



SEPTEMBER 20, 2015

Yorkminster Park

BAPTIST CHURCH

The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes
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The Rev. Dale Rose
Minister of Pastoral Care

The Rev. Deborah Ban
Minister of Discipleship

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Morning Worship Service – 11:00 am

Preludes

Prelude
Salix

W. H. Harris
Percy Whitlock

Processional Hymn *SHB 16 — Christ is made the sure foundation

(Westminster Abbey)

Call to Worship

Introit—As torrents in summer (King Olaf)

Edward Elgar

As torrents in summer, half dried in their channels,
Suddenly rise, tho' the sky is still cloudless, For rain has been falling, far off at
their fountains, So hearts that are fainting grow full to o'erflowing, And they that
behold it marvel and know not, that God at their fountains far off has been
raining.

Invocation & The Lord's Prayer (seated) (sung Amen)

Rev. Dale Rose

Please see inside cover of the hymn book.

Responsive Reading—Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 (OT p.683-4)

**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 34 —He is Lord (Dominum Meum)

Book of Heroes

Carter

Prayer with the Children

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Announcements

Window on the Church

Corrine Furtney

Scripture: Romans 13:11-14 (NT p.169-70)

Mark 1:32-39 (NT p.36)

Solo—The Heavens Declare

Camille Saint-Saëns

Margaret Terry, mezzo soprano

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dale Rose

Choral Response

G. Thalben Ball

Rest in the Lord and wait patiently on Him, and He shall give thee thy heart's
desire. Amen.

Offering - So teach us to count our days that we may gain a wise heart. (*Psalm 90:12*)

Anthem – He, watching over Israel (Elijah)

Felix Mendelssohn

He, watching over Israel, slumbers not, nor sleeps.
Shouldst thou walking in grief, languish, He will quicken thee.

Doxology

Hymn 509 – Take time to be holy (Take time)

Sermon: “STEWARDS OF TIME”

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Recessional Hymn 527—Take my life and let it be (Nottingham)

Benediction

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Choral Amen— Stanford in B flat

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”*

Soloists:

Jessica Willingham, soprano; Dawn King, soprano;

Margaret Terry, mezzo soprano

Martin Houtman, tenor; Stephen King, baritone

Christel Wiens, Associate Musician

Join Us for Lemonade

After the morning worship service, we invite you to join us for
Lemonade in the Narthex.



SPECIAL BUSINESS MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a special financial business meeting will be held in the Heritage Room **TODAY** immediately following the morning worship service. At this meeting a motion will be presented to authorize the use of up to \$130,000 from the Building Contingency Fund to cover several necessary repairs to the Church building. Notice of the motion has been (e)mailed to all members in accordance with the provision of the Church Constitution. A copy of the motion is available in the Centre Hall and Narthex. We anticipate that this will be a brief meeting.

Christ is made the sure foundation

1. Christ is made the sure foundation,
Christ the Head and cornerstone,
Chosen of the Lord and precious,
Binding all the church in one,
Holy Zion's help forever,
And her confidence alone.

2. To this temple, where we call Thee,
Come, O Lord of hosts, today:
With Thy wonted loving kindness
Hear Thy servants as they pray,
And Thy fullest benediction
Shed within its walls alway.

3. Here vouchsafe to all Thy servants
What they ask of Thee to gain,
What they gain from Thee forever
With the blessed to retain,
And hereafter in Thy glory
Evermore with Thee to reign.

4. Praise and honour to the Father,
Praise and honour to the Son,
Praise and honour to the Spirit,
Ever three, and ever one,
One in might and one in glory,
While eternal ages run.

He is Lord

Dominum Meum

J. M. Frey



1. He is Lord, He is Lord,
 He is risen from the dead, and He is Lord!
 Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess
 That Jesus Christ is Lord.

2. He's our Lord, He's our Lord,
 He is risen from the dead and He's our Lord!
 Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess
 That Jesus Christ is Lord.

3. He will come, He will come;
 He has promised in His word that He will come;
 Some glad day or night, with great pow'r and might,
 The risen Lord will come.

J. M. Frey, M. Baughen

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TAKE time to be holy, speak oft with thy Lord;
Abide in Him always, and feed on His Word.
Make friends of God's children, help those who are
weak;
Forgetting in nothing His blessing to seek.

- 2 Take time to be holy, the world rushes on;
Spend much time in secret with Jesus alone—
By looking to Jesus, like Him thou shalt be!
Thy friends in thy conduct His likeness shall see.

- 3 Take time to be holy, let Him be thy guide;
And run not before Him, whatever betide;
In joy or in sorrow still follow thy Lord,
And, looking to Jesus, still trust in His Word.

