

JULY 24, 2011



# Yorkminster Park

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BAPTIST CHURCH

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

**The Rev. Carolyn King**  
Associate Minister – Pastoral Care

**The Rev. Cheryle Hanna**  
Associate Minister – Discipleship

**The Rev. Sam Lee**  
Assistant Minister—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

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*A warm welcome to Yorkminster Park! Please complete one of the Visitor's cards in the pews and put in the offering plate. City Parking at Alvin Ave. (one street east of Yonge & St. Clair ) provides free parking Sunday morning until 12:45 p.m. Have your ticket stamped in the Narthex.*

***Communications:** All morning worship services are recorded on CDs, which may be obtained from the Desk in the Narthex and are also available on the church website: [www.yorkminsterpark.com](http://www.yorkminsterpark.com). CD sets of the Rev. Dr. Brian Haymes are available for purchase.*

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## **PASTORAL CARE**

The Rev. Carolyn King is on vacation and will be returning August 9. Any matters normally directed to her attention should be addressed to the Rev. Cheryle Hanna — [channa@yorkminsterpark.com](mailto:channa@yorkminsterpark.com) or the Parish Nurse, Heather Hetherington at ext. 245 or [parishnurse@yorkminsterpark.com](mailto:parishnurse@yorkminsterpark.com).

## **CALL NARRATIVES: GOD'S CALL THEN AND NOW**

Our Summer Bible Study  
is held each Wednesday  
In the Friendship Room at 7pm.  
This week's study is led by  
**Carol Belford—"Gideon"**

## **URGENT PRAYER NEEDED FOR REFUGEE FAMILY**

After making preparations to arrive in Canada this month, the Mir Bashiri family found out that their departure has been delayed to September. Please pray that their departure can be expedited.

## **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

We are delighted to provide a summer Sunday program for children, nursery to age 10. Nursery is available for children from 10:50am, while older children go to the service with their families and then leave for class after the children's prayer. To provide classes, we still need some help. Please contact Miriam Little if you are able to help.

**LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER  
YOUR CHILD(REN) FOR  
PandaMania Vacation Bible School**  
July 25 to 29, 9am to 12 noon  
Children JK to Grade 5 can follow Jesus on  
a life-changing adventure!  
Registration forms are available in the  
Centre Hall. For more information, see  
Miriam or call x231  
or email [mlittle@yorkminsterpark.com](mailto:mlittle@yorkminsterpark.com)

# ORDER OF SERVICE FOR SUNDAY, JULY 24, 2011

## MORNING – 11:00 a.m.

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

**Preludes**  
**Call to Worship** Rev. Cheryle Hanna  
**Hymn 1, omit verses 4-6** (Lasst Uns Erfreuen)  
**Invocation** (*seated*) Rev. Cheryle Hanna  
**The Lord's Prayer**  
**Resp. Ps. 119:129-136** (OT p. 631) Rev. C. Hanna  
**Gloria**  
**Prayer with the Children** Miriam Little  
**Announcements** Rev. Sam Lee  
**Scripture:** Rev. Dr. Stephen Farris  
    **Psalm 7:1011** (OT p.541-2)  
    **Hebrews 9:24-28** (NT p.240)  
**Solo – With pious hearts** G.F. Handel  
    **Stephen King**, baritone  
**Pastoral Prayer** Rev. Sam Lee  
**Offering**  
**Duet – O sing unto the Lord** William Boyce  
    **Dawn King**, soprano; **Stephen King**, baritone  
**Doxology**  
**Hymn 203** (St. Peter)  
**Sermon:** "THE TWO MOST UNPOPULAR  
    WORDS IN THE BIBLE"  
    Rev. Dr. Stephen Farris  
**Hymn 375** (Lancashire)  
**Benediction** Rev. Cheryle Hanna  
**Postlude**

## EVENING – 7:00 p.m.

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

**Preludes**  
**Call to Worship** Rev. Cheryle Hanna  
**Hymn 579** (St. Denio)  
**Invocation** (*seated*)  
**The Lord's Prayer**  
**Scripture:** **Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25** (OT p.237, 239)  
    **Matthew 25:1-13** (NT p.28-9)  
**Solo – How lovely are thy dwellings** S. Liddle  
    **Dawn King**, soprano  
**Pastoral Prayer** Rev. Cheryle Hanna  
**Announcements**  
**Offering**  
**Duet – Come, let us make a joyful noise** G.F. Handel  
    **Dawn King**, soprano; **Stephen King**, baritone  
**Prayer of Dedication**  
**Hymn 550** (Salzburg)  
**Sermon:** "TIME TO CHOOSE"  
    Rev. Dr. Stephen Farris  
**Hymn \*SHB 3** (Michael)  
**Benediction**  
**Postlude**

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

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

*Organist: Charles Udell*

Summer Art Show of YP and community artists  
available until August 19.

