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TYNDALE

University College & Seminary

FALL 2009

GRADUATION

Saturday, November 7, 2009

2:00 p.m.

The Chapel, St. Joseph's

Motherhouse, Morrow Park

3377 Bayview Avenue

Toronto, Ontario

THE HISTORY OF TYNDALE

Tyndale University College & Seminary was founded in 1894 as the Toronto Bible Training School. Later known as Toronto Bible College, it merged with London Bible Institute (established in 1935 and later known as London College of Bible and Missions) in 1968 to become Ontario Bible College. The Seminary was established in 1976. In 1998, the name Tyndale was assumed, honouring the heritage of the Father of the English Bible, William Tyndale (1494-1536). Tyndale was an English reformer who studied and translated the Scriptures with a passion for the Christian faith and a willingness to follow God no matter the cost. He is a model for scholarship, faith, and vision. In 2003, Tyndale was accorded university college status by the provincial government. In 2007, Tyndale purchased the Morrow Park property from the Sisters of St. Joseph of Toronto.

THE CREST

The Crest of Tyndale University College & Seminary displays the Greek motto *douloi Cristou*—which describes the school's vision for all students, faculty, staff, and alumni to be servants of Christ. The lantern is symbolic of Psalm 119:105: *Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path.*

THE MISSION

Tyndale is dedicated to the pursuit of truth,
to excellence in teaching, learning and research,
for the enriching of mind, heart and character,
to serve the church and the world for the glory of God.

*During the service, kindly turn off all
electronic devices and keep aisles clear.*

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PRELUDE Elizabeth Davey

Organist

PROCESSIONAL (*please stand*) Barbara Haycraft

Dean of Student Life

ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING

All creatures of our God and King,

Lift up your voice and with us sing

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou burning sun with golden beam,

Thou silver moon with softer gleam!

O praise him, O praise him!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou rushing wind that art so strong,

Ye clouds that sail in heaven along,

O praise ye! Alleluia!

Thou rising morn, in praise rejoice,

Ye lights of evening, find a voice!

O praise him, O praise him!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou flowing water, pure and clear,

Make music for thy Lord to hear,

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Thou fire so powerful and bright,

Who givest us both warmth and light!

O praise him, O praise him!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Let all things their creator bless

And worship him in humbleness,

O praise ye! Alleluia!

Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,

And praise the Spirit, Three in One!

O praise him, O praise him!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

INVOCATION (*remain standing*)

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WELCOME

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SCRIPTURE READING: ROMANS 12:1-2, 6-11 Carla Nelson
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STUDENT REFLECTIONS Justin Kerswill
Bachelor of Education

.. Joyce Badley
Master of Divinity

“MAKING A DIFFERENCE, WHEREVER YOU ARE” Donald Cousens
Mayor of Markham, 1993-2006

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN (*please stand*) Barbara Haycraft

MAY THE MIND OF CHRIST MY SAVIOR

*May the mind of Christ my Savior,
Live in me from day to day,
By his love and pow'r controlling
All I do and say.*

*May the word of God dwell richly
In my heart from hour to hour,
So that all may see I triumph
Only thro' his pow'r.*

*May the peace of God, my Father,
Rule my life in ev'rything,
That I may be calm to comfort
Sick and sorrowing.*

*May the love of Jesus fill me,
As the waters fill the sea;
Him exalting, self abasing—
This is victory.*

*May I run the race before me,
Strong and brave to face the foe,
Looking only unto Jesus
As I onward go.*

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ALL HAIL THE POWER OF JESUS' NAME

All hail the pow'r of Jesus' name!

Let angels prostrate fall;

Bring forth the royal diadem,

And crown him Lord of all;

Bring forth the royal diadem,

And crown him Lord of all

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race,

Ye ransomed from the fall,

Hail him who saves you by his grace,

And crown him Lord of all;

Hail him who saves you by his grace,

And crown him Lord of all.

Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe,

On this terrestrial ball,

To him all majesty ascribe,

And crown him Lord of all;

To him all majesty ascribe,

And crown him Lord of all.

O that with yonder sacred throng

We at his feet may fall!

We'll join the everlasting song,

And crown him Lord of all,

We'll join the everlasting song,

And crown him Lord of all.

**RECEPTION TO FOLLOW IN THE GYMNASIUM,
BALLYCONNOR CAMPUS.**

All Creatures of Our God and King, words by Francis of Assisi

May the Mind of Christ My Savior, words by Kate B. Walker

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name, words by Edward Perronet and John F. Estlin

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SPEAKERS

JUSTIN KERSWILL, BEd

Justin holds a Bachelor's degree in Sociology from Brock University. His desire to become a teacher began to materialize when he learned about the launch of the BEd program at Tyndale. In the last month of his BEd studies, an opportunity to work with a special needs student arose, an area of education of which Justin was hesitant to pursue. However, he now credits God's leading him to this student for it has opened him up to new joys and challenges. Justin is currently working with "Let's Communicate," a facility for autistic children.

JOYCE BADLEY, MDIV

Joyce is Executive Pastor of St. Paul's Bloor Street Anglican Church in downtown Toronto. A graduate of the University of Alberta and a Chartered Accountant with 20 years of experience in the charitable sector, she brings a unique mix of gifts to this role. Melding her passion for lay leadership development in the church with her professional experience, her ministry focuses on governance and leadership development as well as providing oversight to the operations of the church, including finance, facility and administration. Fueled by her studies through Tyndale's In-Ministry program, Joyce has a heart for urban ministry and for extending the reach of the Gospel to those living in the core of the city.

DONALD COUSENS, LL.D.

Dr. Cousens has served for 32 years in public office. Elected to the York County Board of Education (now the York Region District School Board) in 1972, he served as Chair in 1978-79. From 1981-1993 he was Markham's Member of Provincial Parliament (MPP) serving as Deputy Speaker, Minister of Corrections and Opposition Critic for Environment and Finance. He was elected Mayor of Markham in 1993 and served four successive terms until his retirement in 2006.

His accomplishments include establishing the Mayor's Youth Task Force, co-founding the York Technology Association—now one of the largest high-tech organizations in Canada, thus helping establish Markham as the high tech capital of Canada, introducing and supporting the Character Community initiative in York Region. Under his leadership, Markham has become one of the most celebrated and honoured communities in Canada. He continues to be involved in Markham, working on local, provincial and national projects.

He was educated at Queen's University and Knox College, is an ordained minister with the Presbyterian Church, and was awarded a Doctor of Laws in 2007 by York University.

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