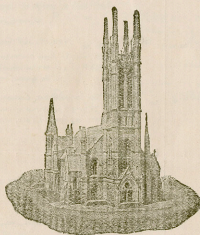


Weekly Calendar
OF
The Metropolitan Church

TORONTO



Rev. Wm. Sparling, B.A., D.D.

PASTOR

PARSONAGE, 266 JARVIS STREET.

Public Worship: Eleven a.m. and Seven p.m.
Sunday School and Bible Classes, Three p.m.

*O come, let us worship and bow down; Let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker.
For He is our God: And we are the people of His pasture and the sheep of His hand.*

Visiting Worshippers are Welcome

Morning Service

September 11th, 1904

ORDER OF SERVICE

Doxology and Invocation

Hymn

Prayer

Anthem

Responsive Scripture Reading

Gloria

Scripture Reading

Offertory

Solo

Hymn

Sermon—Rev. Dr. Sparling

Quartette

Hymn

Benediction

ANTHEM—"Come ye Disconsolate"

Neidlinger

Come ye disconsolate, where'er ye languish ;
Come to the mercy seat, fervently kneel ;
Here bring your wounded hearts, here tell your anguish ;
Earth hath no sorrow that heaven cannot heal.

Joy of the comfortless, light of the straying
Hope of the penitent, fadeless and pure ;
Here speaks the Comforter, tenderly saying
Earth hath no sorrow that heaven cannot cure.

Here see the bread of life, see waters flowing
Forth from the throne of God, pure from above,
Come to the feast of love, come ever knowing,
Earth hath no sorrow but heaven can remove. Amen.

SOLO—"Nearer My God to Thee"

Carey

Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee ;
E'en though it be a cross that raiseth me ;
Still, all my song shall be, nearer, my God to Thee, nearer to Thee.

Though, like the wanderer, daylight all gone,
Darkness be over me, my rest a stone ; yet in my dreams
I'd be nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee.

There let the way appear, steps up to heaven ;
All that Thou sendest me in mercy given ;
Angels to beckon me nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee.

And when on joyful wing cleaving the sky,
Sun, moon and stars forgot upward I fly ;
Still, all my song shall be, nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee.

QUARTETTE—"Jesus, Lover of My Soul" *Rutenber*

Jesus, lover of my soul, let me to Thy bosom fly, while the nearer
Waters roll, while the tempest still is high ;
Hide me, oh my Saviour, hide, till the storm of life is past ;
Safe into the heaven guide ; O receive my soul at last.
Other refuge have I none ; hangs my helpless soul on Thee ;
Leave, oh leave me not alone ; still support and comfort me ;
All my trust on Thee is stay'd, all my hope from Thee I bring,
Cover my defenceless head with the shadow of Thy wing,
Thou, O Christ, art all I want, more than all in Thee I find ;
Raise the fallen, cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind ;
Just and holy is Thy name—I am all unrighteousness ;
Vile and full of sin I am, Thou art full of truth and grace.
Plenteous grace with Thee I found, grace to cover all my sin ;
Let the healing streams abound ; make me, keep me, pure within.
Thou of life the fountain art, freely let me take of Thee ;
Spring Thou up within my heart—rise to all eternity. Amen.

QUARTETTE

MRS. KILLIN-KEOUGH, Soprano ;

MISS GRACE LILLIAN CARTER, Contralto ;

MR. W. M. VAN DE WATER, Tenor ;

MR. O. B. DORLAND, Bass.

F. H. TORRINGTON, Mus. Doc.,

Organist and Choir Director.

Evening Service

ORDER OF SERVICE	<p style="text-align: center;">ANTHEM— "Send out Thy Light" <i>Gounod</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Send out Thy light and Thy truth, let them lead me— let them bring me to Thy holy hill. Oh God, then will I go unto Thy altar! On the harp we will praise Thee, Oh Lord, our God.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Why, oh soul, art thou sorrowful, and why cast down within me? Still trust the loving kindness, of the God of thy strength. And my tongue yet shall praise Him who hath pleaded my cause. Lord, our God, Thou wilt save thine anointed, Thou wilt hear us from heaven. Though in chariots some put their trust, our trust is in Thee. They are brought down and fallen, but the Lord is our helper, we shall not be afraid.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Send out Thy light and Thy truth, let them lead us, and let them bring me to Thy holy hill.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Send out Thy light, Oh Lord, our God.</p>
Doxology and Invocation	
Hymn	
Prayer	
Anthem	<p style="text-align: center;">SOLO— "I will lay me down in Peace" <i>Buck</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(From Ps. 42, 34, 4, etc.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">In the night shall my song be of Him, and my prayer shall ascend to the God of my life.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">O Shepherd of Israel, Thou who callest the stars by name, wilt Thou not hear me?</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I will lay me down in peace and take my rest; for it is Thou, Lord, Thou only, that makest me to dwell in safety.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">For the angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear Him, and delivered them. Yea, when the Philistine cometh, when the mighty take spear and bow, Thou art the strong deliverer, the Lord, mighty in battle.</p>
Scripture Reading	
Offertory	
Solo	<p style="text-align: center;">QUARTETTE—"Lead Kindly Light" <i>Buck</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Lead, kindly Light, amid the encircling gloom, Lead Thou me on. The night is dark and I am far from home; Lead Thou me on. Keep thou my feet; I do not ask to see The distant scene; one step enough for me.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I was not ever thus, nor prayed that thou Shouldst lead me on; I lov'd to choose and see my path; but now Lead thou me on. I loved the garish day, and, spite of fears, Pride ruled my will: remember not past years.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">So long Thy power hath blessed me, sure it still Will lead me on O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and torrent, till The night is gone, And with the morn those angel faces smile Which I have loved long since, and lost awhile. Amen.</p>
Hymn	
Sermon—Rev. Dr. Sparling	
Quartette	
Chorus	<p style="text-align: center;">CHORUS—"Unfold ye Portals" (Redemption) <i>Gounod</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Unfold ye portals everlasting, with welcome to receive Him ascending on Behold the King of Glory, He mounts up through the sky, [high, Back to the heavenly mansions hastening, unfold, for lo, the King comes nigh But who is He, the King of Glory? He who death overcame, The Lord in battle mighty, Of hosts He is the Lord, of angels and of The King of Glory is the King of the saints, [powers, Unfold ye portals everlasting, with welcome to receive Him ascending on Behold the King of Glory, He mounts up through the sky, [high, Back to the heavenly mansions hastening, unfold, for lo, the King comes nigh.</p>
Benediction	

