

# The Church of Christ The King

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8:00 a.m. Sung Eucharist & Sermon



## *Feast of Christ the King*

*The last holy Sunday in the liturgical calendar, this feast day is intended to proclaim Christ's royalty over individuals, families and nations. The liturgical vestments for the day are coloured white and/or gold, in keeping with other joyous feasts honouring Christ.*

*Christ the King has dominion over all creation, not by virtue of violence, but by virtue of the sacrifice made for us. With his kingship based on loving and serving others, Christ has set a perfect example for us – the family of God.*

## ***CTK CELEBRATES FEAST OF TITLE***

***Sunday, November 26, 2017***

***Last Sunday After Pentecost***

***The Beauty of Belonging to Christ and His Church***

***To experience and share God's reconciling love***

# THE CHURCH OF CHRIST THE KING

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## **WELCOME TO EVERYONE**

*Please take a moment to TURN OFF all cell phones as the signal interferes with our sound system.*

*Thank you.*

*Our Head Usher for today is Mrs. Marcia Burton.*

## **Welcome to the church of Christ the King**

A warm Christ the King welcome to all! We invite you to turn aside for a while from the fuss of your daily employment. Leave aside the tumult of your thoughts. Lay down your heavy cares and your burdensome distractions. Let us shut out everything except God and that which can help us in seeking him.

# The Feast of Christ the King

**Leader:** The Lord be with you

All: And also with you.

## Welcome and Introduction of Service

### Preparation:

And now as we prepare for worship, let us bow our heads and hearts before Almighty God in the words of our preparation.

### Let us Pray together the Collect for Purity: Page 101 (BCP)

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known and from you no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name, through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

### Opening Prayer:

Almighty God, as we begin another Feast of Title, strengthen the hands of all who serve you here. Make our worship more worthy, our witness more effective, our lives more holy. Enrich and strengthen the bonds of our togetherness. Empower us with a deeper sense of social compassion that we may reach out to the community with sincerity and courage; and grant that your church everywhere may become a living cell of the one body of your son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**Voluntary: Choir, Banners, Wardens with wands, Altar Party enter.**

### Song of Thanksgiving: Psalm 150 Choir

1. Hallelujah! Praise God in his holy temple; \* praise him in the firmament of his power.
2. Praise him for his mighty acts; \* praise him for his excellent greatness.
3. Praise him with the blast of the ram's-horn; \* praise him with lyre and harp.
4. Praise him with timbrel and dance; \* praise him with strings and pipe.
5. Praise him with resounding cymbals; \* praise him with loud-clanging cymbals.
6. Let everything that has breath \* praise the LORD. Hallelujah!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son:\* and to the Holy Spirit As it was in the beginning is now \*and ever shall be, world without end....**Amen**

## **Proclamation**

**Leader:** The Processional hymns are CH 247 & CH 371

### **Leader: The Hymn CH 247**

*The Organ introduces the hymn:*

**Priest:** The Lord be with you:

All: And also with you:

**Priest:** Let us proceed in peace:

All: In the name of Christ our Lord:

### **The Procession begins with the singing of CH 247:**

1. At the name of Jesus  
every knee shall bow,  
every tongue confess him  
King of glory now:  
'tis the Father's pleasure  
we should call him Lord,  
who from the beginning  
was the mighty Word.
2. At His voice creation  
sprang at once to sight,  
all the angel faces,  
all the hosts of light,  
thrones and dominations,  
stars upon their way,  
all the heavenly orders,  
in their great array.
3. Humbled for a season,  
to receive a name  
from the lips of sinners  
unto whom he came,  
faithfully he bore it  
spotless to the last,  
brought it back victorious,  
when from death He passed:

4. Bore it up triumphant  
with its human light,  
through all ranks of creatures,  
to the central height,  
to the throne of Godhead,  
to the Father's breast,  
filled it with the glory  
of that perfect rest.
5. Name him, brothers, name him,  
with love as strong as death,  
but with awe and wonder  
and with bated breath;  
he is God the Saviour,  
he is Christ the Lord,  
ever to be worshipped,  
trusted, and adored.
6. In your hearts enthrone him;  
there let him subdue  
all that is not holy,  
all that is not true:  
crown him as your captain  
in temptation's hour;  
let his will enfold you  
in its light and power.
7. Brothers, this Lord Jesus  
shall return again,  
with his Father's glory,  
with his angel train;  
for all wreaths of empire  
meet upon his brow  
and our hearts confess him  
King of glory now.