### *Join Us For Lemonade*

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

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

July 31– *The Rev. Karen Robinson*

August 7– *The Rev. Dr. Kevin Livingston*

August 14– *The Rev. Dr. Gary Nelson*

August 21 – *The Rev. Dr. Gary Nelson*

August 28– *The Rev. Dr. Paul Scott Wilson*

September 4, 11am — *The Rev. Dr. Victor Shepherd*; 7pm — *Rev. John Torrance*

*The Sundays in July and August are available for anyone wishing to place in the Sanctuary memorial flowers, or flowers commemorating a celebration. Please contact Kay Hayes at 416-447-9416*

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### **YP CENTRE GREETERS**

During July and August,  
volunteers will be at the YP Centre desk  
Monday to Friday, 12:00 noon-2:00 pm

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- A**LL creatures of our God and King,  
Lift up your voice and with us sing  
Hallelujah, hallelujah !  
Thou burning sun with golden beam,  
Thou silver moon with softer gleam,  
*O praise Him, O praise Him,*  
*Hallelujah, hallelujah, hallelujah !*
- 2 Thou rushing wind that art so strong,  
Ye clouds that sail in heaven along,  
O praise Him, hallelujah !  
Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,  
Ye lights of evening, find a voice,
- 3 Thou flowing water, pure and clear,  
Make music for thy Lord to hear,  
Hallelujah, hallelujah !  
Thou fire so masterful and bright,  
That givest man both warmth and light,
- 4 Dear mother earth, who day by day  
Unfoldest blessings on our way,  
O praise Him, hallelujah !  
The flowers and fruits that in thee grow  
Let them His glory also show,
- 5 And all ye men of tender heart,  
Forgiving others, take your part,  
O sing ye, hallelujah !  
Ye who long pain and sorrow bear,  
Praise God and on Him cast your care,
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- 6 And thou, most kind and gentle death,  
Waiting to hush our latest breath,  
O praise Him, hallelujah !  
Thou leadest home the child of God,  
And Christ our Lord the way hath trod,
- 7 Let all things their Creator bless,  
And worship Him in humbleness,  
O praise Him, hallelujah !  
Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,  
And praise the Spirit. Three in One.

## 203

**H**OW sweet the name of Jesus sounds  
In a believer's ear !  
It soothes his sorrows, heals his wounds,  
And drives away his fear.

2 It makes the wounded spirit whole,  
And calms the troubled breast ;  
'Tis manna to the hungry soul,  
And to the weary rest.

3 Dear name ! the rock on which I build,  
My shield and hiding-place,  
My never-failing treasury, filled  
With boundless stores of grace.

4 Jesus ! my shepherd, brother, friend,  
My prophet, priest, and king ;  
My lord, my life, my way, my end,  
Accept the praise I bring.

5 Weak is the effort of my heart,  
And cold my warmest thought ;  
But when I see Thee as Thou art,  
I'll praise Thee as I ought.

6 Till then I would Thy love proclaim  
With every fleeting breath ;  
And may the music of Thy name  
Refresh my soul in death !

## 375

**L**EAD on, O King eternal,  
The day of march has come;  
Henceforth in fields of conquest  
Thy tents shall be our home.  
Through days of preparation  
Thy grace has made us strong,  
And now, O King eternal,  
We lift our battle song.

2 Lead on, O King eternal,  
Till sin's fierce war shall cease,  
And holiness shall whisper  
The sweet amen of peace:  
For not with sword's loud clashing,  
Nor roll of stirring drums:  
With deeds of love and mercy,  
The heavenly kingdom comes.

3 Lead on, O King eternal,  
We follow not with fears,  
For gladness breaks like morning  
Where'er Thy face appears;  
Thy cross is lifted o'er us;  
We journey in its light;  
The crown awaits the conquest;  
Lead on, O God of might!

*E. W. Shurtleff, 1862-1917.*

