

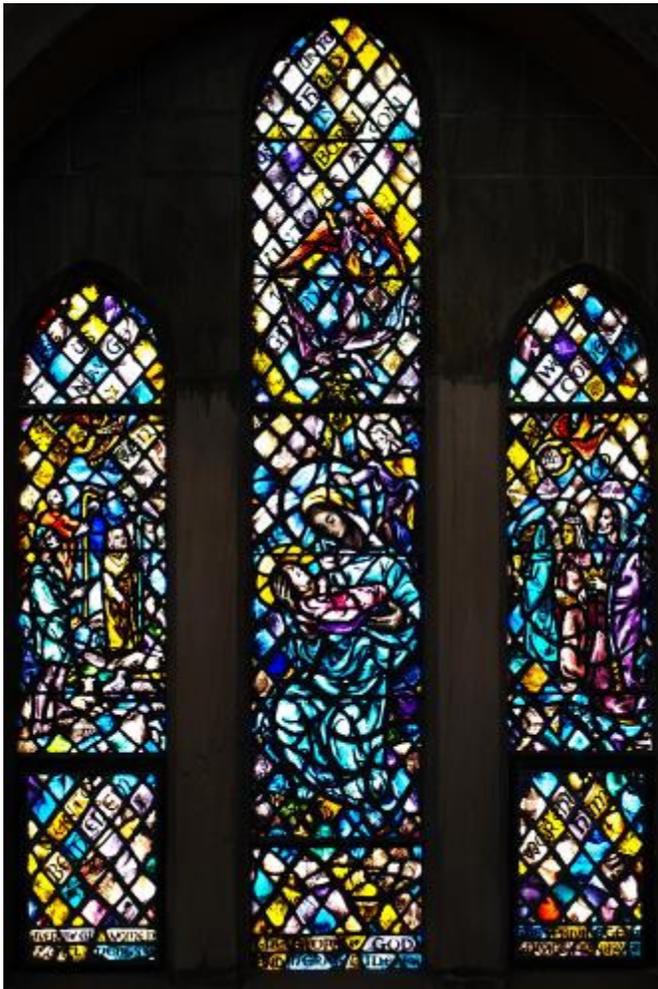


*St Clement's is a growing church where a diverse group of people are learning how to follow Jesus Christ*

# THE ANCHOR



INSIDE ST CLEMENT'S, MAY 28—JUNE 3, 2017



## The Nativity Window

Yvonne Williams (1901—1997), a leading figure in 20<sup>th</sup> century Canadian stained glass, created this window in 1962 marking the 70<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Women's Association. "I believe the full, rich palette of medieval colour in glass makes a work traditional no matter how contemporary the drawing or subject matter is." Born in Trinidad and educated at Ontario College of Art, she was influenced by Canterbury and Chartres and her art moved toward greater simplification of form and line where the leadlines were given interplay and balance with the colour of the glass itself. She aimed for a "total field of colour".

Mirroring the mystical nature of nativity as the subject, all is not clear nor is it immediately apparent in the familiar story.

**Left:** Shepherds appear in red, green, and yellow robes; sheep and people are in the background.

**Centre:** Mary cradles Jesus in her arms with star of Bethlehem overhead; Joseph in the background fondly admires the intimate, tender scene.

**Right:** Three magi bring gifts to the newborn child.

**Inscription:** *Given by the Women of St. Clement's to the Glory of God and in Loving Gratitude for the Privilege of Service from 1892-1962*

**Artist's signature:** "Y.W. 1962," is only partially visible above the lead came immediately below the word "gratitude".

### Hats off (or on) to You!

Women, don your finest hats and join us to celebrate the ministry, service, and fellowship of Women at St. Clement's.

The season is upon us - what better way to gather as we toast the 50 year efforts of the Anglican Church Women.



### A Message to Men, Boys and Youth

On Sunday, May 28 the parish will be celebrating the ministry and service of the women of St. Clement's at receptions following the 9am and 11am services. The parish also will recognize the 50 years of service of the Anglican Church Women. Bring some cheese, crackers, a box of cookies, or fruit that morning to Canon Nicholson Hall. Help serve, pass a plate or two, or bartend. Let the women celebrate!



## UPCOMING YOUNG ADULTS EVENTS

**Brunch:** This Sunday after the Women in Ministries Celebration! Amore Trattoria: 2425 Yonge St!

**Dinner & Discussion:** Rescheduled to Friday, June 16 at 7pm. Details to come!

**Cottage Afternoon:** Sunday, July 8, we'll drive the 57 minutes to the cottage right after the 11am service. Head back around sunset.

**Seniors' Spring Eucharist and Luncheon, this Thursday, June 1.**  
Eucharist at 11am; contact the office for details!



## Thy Kingdom Come

### #pledge2pray

The Archbishop of Canterbury, Justin Welby is encouraging Christians of all denominations to pledge to pray each day from Ascension to Pentecost (June 4) for more people to know Jesus Christ.

