Pastoral Care staff. You may also submit a request for prayer on the Welcome card and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher or minister.



It's almost summer time and that means Church Picnic time

It's an 'all YPBC' picnic in the Parkette outside our church doors

TODAY Right after the morning worship service till 3 p.m.

Fellowship, food, children's activities and Hymn sing with the Salvation Army. Please plan to spend some time in the park with YPBC friends.

Cost of lunch - \$3 per person

Questions: Call Miriam (416-922-1361) mlittle@yorkminsterpark.com

Health & Wellness Information From the Parish Nurse

At today's picnic, the Parish Nurse will be providing information on adequate water consumption, dehydration, and blood pressure management. Come and get your information package, and a blood pressure check with the Parish Nurse!

Please pick up Health and Wellness Bulletins and information in the Narthex, Centre Hall, and South tables. For more information on any topic, or to discuss any health matter, please contact Cathy Newman RN, Parish Nurse, at 416 922-1428 or by email at parishnurse@yorkminster.com. All communications are confidential!

GENERAL INFORMATION

Whatever your religious background, and however you have come to be with us, we welcome you to Yorkminster Park Baptist Church. We hope that you will feel comforted and fulfilled, and that you will be strengthened to meet the challenges of your daily lives. Please fill out the Welcome card you find in the pew. Place the card in the offering plate or hand it to an usher or minister.

- City Parking at Alvin Ave. (one street east of Yonge & St. Clair) provides free parking Sunday morning until 12:45 pm. Have your ticket stamped in the Narthex.
- The morning service is webcast live and archived on our website.
- All morning and evening worship services are recorded on CDs, which may be obtained from the Audio Desk in the Narthex.
- Hearing assistance available. Please speak with our volunteer at the Narthex information table.
- A limited number of large-print Bibles and calendars are available for use in worship on the Narthex information table. If you would like one for use during the service, please ask an usher.
- Following each morning worship service, we serve coffee and refreshments in the Narthex, inside the main Yonge Street entrance. We invite you to participate with us.
- If you have questions about baptisms, weddings, membership, or any other need we can respond to, please speak with the one of the ministers after the service or call the Church Office, 416-922-1167.
- If you wish to know more about Yorkminster Park Baptist Church or to be included on our mailing list, please fill out the card you will find in the pew and give it to an usher.
- Downstairs in the lower level, there are bulletin boards where we post some church and community-related events. Next time you are in the lower level, take a moment and browse all of the events that are happening in our community.

PRAYERS

The Tuesday morning prayer time in the Chapel has now concluded for the summer months. We will resume again in September. In the meantime, a prayer list will still be provided each week, and made available in the Narthex and the Yorkminster Park Centre foyer. With this list, you are encouraged to remember individuals, groups, ministry and mission organizations affiliated with Yorkminster Park. If you have a prayer request, please contact Rev. Dale Rose at 416-922-1240. "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of." (Alfred Lord Tennyson)

The Sanctuary is open for prayer and meditation on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 10am to 3pm.

Centre Hall Greeters NEEDED

Greeters staff the Yorkminster Centre Welcome Desk from 10am to 2pm each weekday.

Contact Len Linton at 416-512-2080 or leonardlinton@rogers.com

This Week

Tuesday 7:00pm – Board of Christian Education, Youth Zone 508 Wednesday 12:30pm - Noonday Organ Recital: William Maddox



ART GALLERY - 5th Anniversary Reprise

Four featured artists from Yorkminster Park Gallery's five-year history. Together, they represent the breadth and depth of disciplines and approaches covered by the gallery since its opening in September 2007. Margaret Glew – painting; Judy Raymer Ivkoff – sculpture; Jane LowBeer – printmaking; and Nancy Oakes – drawing.

YOUTH and YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY Contact Sam Lee at slee@yorkminsterpark.com

Doxa

1 John 3 - Children of God

College and Career are encouraged to attend the Summer Bible Study Series

Saturday, June 15
Youth Year-end Party at Knopes

Friday, June 14, 5pm - Korean BBQ

Summer in Children's Ministries

We are delighted to provide a <u>summer Sunday Program</u> for children, Nursery to age 10. We need some help to provide a safe and happy class. Leaders and helpers who assist during the year get the summer off. So... here's your chance to try Children's Ministries. You can help with nursery, preschool and school age children. Note: If you are new to Children's Ministry, you will be contacted for a brief interview. You will be partnered with others who are experienced in our programs.



Yorkminster Park will host <u>a summer kids' event</u> called Son West Roundup from July 15 to 19 running from 9am to noon. Son West Roundup is for children going into JK in September to Grade 5. Meet new friends, enjoy amazing crafts, games and snacks, learn through Bible adventures and incredible music. Registration forms are available on the trolley near the gym door. Pre-registration is required!

Contact - Miriam Little, Director of Children's Ministries, at 416-922-1361 for more information.



You don't have to register for Assembly 2013 to attend the **plenary** sessions. They are free! Join us in the Plaza Ballroom of the Doubletree Hotel in Etobicoke for lively worship and thought-provoking talks on spiritual formation from Ruth Haley Barton.

Thursday, June 13, 7pm-9pm -

"How is it with your soul? Assessing the state of your life in Leadership" Friday, June 14, 7pm-9pm - "A leader's journey into solitude and silence" Saturday, June 15, 11am-12:30pm - "Strengthening the soul of your leadership"

Assembly 2013 also offers 30 different **workshops** that are open to everyone. Join this part of Assembly for just \$25 per workshop (June 14, 2pm-3:15pm; June 14, 3:30pm-4:45pm and June 15, 9am-9:45am). Topics include: spiritual formation; missional outreach; youth, children and family ministries; being Baptist; church administration and transforming your church.

RECEPTION FOR NAZLI MB

Sunday, June 16th, a reception will be held in the Friendship Room after the morning worship service to congratulate Nazli MB as she graduates with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Molecular Biology from University of Toronto. All are welcome.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

We were saddened by the recent news that the Rev. Cheryle Hanna will be leaving us on August 18th to accept a call to begin a new ministry as the Minister of the Congregation of Fourth Avenue Baptist Church in Ottawa. A reception will be held for Cheryle and Michael following the morning worship service on **Sunday**, **June 23rd** in Cameron Hall. All are welcome.

YPBC DISCIPLESHIP AND SPIRITUAL GROWTH



Summer Bible Study Series: The Fruit of the Spirit Wednesdays at 7:00pm in the Friendship Room

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. (Galatians 5:22-23)

June 12	Joy	Cheryle Hanna
June 19	Generosity	Alana Walker Carpenter
June 26	Peace	Robert Inman
July 3	Faithfulness	Carol Belford
July 10	Kindness	Janet Kim
July 17	Patience	Paula Willis
July 24	Self-control	Sam Lee
July 31	Gentleness	Dale Rose

The June - July - August 'Our Daily Bread' is available in the Narthex and Centre Hall.

PLAN FOR THE FALL - BOOK NOW

YPBC Bus Trip Wednesday, October 9



Shaw Festival • Niagara-on-the-Lake
"Lady Windemere's Fan" by Oscar Wilde
Lunch at The Prince of Wales
Cost: \$146

Call Judy MacDonald at 416-225-8295