

## PASTORAL CARE

Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes and Rev. Deborah Ban are currently on vacation.

Pastoral care concerns can be reported to the Rev. Dale Rose at (416) 922-1167 x227 (drose@yorkminsterpark.com) or our Parish Nurse, Cathy Newman at (416) 922-1428(parishnurse@yorkminsterpark.com).

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

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## THE BEATITUDES

Our Summer Bible Study is held each Wednesday in the Friendship Room at 7 p.m. This week's study is being led by **Janet Kim** – "*Matthew 5:7-8*"

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## SUMMER KIDS EVENT

**Weird Animals** is coming on July 21 to 25! From 9am to noon on Monday to Friday Children going into JK to Grade 5 can follow Jesus on a life-changing adventure! Join us for Bible stories, crafts, skits, games and songs. Pre-registration required! Limited spots available.

Cost - \$25 (\$15 for additional children in the family)

For information contact Miriam Little at [mlittle@yorkminsterpark.com](mailto:mlittle@yorkminsterpark.com) or 416-922-1361.

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## HEALTH AND WELLNESS

- The Parish Nurse In The Park outreach program takes place Sundays 12:30-2pm. You are welcome to join Cathy, for even a few minutes, to give out water and information about YPBC to our neighbours who enjoy summer in YP's lovely park.
- Foot Care - If you or family members require assistance to access proper Foot Care, please contact Cathy.
- Health Bulletins are available in the Narthex and Centre Hall, and for more information Cathy Newman RN, Parish Nurse, can be reached at 416 922-1428 or parishnurse@yorkminster.com, or in Room 403 on the second floor. Hours: 11am - 4pm Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday.

All communication is strictly confidential!

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

July 20 (Evening Communion).....*The Rev. Dr. Gary V. Nelson*  
July 27.....*The Rev. Dr. Paul Scott Wilson*  
August 3.....*The Rev. Canon Dr. George Sumner*  
August 10.....*The Rev. Dr. David Bartlett*  
August 17 (Evening Communion).....*The Rev. Dr. David Bartlett*  
August 24.....*The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes*  
August 31.....*The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes*

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*Sundays in August are available for anyone wishing to place memorial flowers or flowers commemorating a celebration in the Sanctuary. Contact Kay Hayes at 416-447-9416*

## YORKMINSTER PARK BAPTIST CHURCH

1585 Yonge Street  
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**The Rev. Dr. J. Peter Holmes**

*Minister of the Congregation*

**The Rev. Dale Rose**, *Minister of Pastoral Care*

**The Rev. Deborah Ban**, *Interim Minister of Discipleship*

**The Rev. Sam Lee**, *Minister of Youth*

**Mr. William Maddox**, *BMus, FTCL, Director of Music*

**Mrs. Miriam Little**, *Director of Children's Ministries*

**Mrs. Cathy Newman**, *RN BScN, Parish Nurse*

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

**Organist: Christel Wiens**, *Associate Musician*



**July 13, 2014**

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

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**Rev. John Torrance** is the former minister of Pastoral Care at YPBC. He has served churches throughout Ontario before joining ministry at YPBC, the position from which he retired. He is the former president of CBOQ, beloved pastor and friend.

## Morning Worship Service – 11:00 a.m.

*(The congregation rises as the Ministers enter.)*

### Prelude –

Siciliano from Concerto, Op. 3, No. 11 *Antonio Vivaldi, arr. J. S. Bach*

Meditation (from 6<sup>th</sup> Sonata Op. 86) *Alexandre Guilmant*

### Call to Worship

**Rev. Sam Lee**

**Hymn 52 – God is love** (Abbot's Leigh)

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

**Rev. Sam Lee**

**Responsive Psalm 65:1-13** (OT p.583)

**Rev. Sam Lee**

### Gloria Patri

**Prayer with the Children**

**Miriam Little**

**Scripture: Genesis 25:19-34** (OT p.23-24)

**Rev. John Torrance**

**Romans 8:1-11** (NT p.164)

**Solo – A Simple Song** (Mass)

*Leonard Bernstein*

**Margaret Terry**, mezzo soprano

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Rev. Dale Rose**

**Announcements & Offering**

**Rev. Dale Rose**

**Duet – Sing with grace in your heart**

*Geroge Frederick Handel*

**Margaret Terry**, mezzo soprano; **Martin Houtman**, tenor

### Doxology

**Hymn 463 – Blest are the pure in heart** (Franconia)

**Sermon: “WITH EYES WIDE OPEN”**

**Rev. John Torrance**

**Hymn 462 – Be Thou my vision** (Slane)

**Benediction**

**Rev. Dale Rose**

### Postlude

Lobe den Herren

*Johann Gottfried Walther*

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*J. S. Bach, arr. C. Wiens*

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

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### *Join Us for Lemonade*

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

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### **YPBC Bus Trip • Thursday, October 16**

