

JUNE 16, 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. Cheryle Hanna
Minister of Discipleship

The Rev. Sam Lee
Minister of Youth

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

Mrs. Miriam Little
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MORNING WORSHIP – JUNE 16, 2013

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

Preludes Cantilène *Gabriel Pierné*
Voluntary in B flat *Jonathan Battishill*

Processional Hymn 23 – Praise my soul the King of heaven, omit verse 4 (Praise my soul)

Call to Worship **The Rev. Cheryle Hanna**

Introit – Goliath *Joseph M. Martin*

Choristers

Jessica Willingham, conductor

Christel Wiens, piano

Invocation and The Lord's Prayer (*sung Amen*) **The Rev. Cheryle Hanna**

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

Presentation of Children and **Miriam Little**

Dedication of Parents **The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes**

Hymn – Jesus our Saviour (Bunessan) *Text by Murdoch MacKenzie*

1. Jesus our Saviour,
friend of the stranger,
mothered by Mary,
Conceived by God.
Part of a family,
loving and holy,
how we adore you
Jesus, our Lord.

2. Nurtured by Mary,
mentored by Joseph,
learning his trade with
hammer and wood.
Taught by his father
to make yokes easy,
as a good joiner
certainly should.

3. Today we thank you
for our own fathers,
who with our mothers
teach us your ways;
loving and guiding,
always providing,
hoping and praying
singing your praise.

4. Thus may we honour
father and mother,
those you have given
for us to love.
May they be treasured,
gratefully cared for
while our life's measured
by God above.

Prayer with the Children & Mystery Box **The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes & Carter**

Announcements

Holy Scripture – 1 Kings 21:1-10, 15-21a (OT p.364-5) **Leona Fergusson**

Galatians 6:7-9 (NT p.202)

Pastoral Prayer **The Rev. Dale Rose**

Choral Response *S. Alec Gordon*

Hear my prayer, O Lord my God. Harken to my supplication; be merciful to me, a sinner. Amen

Offering - *Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us,
an offering and sacrifice to God. (Ephesians 5:2)*

Anthem – Lord, make me an instrument of thy peace *Jonathan Willcocks*

Lord, make me an instrument of your peace, Where there is hatred, let me sow love;
Where there is injury, pardon; Where there is doubt, faith;
Where there is despair, hope; Where there is darkness, light;
Where there is sadness, may there be joy.
May we all be in peace, and may that peace come to each of us.

Margaret Terry, mezzo soprano; **Stephen King**, baritone

Doxology Hymn 766

Hymn 466 – Faith of our fathers, omit verses 2 and 3 (St. Catherine 606)

Sermon – THE LAST WORD: FOUND **The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes**

Recessional Hymn *SHB 101 – This is my Father’s world (Terra Beata)

Benediction **The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes**

Choral Amen (Udell in A)

Postlude Toccata in B minor *Eugène Gigout*

Played by Christel Wiens

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

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

*The flowers in the Sanctuary Chancel today are dedicated to the glory of God
and placed in honour of*

ALL OUR FATHERS

by the Yorkminster Park Baptist Church Women’s Ministries

We wish a happy and blessed Father’s Day to all our fathers.

Sundays in July and August are available for anyone wishing to place memorial flowers or flowers commemorating a celebration in the Sanctuary. Contact Kay Hayes at 416-447-9417.

PRESENTATION OF CHILDREN AND DEDICATION OF PARENTS

We welcome these parents as they present their child to God
and dedicate themselves to the nurture of their little ones:

Nozomi Ruth Cosby, born on October 2, 2012, daughter of Peter and Mariko Cosby

Kaitlyn Alexa Nguyen Thompson, born on August 20, 2012,
daughter of Annie Nguyen and O’Neill Thompson.

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PRAISE, my soul, the King of heaven;
To His feet thy tribute bring;
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Who like thee His praise should sing?
Praise Him, praise Him,
Praise the everlasting King.

2 Praise Him for His grace and favour
To our fathers in distress;
Praise Him, still the same for ever,
Slow to chide, and swift to bless;
Praise Him, praise Him,
Glorious in His faithfulness.