### **Processional Hymn CH 371**

1. LET all the world in every corner sing,  
my God and King!  
The heavens are not too high,  
his praise may thither fly;  
the earth is not too low,  
his praises there may grow.  
Let all the world in every corner sing,  
my God and King!

2. Let all the world in every corner sing,  
my God and King!  
The church with psalms must shout,  
no door can keep them out;  
but above all the heart  
must bear the longest part.  
Let all the world in every corner sing,  
my God and King!

### **Opening Hymn: CH 383**

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heaven,  
to his feet thy tribute bring;  
ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
who like me his praise should sing?  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise the everlasting King.
2. Praise him for his grace and favour  
to our fathers in distress;  
praise him still the same as ever,  
slow to chide, and swift to bless:  
alleluia! Alleluia! Glorious in his faithfulness.
3. Father-like, he tends and spares us,  
well our feeble frame he knows;  
in his hands he gently bears us,  
rescues us from all our foes:  
alleluia! Alleluia! Widely as his mercy flows.
4. Angels, help us to adore him;  
ye behold him face to face;  
sun and moon, bow down before him,  
dwellers all in time and space:  
alleluia! Alleluia! Praise with us the God of grace.

**Opening Sentences:**

**Page 99 (BCP)**

## **Acclamation & Prayer of Intent:      Page 101 (BCP)**

### **PRESIDENT:**

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

### **ALL**

And blessed be His Kingdom, now and forever. Amen.  
Alleluia! Alleluia!

### **ALL**

Blessed Lord and Father, we have assembled in your name and in fellowship with one another. Enable us by your grace to offer the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; to proclaim and respond to your holy word. Teach us to pray for your world and your Church. Grant that we, confessing our sins, may worthily offer to you our souls and bodies as a living sacrifice and eat and drink of your spiritual food in this Holy Sacrament.      Amen.

## **The Kyries & Gloria:**

**Page 102 (BCP)**

### **THE KYRIES**

Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.  
Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

### **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

Glory to God in the highest,  
and peace to his people on earth.  
Lord God, heavenly King,  
almighty God and Father,  
we worship you, we give you thanks,  
we praise you for your glory.  
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,  
Lord God, Lamb of God,  
you take away the sin of the world:  
have mercy on us;  
you are seated at the right hand of the Father:  
receive our prayer.

**For you alone are the Holy One;  
you alone are the Lord;  
you alone are the Most High,  
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,  
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

### **THE COLLECT:**

O God our Father, whose will it is that your people should live in ordered societies; inspire the people of this nation with the spirit of justice, truth and love; and so guide our leaders, and all who make decisions on our behalf, that they may direct our affairs in righteousness and peace; that we may live in peace and harmony and to your honour and glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. **Amen.**

### **THE COLLECT: Reign of Christ The King- Page 198 (BCP)**

Almighty and everlasting God, whose will it is to restore all things in your well-beloved Son, the King of kings and Lord of lords: Mercifully grant that the peoples of the earth, divided and enslaved by sin, may be freed and brought together under His most gracious rule; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

## **MINISTRY OF THE WORD**

### **1st Lesson: Deuteronomy 8:11-20**

**READER: A reading from the word of God, written in Deuteronomy Chapter 8, beginning to read at the 11<sup>th</sup> verse.**

Take care that you do not forget the LORD your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid waste-land with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock,<sup>16</sup> and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, ‘My power and the might

of my own hand have gained me this wealth.’ But remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today. <sup>19</sup>If you do forget the LORD your God and follow other gods to serve and worship them, I solemnly warn you today that you shall surely perish. <sup>20</sup>Like the nations that the LORD is destroying before you, so shall you perish, because you would not obey the voice of the LORD your God.