"Jesus prayed at the last supper that we, those who follow him, might be one that the world might believe."

We are invited to make a lasting difference in our nation and in our world, By responding to his call to find a deep unity of purpose in prayer. People can pray in whatever way they choose, wherever they are.

"It's not a Church of England thing, it's not an Anglican thing, it's a Christian thing"

#Pledge2 Pray <https://www.thykingdomcome.global/>  
(Watch his video)



### Do you "speak in other tongues"?

*When the day of Pentecost came.... All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.*

We would like to recreate the experience of hearing other tongues at our own celebration of Pentecost. **If your mother tongue is not English or if you are a fluent speaker** of any language other than English, and if you would like to read a lesson or help lead the prayers of the people on Pentecost (June 4) at any service, please email Robin Harmer ([rharmer@stclements-church.org](mailto:rharmer@stclements-church.org): please note the corrected email).

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**COMMUNITY  
BBQ**

**SUNDAY JUNE 11**  
**10am** Combined Service  
followed by a Community BBQ  
Curious? Join us.

**FUN FOR  
ALL AGES!**

- Bouncy castle!
- Cargo bike rides for the kids with Fr. Andrew
- Bring a picnic blanket & a side dish to share
- The church provides the main dishes
- Willing to lend a hand with food set-up? Email [afederle@stclements-church.org](mailto:afederle@stclements-church.org)

**CONFIRMATION  
2017/2018**  
St. Clement's Church

#### **CONFIRMATION OPEN HOUSE**

Is your youth in gr. 8 or gr. 9 and ready to be confirmed? Join us for a 1 hour information session at 8pm on Thursday, June 1 in the youth room. There will be wine, there will be cheese.

#### **YEAR-END YOUTH EVENT: Friday, June 23**

We will be gathering as a youth group on Friday, June 23 from 11am-5pm! If the island has re-opened, we'll go there. If it hasn't, we'll head down to the beaches for the afternoon! More details to come.

#### **Visualizing the Psalms with Janet Read**

##### **Registration closing Monday**

Saturday, June 3: 10am-3:30pm

Art workshop led by Janet Read, a visual artist, musician, sometime poet, and member of St Clement's Church. Registration: [stclements-church.org/events](http://stclements-church.org/events).

No previous art experience necessary! All are welcome.



## This Week @ St Clement's

*Daniel Webb will be on vacation on Sunday, June 4.*

### Monday, May 29

#### Tuesday, May 30

Staff Meeting 9:30am  
Hélène Currie funeral, 1pm  
Confirmation Class 7pm  
Marriage Course 7pm

#### Wednesday, May 31

Community Lunch 9am  
Centering Prayer 1:30pm  
Refugee Committee Mtg. 7pm

#### Thursday, June 1

Spring Seniors' Eucharist 11am  
Spring Seniors' Luncheon 12pm  
Teen After School Drop In 3:30pm  
Youth Choir Rehearsal 5pm  
Choir Rehearsal 7:30pm

#### Friday, June 2

**Office goes on summer hours: 9am-12pm  
on Fridays**

#### Saturday, June 3

Visualising the Psalms workshop 10am

#### Sunday, June 4—Pentecost

8am St Margaret's Chapel Said Eucharist  
9am Contemporary Service  
9am & 11am Children's Ministry  
9am & 11am Nursery, in the Library  
10am Youth Breakfast & Senior Youth Group  
10am & 12pm Community connection time  
11am Sung Eucharist

## Looking ahead ...

**Sunday, June 11**—Joint 10am service, Parish BBQ

**Sunday, June 25**—Bishop Kevin Robertson presiding  
at 9am and 11am

Confirmation and baptism at 11am service  
Choral Evensong, 4:30pm

## Do You Know How To Preserve Food? Volunteers Needed!

The **Flemingdon Park Ministry Food Programme**, which we support, is working with the City of Toronto to help residents of Flemingdon Park learn to **grow and preserve healthy foods** that may be new to them. Very shortly they will be preserving rhubarb!

Rhubarb is an unknown food for most of the people who rely on the Flemingdon Community Food Bank.

### Interested in helping

**out, occasionally or more regularly?** Volunteers will be needed to help teach how to preserve all of the foods they are growing as the foods come in season. They are also planning a market in Flemingdon Park to sell in season vegetables. For more information or to volunteer, contact Linda Sparling at 416-445-7261 or [lsparling@rogers.com](mailto:lsparling@rogers.com).



## Pastoral Care

If someone you care about is sick or has died or if you would just like a pastoral visit, call the office at 416.483.6664. Outside of office hours, call 416.483.2920 to speak to the cleric on call.

### Missed an issue of The Anchor?

You can find back issues online at  
[stclements-church.org/category/programs/](http://stclements-church.org/category/programs/)

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