

EGLINTON ST. GEORGE'S

Compassionate Justice Speaker Series

Speakers in the 2017-2018 program will continue to address a comprehensive range of social justice issues and concerns



Peter Russell Sunday, October 22, 2017 @ 12:30

Professor Emeritus of Political Science, University of Toronto

Understanding Aboriginal Peoples in a Canada based on incomplete conquests

Peter Russell believes strongly that an understanding of today's politics requires an appreciation of formative events of the past. His presentation, drawn from his latest book **Canada's Odyssey**, will serve as a clear response to the general confusion about the place of Indigenous peoples within the constitutional structure of Canada. He will revisit the assumptions Canadians hold regarding Indigenous peoples and the history and structure of the Canadian state.



Doug Saunders Sunday, November 19, 2017 @ 12:30

International Affairs Columnist, The Globe and Mail

Canada's crisis of underpopulation and its geography of inequality

Doug Saunders is the international-affairs columnist for the Globe and Mail. He served as the paper's London-based European bureau chief for a decade. Drawing on best practices he's studied across Europe and North America, he will look at what needs to be done to turn our cities into more effective platforms for immigrant integration, innovation, economic equality, ecological sustainability and population growth.



David Crombie Sunday, January 14, 2018 @ 12:30

Former Mayor of Toronto, Provincial and Federal politician, and teacher

Social Justice as a Political Priority

David Crombie has taught politics and served at three levels of government in both political and advisory capacities. He looks forward to engaging a panel of representatives from our political parties along with audience members in a hearty debate over the most urgent issues of social justice in Canada today.



Rebecca Jamieson Sunday, February 11th, 2018 @ 12:30

President of Six Nations Polytechnic

The 4 R's of Reconciliation: Recovery, Revitalization, Restoration and Reciprocity

Rebecca Jamieson, Tuscarora, is the President-CEO of Six Nations Polytechnic, a centre of excellence for indigenous community-based education at the post-secondary level. Rebecca has been involved at all levels of First Nations education in a wide range of roles. Indigenous institutes of higher learning have a unique role in reconciliation. Learning, grounded in Indigenous ways of knowing and living, facilitates the 4 R's and has the potential to contribute significantly to a sustainable future for all who share this land.