Special Notices for the Week

- MONDAY, 8 P.M.**—The Epworth League will hold its regular weekly meeting in the Church Parlors. A short talk will be given by our pastor, Rev. Dr. Sparling, followed by a discussion of our fall and winter work by the league members. All young people are cordially invited to join us and will be heartily welcomed at any of our meetings. The Executive Committee will meet at the close of the regular meeting.
- WEDNESDAY, 8 P.M.**—Mid-week Service in the Lecture Room, conducted by Rev. Dr. Sparling.
- SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18th.**—Rev. Dr. Sparling will preach both morning and evening.

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Church Calendar

Class Meetings

LEADER.	MEMBERSHIP.	TIME.
REV. W. H. WITHROW, D.D.,	Men and Women,	Sunday, 10 a.m.
MR. S. R. HANNA,	{ ("No. 7 Class")	" "
MR. H. S. PARK,	{ Young Men and Women }	" "
DEACONESS,	(Juniors) Young Men and Women,	" "
DEACONESS,	Catechumen,	" "
MRS. F. H. TORRINGTON,	Young Women,	Wednesday, 7.30 p.m.
DEACONESS,	Young Women,	" "
MRS. J. B. WILLMOTT,	(Senior) Women,	Thursday, 8 p.m.
MR. W. H. PEARSON,	Men and Women,	" "

Epworth League

Meeting in the Church Parlors, Monday, 8 p.m.
 Mr. W. W. Ketchum, President, 283 George Street.

Prayer and Praise Meeting

Conducted by the Pastor, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

Young Men's Society

Meeting in the Church Parlors, Thursday, 8 p.m.
 Mr. F. E. Belfry, President, 35 Oak Street.

Young Women's Society

Meeting in the Church Parlors, Friday, 8 p.m.
 Miss Emily Mackie, President, 297 Carlton St.ect.

Ladies' Aid Society

Meeting in the Church Parlors, Every Second and Fourth Wednesday, 3 p.m.
 Mrs. A. R. Clarke, President, 93 Isabella Street.

Woman's Missionary Society

Meeting in the Church Parlors, First Wednesday of each month, 3 p.m.
 Mrs. J. B. Willmott, President, 96 College Street.

Junior Missionary Society

Meeting in Room F, Every Second and Fourth Wednesday, 4.30 p.m.

Choir Practice

In the Church, Friday, 8 p.m.

Those previously associated with church choirs, and any others possessing good voices are cordially invited to meet Dr. Torrington in the Church on Friday evenings, or at any time at the Toronto College of Music, 12 Pembroke Street, with a view to joining the choir.

Pew Rents

Those who wish to secure pews or separate sittings in this church are requested to communicate with the Pew Steward, Mr. T. H. Mason, 20 Toronto Street.

Envelopes for Weekly Offerings

May be procured from the financial secretaries, Mr. A. R. Clarke, 93 Isabella Street, or Mr. W. G. Francis, 1 Cawthra Square.

Official Directory

Church Steward, Mr. C. D. Massey, 519 Jarvis Street; Recording Steward, Mr. Fred. Roper, 2 Toronto Street; Pew Steward, Mr. T. H. Mason, 20 Toronto Street; Secretary Board of Trustees, Mr. T. G. Mason, 441 Jarvis Street; Church Treasurer, Mr. J. M. Treble, 515 Jarvis Street; Financial Secretaries, Mr. A. R. Clarke and Mr. W. G. Francis; Sabbath School Superintendent, Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., 87 Crescent Road.

Deaconess: Miss Annie Irwin, 257 Jarvis Street.

Sexton; W. Breckell, 146 Agnes Street.