*The word of the Lord*

***ALL : Thanks be to God***

**Psalm 146:1, 4-9**

**Page 662 BCP**

*(congregation remain seated)*

1. Hallelujah! Praise the LORD, O my soul! \* I will praise the LORD as long as I live; I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.
4. Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! \* whose hope is in the LORD their God;
5. Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; \* who keeps his promise for ever;
6. Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, \* and food to those who hunger.
7. The LORD sets the prisoners free; the LORD opens the eyes of the blind; \* the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;
8. The LORD loves the righteous; the LORD cares for the stranger; \* he sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked.
9. The LORD shall reign for ever, \* your God, O Zion, throughout all generations. Hallelujah!

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son:\* and to the Holy Spirit

As it was in the beginning is now \*and ever shall be, world without end....**Amen**

**Anthem by the Choir: I will sing with the Spirit**

## 2nd Lesson: Hebrews 11:8-16

READER: A reading from the word of God, written in Hebrews Chapter 11, beginning to read at the 8<sup>th</sup> verse.

By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to set out for a place that he was to receive as an inheritance; and he set out, not knowing where he was going. By faith he stayed for a time in the land he had been promised, as in a foreign land, living in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. For he looked forward to the city that has foundations, whose architect and builder is God. By faith he received power of procreation, even though he was too old-and Sarah herself was barren-because he considered him faithful who had promised. Therefore from one person, and this one as good as dead, descendants were born, 'as many as the stars of heaven and as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore.' All of these died in faith without having received the promises, but from a distance they saw and greeted them. They confessed that they were strangers and foreigners on the earth, for people who speak in this way make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. If they had been thinking of the land that they had left behind, they would have had opportunity to return. But as it is, they desire a better country, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; indeed, he has prepared a city for them.

*The word of the Lord*

***ALL : Thanks be to God***

### Gradual Hymn:

**CH 754 vs 1, 3, 4. 5.**

1. Jesus calls us o'er the tumult  
of our life's wild, restless sea;  
day by day his sweet voice soundeth,  
saying, "Christian, follow me!"
3. Jesus calls us from the worship  
of the vain world's golden store,  
from each idol that would keep us,  
saying, "Christian, love me more!"
4. In our joys and in our sorrows,  
days of toil and hours of ease,  
still he calls, in cares and pleasures,  
that we love him more than these!

*(Final verse after Gospel)*

**The Gospel: Mark 12:13-17**

*(Congregation remain standing for the Gospel)*

**PRIEST:** The Lord be with you

**ALL:** **And also with you**

**PRIEST:** The Holy Gospel according to Mark Chapter 12  
beginning to read at the 13<sup>th</sup> verse

**ALL :** **Glory to Christ our Saviour**

Then they sent to him some Pharisees and some Herodians to trap him in what he said. And they came and said to him, ‘Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and show deference to no one; for you do not regard people with partiality, but teach the way of God in accordance with truth. Is it lawful to pay taxes to the emperor, or not? Should we pay them, or should we not?’ But knowing their hypocrisy, he said to them, ‘Why are you putting me to the test? Bring me a denarius and let me see it.’ And they brought one. Then he said to them, ‘Whose head is this, and whose title?’ They answered, ‘The emperor’s.’ Jesus said to them, ‘Give to the emperor the things that are the emperor’s, and to God the things that are God’s.’ And they were utterly amazed at him.

*PRIEST :This is the Gospel of Christ*

*ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord*

**Gradual Hymn:**

**CH 754 (Final Verse)**

5. Jesus calls us! By thy mercies,  
Saviour, make us hear thy call  
give our hearts to thine obedience,  
serve and love thee best of all.