3 Father-like He tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame He knows;
In His hands He gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes;
Praise Him, praise Him,
Widely as His mercy flows.

4 Frail as summer's flower we flourish;
Blows the wind—and it is gone.
But while mortals rise and perish,
God endures unchanging on.
Praise Him, praise Him,
Praise the high eternal One.

5 Angels, help us to adore Him,
Ye behold Him face to face;
Sun and moon, bow down before Him,
Dwellers all in time and space,
Praise Him, praise Him,
Praise with us the God of grace.

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FAITH of our fathers, living still
In spite of dungeon, fire, and sword,
O how our hearts beat high with joy
Whene'er we hear that glorious word.
Faith of our fathers! Holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

2 Our fathers, chained in prisons dark,
Were still in heart and conscience free;
And blest would be their children's fate,
Though they, like them, should die for Thee.

3 Faith of our fathers ! God's great power
Shall soon all nations win for Thee;
And through the truth that comes from God
Mankind shall then indeed be free.

4 Faith of our fathers ! We will love
Both friend and foe in all our strife,
And preach thee, too, as love knows how,
By kindly words and virtuous life:
Faith of our fathers! Holy faith!
We will be true to thee till death.

F. W. Faber, 1814-63, altd.

This is my Father's world

1. This is my Father's world,
and to my listening ears
all nature sings, and round me rings
the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world;
I rest me in the thought
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas,
his hand the wonders wrought.

2. This is my Father's world:
the birds their carols raise;
the morning light, the lily white,
declare their Maker's praise.
This is my Father's world:
he shines in all that's fair;
in the rustling grass I hear him pass,
he speaks to me everywhere,

3. This is my Father's world:
O let me ne'er forget
that though the wrong seems oft so strong,
God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father's world:
the battle is not done;
Jesus, who died, shall be satisfied,
and earth and heaven be one

WELCOME

We are honoured to welcome Leona Fergusson to Yorkminster Park. Leona is the granddaughter of our former minister, the Rev. Kerr Spiers. Leona has been studying in Indiana this past year and is on route to work at a summer camp in Haliburton before returning home to Glasgow. Leona will be reading the scripture in this morning's service.

Immediately following the morning worship service, **Prayers for Healing and Blessing** will be offered in the Centennial Chapel, which is located in the south transept 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.

RECEPTION FOR NAZLI MB

TODAY, 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 the University of Toronto. All are welcome.

Today at 7pm – Choral Evensong, The Rev. Dale Rose preaching

Wednesday 12:30pm – Noonday Organ Recital: Nicholas Schmelter
-Recitals resume on September 11.

Meetings This Week

Tuesday 6:30pm – Pastoral Care Committee, Youth Zone 508
Tuesday 7:00pm – Board of Mission, Library
Tuesday 7:00pm – Board of Finance and Administration, Red Boardroom
Tuesday 7:00pm – Health and Wellness Committee, Youth Zone 508
Wednesday 1:30pm – Lester Randall Preaching Fellowship Committee, Library
Wednesday 7:00pm – Board of Music, Red Boardroom
Thursday 7:00pm – Church Council, Red Boardroom

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.

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.

Tea at the Manse – Sunday, June 30 at 2 – 4 p.m.

No evening service on Sunday June 30.

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.*
- *If you have an announcement that you would like to include in a July calendar, please forward the information to the Church Office office@yorkminsterpark.com by July 2.*

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

Health & Wellness Information From the Parish Nurse

Please pick up Health and Wellness Bulletins and information on Hypertension 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!



YOUTH and YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY Contact Sam Lee at slee@yorkminsterpark.com
Doxa – 1 John 4 • Youth at Canada’s Wonderland on June 22



The June – July – August ‘Our Daily Bread’ is available in the Narthex and Centre Hall.

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 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

Summer in Children’s Ministries

We are delighted to provide a summer Sunday Program 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. Your job will be to assist an experienced leader. Note: If you are new to Children’s Ministry, you will be contacted for a brief interview. Please sign up on the sheet placed on the trolley outside the gym door or contact Miriam.



