

AUGUST 5, 2012



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

The Rev. John R. Torrance
Interim Minister of Pastoral Care

The Rev. Cheryle Hanna
Minister of Discipleship

The Rev. Sam Lee
Minister of Youth

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

Mrs. Miriam Little
Director of Children's Ministries

Mrs. Heather Hetherington
Parish Nurse

The Rev. Dr. William A. Sturgess
Minister Emeritus – Pastoral Care

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. Please note that there is no bible study for youth during the summer. Youth are encouraged to stay in the service.*

The Rev. Sam Chaise is the General Secretary of Canadian Baptist Ministries. Sam has been involved in Canadian Baptist life for many years. He served as Associate Pastor at Kitsilano Christian Community Church in Vancouver and then as Pastor of Worship & Outreach at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Saskatoon. Just prior to his appointment at CBM, Sam served as Director of the newly formed Carey Institute at Carey Theological College in Vancouver. Sam was born in England and grew up in Sudbury, Ontario. After obtaining a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Saskatchewan, he obtained a Master of Divinity from a program cooperatively taught by Carey Theological College and Regent College, receiving his degree in 1989.

PASTORAL CARE

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes, Revds Cheryle Hanna and Sam Lee are currently on vacation. Pastoral care concerns can be reported to the Rev. John R. Torrance at (416) 922-1240 (jtorrance@yorkminsterpark.com) or our Parish Nurse, Heather Hetherington at (416) 922-1428 (parishnurse@yorkminsterpark.com).

The September-October-November 2012
'Our Daily Bread' is available in the Narthex and Centre Hall.

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ORDER OF SERVICE FOR SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2012

MORNING – 11:00 a.m.

(The congregation rises as the Ministers enter.)

Preludes

Call to Worship **Rev. Cheryle Hanna**

Hymn 257 (Austria)

Invocation *(seated)*

The Lord's Prayer

Resp. Ps. 107:1-3, 23-32 (OT p.619, 620) **Rev. S. Lee**

Gloria

Prayer with the Children **Miriam Little**

Scripture: Isaiah 55:8-13 (OT p.761)

Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43 (NT p.14-15)

Solo – Thee will I love, my God and King *C.A. Gibbs*

Anthony Varahidis, tenor

Pastoral Prayer **Rev. John R. Torrance**

Announcements & Offering **Rev. C. Hanna**

Duet – Love divine, all loves excelling *J. Stainer*

Jessica Willingham, soprano;

Anthony Varahidis, tenor

Doxology

Hymn *SHB 64 (Channel)

Sermon: **Rev. Sam Chaise**

“DEALING WITH THE WEEDS”

Hymn 263 (Aurelia)

Benediction **Rev. Cheryle Hanna**

Postlude

Organist

EVENING – 7:00 p.m.

(The congregation rises as the Ministers enter.)

Preludes

Call to Worship **Rev. Cheryle Hanna**

Hymn *SHB 1 (Ein feste Burg)

Invocation *(seated)*

The Lord's Prayer

Scripture: Amos 9:11-15 (OT p.956)

John 15:1-17 (NT p.113-4)

Solo – O Lord, correct me *G. F. Handel*

Jessica Willingham, soprano

Pastoral Prayer **Rev. Cheryle Hanna**

Announcements & Offering

Duet – O come hither *Maurice Greene*

Jessica Willingham, soprano;

Anthony Varahidis, tenor

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn 250 (Ravenshaw)

Sermon: **Rev. John R. Torrance**

“PRUNING FOR GROWTH”

Hymn 251 (Aurelia 263)

Benediction

**SHB—Supplementary Hymn Book*

“Sing to God's Glory”

William Maddox

Members of the Pastoral Care Committee are present in the Chapel each Sunday to offer PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND BLESSING following the morning worship service.

Join Us For Lemonade

During the summer month of August, we invite you to join us for Lemonade in the Collins Courtyard (weather permitting).

SUMMER SUNDAYS 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

August 12 – *The Rev. Dr. Jerome Washington*

August 19 – *The Rev. Dr. Paul Scott Wilson*

August 26 – 11am, *The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes;*

7pm, *The Rev. John R. Torrance*

September 2 - 11am, *The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes*

7pm, *The Rev. Sam Lee*

Save the Date:

Please save the date of **Sunday, September 2, 2012 from 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM** for a wedding shower for Jessica Holmes.

Summer Art Show of YP and community artists available until August 17.

The Lullabies of Broadway

October 10, 2012 at 7:30pm

\$30. Sheila 416-922-1210

Gene DiNovi and Dave Young

Fundraiser for POINT and YPBC

YP CENTRE GREETERS

During July and August, volunteers will be at the YP Centre desk Monday to Friday, 11:00 am-1:00 pm

Stratford Bus Trip on Wednesday, October 3, 2012

“Forty Second Street” - \$150

Contact Judy Macdonald at 416-225-8295

PSALM LXXXVII. 3.

GLORIOUS things of thee are spoken,
Zion, city of our God!

He whose word cannot be broken,
Formed thee for His own abode:

On the rock of ages founded,
What can shake thy sure repose?
With salvation's wall surrounded,
Thou may'st smile at all thy foes.

2 See, the streams of living waters,
Springing from eternal love,
Well supply thy sons and daughters,
And all fear of want remove:
Who can faint, while such a river
Ever flows their thirst to assuage—
Grace which like the Lord the giver
Never fails from age to age?

3 Blest inhabitants of Zion,
Washed in the Redeemer's blood,
Jesus, whom their souls rely on,
Makes them kings and priests to God.
'Tis His love His people raises
Over self to reign as kings;
And as priests, His solemn praises
Each for a thank-offering brings.

4 Saviour, since of Zion's city
I, through grace, a member am,
Let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in Thy name:
Fading is the worldling's pleasure,
All his boasted pomp and show;
Solid joys and lasting treasure
None but Zion's children know

1. Make me a channel of your peace:
Where there is hatred let me bring your love,
where there is injury, your pardon, Lord,
and where there's doubt, true faith in you.

*O Master, grant that I may never seek
so much to be consoled as to console;
to be understood as to understand,
to be loved, as to love with all my soul!*

2. Make me a channel of your peace,
where there's despair in life let me bring hope;
where there is darkness let us see your light,
and where there's sadness ever joy:

O Master...

3. Make me a channel of your peace:
it is in pardoning that we are pardoned,
in giving of ourselves that we receive,
and in dying that we're born to life.

O Master...

THE Church's one foundation
 Is Jesus Christ her Lord :
 She is His new creation
 By water and the word :
 From heaven He came and sought her
 To be His holy bride ;
 With His own blood He bought her,
 And for her life He died.

2 Elect from every nation,
 Yet one o'er all the earth,
 Her charter of salvation
 One Lord, one faith, one birth,
 One holy name she blesses,
 Partakes one holy food,
 And to one hope she presses,
 With every grace endued.

3 Mid toil and tribulation,
 And tumult of her war,
 She waits the consummation
 Of peace for evermore ;
 Till with the vision glorious
 Her longing eyes are blest,
 And the great Church victorious
 Shall be the Church at rest.

4 Yet she on earth hath union
 With God the Three in One,
 And mystic sweet communion
 With those whose rest is won.
 O happy ones and holy !
 Lord, give us grace that we,
 Like them, the meek and lowly,
 On high may dwell with Thee.