Shaw Festival • Niagara-on-the-Lake

“Philadelphia Story” Lunch at the Prince of Wales

Cost: \$150

Call Judy MacDonald at 416-225-8295

## Evening Worship Service – 7:00 p.m.

*(The congregation rises as the Ministers enter.)*

**Prelude — Nigra sum, sed formosa** Op. 18, No. 3

*Marcel Dupré*

On an Irish Air

*Eric Thiman*

**Call to Worship**

**Rev. Sam Lee**

**Hymn 257 – Glorious things of Thee are spoken** (Austria)

**Invocation** (*seated*)

**Rev. Sam Lee**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Scripture: Romans 7:14-25** (NT p.164)

**Matthew 11:16-19** (NT p.11-12)

**Solo – Litany to the Holy Spirit**

*Peter Hurford*

**Martin Houtman**, tenor

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Rev. Sam Lee**

**Announcements & Offering**

**Duet – And his mercy is on them** (Magnificat)

*Johann Sebastian Bach*

**Margaret Terry**, mezzo soprano; **Martin Houtman**, tenor

**Prayer of Dedication**

**Hymn 601 – O Jesus Christ grow Thou in me** (St. Agnes 486)

**Sermon: “MAKING COMPARISONS”**

**Rev. John Torrance**

**Hymn 690 – Far in the west** (Welwyn 621)

**Benediction**

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Summer Art Show available until August 14.

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### **YP CENTRE GREETERS**

During July and August, volunteers will be at the YP Centre desk

Monday to Friday, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

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The Lester Randall Preaching Fellowship

A Toronto Festival of Preaching “The Well Spoken Circle”

**Sunday, October 26 - Tuesday, October 28**

Keynote Speakers:

Rev. Dr. Walter Brueggemann • Rev. Dr. Barbara Mutch

Rev. Dr. Danielle Ayana James • Archbishop Thomas Cardinal Collins

*For information about registration and fees call the Church Office or visit*  
[www.yorkminsterpark.com/page/56/lester-randall-preaching-fellowship-2013](http://www.yorkminsterpark.com/page/56/lester-randall-preaching-fellowship-2013)

1 JOHN IV. 8.

- G**OD is love: let heaven adore Him;  
 God is love: let earth rejoice;  
 Let creation sing before Him,  
 And exalt Him with one voice.  
 He who laid the earth's foundation,  
 He who spread the heavens above,  
 He who breathes through all creation,  
 He is love, eternal love.
- 2 God is love: and He enfoldeth  
 All the world in one embrace;  
 With unfailing grasp He holdeth  
 Every child of every race.
- And when human hearts are breaking  
 Under sorrow's iron rod,  
 All the sorrow, all the aching,  
 Wrings with pain the heart of God.
- 3 God is love: and though with blindness  
 Sin afflicts the souls of men,  
 God's eternal loving-kindness  
 Holds and guides them even then.  
 Sin and death and hell shall never  
 O'er us final triumph gain;  
 God is love, so love for ever  
 O'er the universe must reign.

- B**LEST are the pure in heart,  
 For they shall see their God;  
 The secret of the Lord is theirs;  
 Their soul is Christ's abode.
- 2 The Lord who left the heavens,  
 Our life and peace to bring,  
 To dwell in lowliness with men,  
 Their pattern and their king:—
- 3 Still to the lowly soul  
 He doth Himself impart,  
 And for His dwelling and His throne  
 Chooseth the pure in heart.
- 4 Lord, we Thy presence seek:  
 May ours this blessing be;  
 Give us a pure and lowly heart,—  
 A temple meet for Thee.

*John Keble, 1792-1866.  
 William John Hall, 1793-*

**B**E Thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,  
 Be all else but naught to me, save that Thou  
 art;  
 Be Thou my best thought in the day and the night,  
 Both waking and sleeping, Thy presence my light.

- 2 Be Thou my wisdom, be Thou my true word;  
 Be Thou ever with me, and I with Thee, Lord;  
 Be Thou my great Father, and I Thy true son;  
 Be Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.
- 3 Be Thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight;  
 Be Thou my whole armour, be Thou my true might;  
 Be Thou my soul's shelter, be Thou my strong  
 tower,  
 O raise Thou me heavenward, great power of my  
 power.
- 4 Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise,  
 Be Thou mine inheritance now and always;  
 Be Thou and Thou only the first in my heart;  
 O sovereign of heaven, my treasure Thou art.
- 5 High King of heaven, Thou heaven's bright sun,  
 O grant me its joys, after victory is won;  
 Great heart of my own heart, whatever befall,  
 Still be Thou my vision, O ruler of all.

*Ancient Irish, tr. Mary Byrne, 1881–1931.  
 Versified by Eleanor Hull, 1861–1935, altd.*