- 4 Take time to be holy, be calm in thy soul;
Each thought and each temper beneath His control;
Thus led by His Spirit to fountains of love,
Thou soon shalt be fitted for service above.

W. D. Longstaff, 1822-94.

TAKE my life, and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee:
Take my moments and my days,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

2 Take my hands, and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love:
Take my feet, and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee.

3 Take my voice, and let me sing,
Always, only, for my King:
Take my lips, and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee.

4 Take my silver and my gold;
Not a mite would I withhold:
Take my intellect, and use
Every power as Thou shalt choose.

5 Take my will, and make it Thine;
It shall be no longer mine:
Take my heart—it is Thine own;
It shall be Thy royal throne.

6 Take my love; my Lord, I pour
At Thy feet its treasure-store:
Take myself, and I will be,
Ever, only, all for Thee. Amen.

Evening Worship Service—7:00pm

6:35pm Preludes

Piano sonata no. 4, K 282, in E flat major
Adagio
Menuetto 1 & 2
Allegro

W.A. Mozart

Helena Bowkun, pianist

Processional Hymn *SHB 28 – Glory be to God the Father (Regent Square)

Call to Worship

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Introit—The Cross

A.J.F. Barnes

In the cross is safety; in the cross is life. In the cross protection from our foes.
In the cross is sweetness poured upon us from above.
In the cross is spiritual joy;
In the cross the sum of virtue. In the cross is holiness in perfect beauty.

Invocation and The Lord's Prayer (*seated*)

Scripture: Matthew 4:1-11 (NT p.3)

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Choral Response

C. M. Palmer

Grant us wisdom; grant us courage for the living of our days.

Announcements & Offering

Anthem – Ave verum corpus

Camille Saint-Saëns

Jesu, Word of God Incarnate, of the Virgin Mary born,
On the cross thy sacred body for us men with nails was torn. Cleanse us by
the blood and water streaming from thy pierced side. Feed us with thy body
broken, now, and in death's agony. O Jesu, hear us, Son of Mary.

Prayer of Dedication

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Hymn *SHB 72 – O breath of God (Maryton)

Sermon: "THE TEMPTATION OF FORGOTTEN IDENTITY"

Rev. Dale Rose

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Choral Preparation

Adoro te devote

Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour Thee, Who in thy sacrament dost deign to be;
Both flesh and spirit at thy presence fail, yet here thy presence we devoutly hail.

Invitation to the Table

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Words of Institution

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Rev. Dale Rose

Distribution of the Elements

Hymn *SHB 6 – Amidst us our beloved stands (Hamburg)

Benediction

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes

Choral Amen (de Séverac)

Choir Recessional - Nunc Dimittis with Antiphon (*Mode III.4, chant C.M. Palmer*)
Save us, O Lord, while waking, and guard us while sleeping; that awake we may watch with Thee, and asleep we may rest in peace. Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word; for mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all people; to be a light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy people Israel. Gloria.

COMMUNION - Communion at Yorkminster Park is open to all who love Christ and seek to live in His ways. To address the needs of some congregants whose allergies have prevented them from fully participating in the Sacrament of Holy Communion, the communion bread in the centre of the plate is gluten-free.

WELCOME

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 comfortable and fulfilled, and that you will be strengthened to meet the challenges of your daily lives.

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. A limited number of large-print Bibles and calendars are available on the Narthex information table. If you would like one, please ask an usher. Please find our quarterly newsletter on the Centre Hall, Narthex and South tables.

For children and youth: Nursery for newborn to 2 years old from 10:50 am and classes for toddlers to grade 5 after the Children's Prayer. Parents are reminded to pick up a pager before the service or when the children head to the classes. Youth are encouraged to join the Doxa Youth Worship in Cameron Hall today.



SANCTUARY FLOWERS

*The flowers on the Chancel are dedicated to the glory of God
and placed in loving memory of*
HORACE and BRENDA LEWIS
by their family

PASTORAL CARE

Prayers

You may submit a request for prayer on the Welcome Card and place it on the offering plate or hand it to an usher or minister.

Each Tuesday at 9:30am, you are invited to join the Ministerial Staff in the Chapel as prayers are lifted to God for 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. A printed Prayer List is provided, and available upon request. "But with prayer, that blessed medicine, we are sustained."

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

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Manage Pain – Feel Better Free “Lunch and Learn” event

*sponsored by the
Yorkminster Park Health & Wellness Committee.*

Please join us for lunch while an expert panel of health professionals discusses various approaches to relief from -

- *back pain,*
- *knee pain,*
- *leg and foot pain,*
- *headaches;*
- *fibromyalgia*
- *and more...*

WHEN? Sunday, Sept 27, 2015 • 12:30 – 2:00pm

WHERE? Heritage Room - Yorkminster Park

No registration required. Everyone welcome!

STILL SPACE AVAILABLE TO JOIN...

“Walking With You Through Grief” Bereavement Support Group

The grief journey, though unique to each individual does not need to be an isolating one. Effective grief work is not done alone. It is offered at no charge to participants. The group is facilitated by the Rev. Dr. Elaine MacInnis, a certified Grief Specialist and co-facilitated by the Rev. Arthur Fritzke. For information and registration contact Elaine at (416) 243-2302 after 6pm, rev.elaine.macinnis@sympatico.ca or Dale at (416) 922-1240, drose@yorkminsterpark.com. If interested in learning more or have questions, you are welcome to meet with Dr. Elaine in the Friendship Room following the congregational meeting. The program begins **Monday, September 28, 2015 at 6:30 pm** in the Youth Zone (508).

Yorkminster Park Fall Golf Scramble

Where: Uplands Golf Course in Thornhill (Yonge & Uplands Ave.)

When: Sat., October 17 – 10:00 am Registration – 10:30 Start

Format: 9 Holes -- Best ball foursomes

Cost: \$40 (includes green fees, golf cart and lunch)

If interested, contact Jim Youngson at 647-349-1929 or youngjim@bell.net or Dale Rose at drose@yorkminsterpark.com for further information.



On behalf of the Board of Directors, House of Compassion

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2015 – 7:00 pm

In Celebration of 25+ years for House of Compassion

featuring a piano performance by *Master Class Players*

Reception to follow

Admission \$30

All proceeds to benefit House of Compassion

Preceded by Annual General Meeting at 6:00 PM in room 508

(Please note time change). Public is welcome to attend.

To reserve tickets – via email at info@hco.toronto.com or

by phoning the House of Compassion office 416-532-0550

Tickets are available for sale following the morning worship service.



ART GALLERY

- **Artists and Purchasers of One x One canvases, please pick up art in the Library before or after the 11am service or contact the Church Office.**
- The YPBC Art Gallery is pleased to announce that photographs of all of its shows are now available to view online at www.yorkminsterpark.com. Click "Photos" in the top navigation to view. We would like to thank photographer Henry Regehr for all of his work.
- Eileen Menzel Art Show and Sale – *In Continuum* – October 15

DISCIPLESHIP

Whether you are new to the faith or have been on your journey for many years...you are invited to join any one or all of our Bible Study experiences. For more information, contact Rev. Deborah Ban or the leader attached to the Bible Study that interests you.

Sunday Berean Bible Study

Study of the Book of Acts

9:45 - 10:45 am Red Board Room

Harold Hetherington & Peter Ferguson

Sunday Being the Beloved

Study of God's love for us as found in the Word

10:00 - 10:45 am Room 502

Paula Willis

Monday Men's Morning Brew

Study of Timothy Keller's Gospel in Life

7:00 – 8:30 am Friendship Room

Stuart Campbell

Tuesday Morning Bible Study

Study of the Gospel of John

10:00 - 11:30 am Friendship Room

Carol Belford

Thursday Don Mills Study (starts September 24th)

Study of the Ten Commandments

7:30 – 9:00 pm In Homes

Rev. Dale Rose

Fall Small Group Study October 14—November 25 (6 weeks)

Surprised by Hope: Rethinking Heaven, the Resurrection, and the Mission of the Church,

N.T. Wright tackles the biblical question of what happens after we die. We do not “go to” heaven; we are resurrected and heaven comes down to earth--a difference that makes all of the difference to how we live.

Book Lovers! Mystery Buffs! Fans of Ellis Portal!

An Evening with Rosemary Aubert

Yes! There is a new mystery in Rosemary Aubert's wonderful Ellis Portal series.

Rosemary will be signing copies of "**Don't Forget You Love Me**" and chatting informally at a special Faith Page Life Group - the first of this season on:

Tuesday, October 20, 2015

7:00 p.m.

In the Friendship Room

Rosemary Aubert is an internationally acclaimed author as well as a popular speaker who is a frequent guest lecturer at colleges, universities, writers' groups and conferences in both Canada and the United States. And she is of course a long time member of Yorkminster Park. It is a wonderful opportunity to have her share with us in the informal setting of our home church. And please do invite your mystery book loving friends!

The evening will be hosted by Deborah Ban and Inga Fjuk with great finger food provided by Chef Inga.



**YOUTH MINISTRY
Come Join Our Team**

Our youth ministry is looking for more volunteers for this upcoming year. If you have a desire to share Christ through words and deeds, if you have the desire to see our younger brothers and sisters in Christ grow, and if you have the willingness to live life alongside the youth there are many opportunities for you to serve—teach, hang out, administration. If you are interested, please contact Brennan at brabbets@yorkminsterpark.com.