Yorkminster Park will host a **SUMMER KIDS EVENT** 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.

MISSION PROJECT UPDATE



Last Sunday we dedicated our cheque that will be sent to Canadian Baptist Ministries for planting trees in Kenya. We rejoice because the total has increased over the week. The new total in gifts is \$2872.47.
Thank you for your care to help needy families in Kenya plant trees!

THANK YOU

What a wonderful day we had last Sunday at the picnic! Thank you to the willing volunteers who made the event run so well. We couldn't have had a successful Event without you! Many thanks to Mary Stevens and her team who prepared and served the wonderful lunch. A HUGE thank you to.....

•Steve Holmes at SpringFree Trampoline for the set up, supervision and use of the trampoline
May the Lord use the fruit of this day for building His kingdom!

-The Board of Christian Education

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

The Lester Randall Preaching Fellowship – A Toronto Festival of Preaching “Preaching for Tomorrow – The Horizon of Hope”

Sunday, November 3- Tuesday, November 5

In partnership with Metropolitan United Church, St. Andrew Presbyterian Church and Timothy Eaton Memorial Church (United)

In association with Emmanuel College, Trinity College, McMaster Divinity College, Wycliffe College, Huron College, Tyndale Seminary, Knox College and Colgate Rochester Crozer Divinity School

Keynote Speakers:

The Rev. Dr. David J. Lose
The Rev. Dr. Jana L. Childers
The Rev. Dr. John M. Buchanan
The Rev. Dr. Paul Scott Wilson

For information about registration and fees call the Church Office or visit
www.yorkminsterpark.com/page/56/lester-randall-preaching-fellowship-2013

SUMMER PREACHING SERIES 2013, SUNDAYS 11AM AND 7PM

July 7 - Rev. Dale Rose

July 14 & 21 - Dr. Stephen Farris

Dr. Farris is the Dean of St. Andrew's Hall, Vancouver School of Theology at the University of British Columbia. For many years he was Professor of Preaching and Worship at Knox College, University of Toronto. Dr. Farris received his PhD from Cambridge University, England, and has authored three books and many academic and popular articles, dictionaries and encyclopedia entries. Dr. Farris is also the brother of Marion Evans, a long time member of our church.

July 28 - Dr. Paul Scott Wilson

Dr. Wilson is Professor of Homiletics at Emmanuel College, University of Toronto, where he has taught for over twenty years. Dr. Wilson is an ordained minister in the United Church of Canada, has written several books on preaching, and travels and lectures widely in the United States and Canada. For a number of years Dr. Wilson assisted his wife, the Rev. Deanna Wilson, in her ministry at St. Stephen's on-the-Hill United Church in Mississauga. Dr. Wilson also served as Peter Holmes' doctoral thesis supervisor. The New Interpreter's Handbook, for which Dr. Wilson served as the general editor, has been selected by Preaching Magazine as the 2010 Preaching Book of the Year.

August 4 - The Rev. Canon Dr. George Sumner

George Sumner is the Principal of Wycliffe College, Toronto, and Professor of World Missions. He was ordained a priest in Tanzania in 1981 where he served as a missionary teacher at an evangelical Anglican theological college. He has a doctorate in Theology from Yale and is the author of The First and the Last: the Claim of Jesus Christ and The Claims of Other Religious Traditions, Unwearied Praises (co-author), and Being Salt: A Theology of an Ordered Church. He is an enthusiastic fan of the Boston Red Sox and the New England Patriots. Dr. Sumner and his wife Stephanie have two children, Marta and Sam.

August 11 & 18 - Dr. Jerome Washington

Pastor of Mount Vernon Baptist Church in Durham, North Carolina. Jerome holds both a Bachelor of Arts degree in Music and a Master of Arts in Educational Administration from Xavier University in Louisiana. In 1995, Jerome was awarded a Doctor of Philosophy in Religion and Counseling from Southwestern University, Detroit and has preached and lectured in religious settings in the United States, Canada, Panama and England.

August 25 - Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes