

Please join in singing:
Jesus remember me, when you come into your kingdom

11:40 A.M. – EASTMINSTER UNITED CHURCH

Welcome to Eastminster United Church, an Affirming Congregation. We are a diverse and welcoming community of faith, committed to seeking social justice, environmental stewardship and building community. We have an active Church School, Children and Adult Choirs, and many other groups, activities and events. Join us on Sundays at 10:30am for vibrant, engaging worship and eclectic music!
Visit www.eastminsteruc.org for more details.

Thirteenth Station: Jesus dies on the cross
(Mark 15:33-39)

Fourteenth Station: Jesus is placed in the tomb
(Mark 15:42-47)

All are invited to stay for refreshments immediately following the service.



GOOD FRIDAY ECUMENICAL SERVICE
March 25, 2016

Riverdale Presbyterian Church
Holy Name Roman Catholic Church
St. Barnabas Anglican Church
Danforth Church
Eastminster United Church

10:00 A.M. – RIVERDALE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Welcome to Riverdale Presbyterian. This congregation grew out of an ecumenical Sunday school program in this community in 1907. Over 90 years ago, Riverdale helped to found Westminster Presbyterian at Pape and Floyd, and for the past decade the two churches have worked cooperatively and shared a minister. Both congregations continue to explore ways to be faithful to our traditions while serving God in a rapidly changing world. Sunday morning worship begins at 10:00am (at Riverdale) or 11:15am (at Westminster). You will be warmly welcomed, at either location.

First Station: Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane
(Matthew 26:36-41)

Second Station: Jesus, betrayed by Judas, is arrested
(Luke 22:47-48)

Third Station: Jesus is condemned by the Sanhedrin
(Luke 22:66-71)

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10:25 A.M. – HOLY NAME CATHOLIC CHURCH

Welcome! Holy Name was built in 1924 as a place of worship for the Roman Catholics who flocked to East York after the completion of the viaduct connecting Bloor Street and Danforth Avenue. Today, the parish amounting to 350 households is served by the Holy Cross Fathers. Join us as we unite with the Danforth Ecumenical Christian Communities in a prayerful commemoration of Christ's fourteen steps on the Way of the Cross. Death on the cross reminds us that come Easter; Christ gloriously rose from the dead, as will we. Have a Blessed, joyful Easter!

Fourth Station: Peter denies Jesus

(Luke 22:54-62)

Fifth Station: Jesus is judged by Pilate

(Luke 23:13-25)

Sixth Station: Jesus is scourged and crowned with thorns

(Luke 22:63-65; John 19:2-3)

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10:50 A.M. – ST. BARNABAS ANGLICAN CHURCH

Here at St Barnabas we seek to open the heart and enliven the mind through music, literature, art and study. We offer nourishment from roots that draw on the wisdom and spiritual practice of many ages, and celebrate creativity and excellence in choral music. Discover more about being here at www.stbarnabas-toronto.com, and check for regular updates on our sign.

At 2pm this afternoon we are offering a Sacred Concert Heinrich Schutz's The Passion according to John. This unaccompanied choral setting of the scriptural text combines Gregorian austerity with flashes of dramatic intensity. All are welcome, no admission charge.

Seventh Station: Jesus takes up the cross

(John 19:16-17)

Eighth Station: Simon of Cyrene helps Jesus to carry his cross

(Luke 23:26)

Ninth Station: Jesus meets the women of Jerusalem

(Luke 23:27-31)

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11:15 A.M. – DANFORTH CHURCH

Welcome to Danforth Church! Our vision is "to live out the love of Jesus Christ" and express the kingdom of God in our relationships, work and community involvements. We value God's presence, worship, love, justice, inclusivity, healing, creativity, and service to those in need. Worship on Sundays at 11am is contemporary and participatory, and we are LGBTQ Affirming. There's a table for painting, encouragement to share or contribute, and freedom for dance and flagging. Our Wednesday Suppers are served at 6pm with drop-in starting at 4:30pm in our Danforth Café from Sept. – June with help from many community volunteers.

Visit us at: www.danforthchurch.com

Tenth Station: Jesus is crucified

(Luke 23:33, 47)

Eleventh Station: Jesus promises his Kingdom to the good thief

(Luke 23:33-34, 39-43)

Twelfth Station: Jesus on the cross, his mother and his disciple

(John 19:25-27)