MISSION UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL

What did our Yorkminster Park mission teams do this summer? What did they experience? What did they learn? What can they teach us? The Afternoon Mission Fellowship invites you to hear team members talk about their summer camps with children at the Oneida First Nations community (**Thursday, October 1**). Conversations begin over lunch at **12:30 pm** in the Friendship Room. Bring a sandwich. Juice provided.

YORKMINSTER PARK WOMEN

Prayer Shawl Group

This group is an initiative of the Yorkminster Park Baptist Church Women.

We meet at 7pm in the Friendship Room on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

If you are interested in knitting or crocheting we encourage you to join us for an evening of fellowship and of creating shawls to be given to people in need of comfort. Since we have been meeting, approximately 200 shawls have been given out and are much appreciated by the recipients. We welcome new people to join us and we would welcome back those who have not recently attended.

If you are less experienced in these skills, assistance is available.

Yarn and needles are also provided. *Please consider joining us this coming*

Tuesday, September 22, 2015 at 7pm.

Congregational Thanksgiving Dinner

The Yorkminster Park Women invite you to

Thanksgiving Dinner at Yorkminster Park

Sunday, October 11, at 12:15 p.m.

Tickets available from YPBC Women

Adults: \$15, Children 12 years and under: \$5.



PRIME TIMERS RETURNS WITH A NEW LINEUP!

Please join us on the third Tuesday of the month, from November to May, for wonderful lunchtime conversation followed by a presentation on a vast array of subjects. All ages and stages welcome! Members and friends of our congregation will regale you with stories of their life's work, their travels, their passions, followed by lively question periods. BYO lunch and dessert and tea are provided.

Here is a taste of this year's program:

- Corey Keeble, Curator Emeritus, ROM:
What you've never heard about 'The Sinking of the Titanic!'
- Randall Speller, Artist and Historian: Sequel to last year's popular presentation on 'Our War Veterans - Their Stories' - 'One by One World War I Casualties at Bloor Street Baptist Church'
- Tom Hayes, retired art teacher and art historian - Masterpieces for Christmas
- Don MacDonald, retired veterinarian - our own James Harriott tells his heartfelt stories garnered from a lifetime of veterinary care.
- Rosemary Aubert, renowned mystery writer - an inside look at the life of an author
Our program will be available next month.

First date: Tuesday, November 17th, 12:30 pm - 2 pm.

**THE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 20, 2015
AT YORKMINSTER PARK**

Sunday

- 9:15am Minster Singers, Heritage Room
9:45am Berean Bible Study, Red Boardroom
10:00am Being the Beloved Bible Study, Boardroom 502
10:00am Chorister Rehearsal, Room 203A
10:00am Parent Life Group, Room 508
10:00am Youth Bible Study, Room 510
10:15am Children's Ministry, Room 203
10:50am Nursery for newborn to 2 year old children,
room 213
11:00am The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes
(Classes for toddlers to senior high youth after the Children's Prayer)
11:20am Doxa Youth Worship, Cameron Hall
12:30pm Special Congregational Meeting, Heritage Room
1:00pm Ball Hockey, Gym
7:00pm The Rev. Dale Rose
The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Monday to Friday

- 9:00am Meals on Wheels, Heritage Room

Monday

- 7:00am Men's Bible Study, Friendship Room
6:30pm Bereavement Support Group Information Session, Room 508
8:00pm Dance Lessons, Gym

Tuesday

- 9:30am Prayers, Chapel
10:00am Dorcas Group, Room 508
10:00am Open Door, Narthex
10:00am Women's Prayer and Bible Study,
Friendship Room
12:00pm Basketball Drop-in, Gym
12:10pm Lunchtime Chamber Music, Sanctuary
7:00pm Prayer Shawl Knitting, Friendship Room

Wednesday

10:00am Open Door, Narthex
12:30pm Noonday Organ Recital – *Angus Sinclair*
6:00pm House of Compassion AGM, Room 508
7:00pm House of Compassion Concert, Sanctuary

Thursday

10:00am Open Door, Narthex
12:30pm Community Basketball, Gym
7:00pm Brentwood -Toronto Support Group,
Heritage Room
7:30pm Senior Choir rehearsal, Cameron Hall
7:30pm Don Mills Bible Study, offsite

Friday

9:15am Senior Gentle Fitness—Mild, Room 508
10:15am Senior Gentle Fitness—Moderate, Room 508
12:00pm Community Basketball, Gym
6:30pm Bay Street Life Group, offsite

Saturday

12:00pm Art Gallery, Centre Hall

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