**THE SERMON:**

**REFLECTION: Mr. Cleveland Inniss** *(No applause please)*

**We believe in one God,  
the Father, the Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth,  
of all that is seen or unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,  
the only Son of God,  
eternally begotten of the Father,  
God from God, Light from Light,  
true God from true God,  
begotten, not made,  
one in Being with the Father.  
Through him all things were made.  
For us and for our salvation  
he came down from heaven:  
by the power of the Holy Spirit  
he was born of the Virgin Mary,  
and became man.**

**For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;  
he suffered, died and was buried.  
On the third day he rose again  
in fulfilment of the Scriptures;  
He ascended into heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
He will come again in glory to judge  
the living and the dead,  
and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the Lord, the giver of life,  
who proceeds from the Father.  
With the Father and the Son  
he is worshipped and glorified.  
He has spoken through the Prophets.**

**We believe in one holy catholic  
and apostolic Church.**

**We acknowledge one baptism  
for the forgiveness of sins.**

**We look for the resurrection of the dead.  
and the life of the world to come.**

**Amen.**

## The Bidding Prayer:

### The Intercessions: Form H (Page 120 BCP)

LEADER

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

*Silence*

LEADER Lord, in your mercy

**ALL Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honour one another and serve the common good.

*Silence*

LEADER Lord, in your mercy

**ALL Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honour and glory.

*Silence*

LEADER Lord, in your mercy

**ALL Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

*Silence*

LEADER Lord, in your mercy

**ALL Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

*Silence*

LEADER Lord, in your mercy

**ALL Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

*Silence*

LEADER Lord, in your mercy

**ALL Hear our prayer.**

*The President adds a concluding Collect.*

## **The Act of Penitence:**

**Page 123 (BCP)**

PRESIDENT

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

*A period of silence shall be kept.*

Let us therefore confess our sins.

### **FORM A**

**ALL:**

**Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and one another, in thought, word and deed, and in what we have left undone. We are sorry and repent of all our sins. For your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your Name. *Amen***

### **FORM B**

**Most Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we have not loved ourselves as we ought. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. *Amen.***

### **THE ABSOLUTION:**

**Page 124 (BCP)**

**PRESIDENT**

Almighty God, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**ALL:           Amen.**

## THE GREETING OF PEACE:

Page 124/125 (BCP)

### FORM A

PRESIDENT

We are the body of Christ. By the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, and have all been made to drink of the one Spirit.

**ALL**

**Let us then pursue the things that make for peace and build up the common life.**

### FORM B

PRESIDENT

If you are offering your gift at the altar, and there remember that your brother has something against you,

**ALL**

**Leave your gift there before the altar and go; first be reconciled to your brother, and then come and offer your gift.**

### FORM C

PRESIDENT

The Kingdom of God is justice, peace, and joy, inspired by the Holy Spirit.

**ALL**

**They who thus serve Christ are acceptable to God and approved by others.**

*The President shall then greet the congregation.*

PRESIDENT

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**ALL And also with you.**

*The President and people shall greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

## Peace Song:

*Let us join hands*

*Let's join hands and show we love Barbados  
Let's join hands and show how much we care  
Young and old we work with one another  
For the freedom which we hold so dear  
Let us raise our voices with thanksgiving  
For the many blessings which have come our way  
Let's join hands and thank the Lord for living  
On this Independence Day*

## Independence Presentation: 'Barbados Ah Come From'

- Bajan Brass - Joseph Niles Medley
- Dance - Psalm 150 Dance Ministry
- Choir & Sing Along - God bless Bim on Independence Day & Barbados ah come from

### **GOD BLESS BIM ON INDEPENDENCE DAY**

God bless Bim on Independence Day  
Independence Day  
Independence Day  
God bless Bim on Independence Day  
God bless Bim we hope and pray!

Barbados land of sun, Barbados land of sea  
Barbados means the world to me.

God bless Bim on Independence Day  
Independence Day  
Independence Day  
God bless Bim on Independence Day  
God bless Bim we hope and pray!

This little little island in the middle of the sea  
in the middle of the sea  
in the Caribbean Sea  
This little little island in the middle of the sea  
It means the world to me!

God bless Bim on Independence Day  
Independence Day  
Independence Day  
God bless Bim on Independence Day  
God bless Bim we hope and pray!

Let's all sing a song of praise to Him  
A song of praise to Him  
A song of praise to Him  
Let's all sing a song of praise to Him  
on Independence Day!"

God bless Bim on Independence Day  
Independence Day  
Independence Day  
God bless Bim on Independence Day  
God bless Bim we hope and pray!

### **BARBADOS, AH COME FROM**

Everywhere I go, people want to know, how I happy so:  
Why? Barbados ah come from (repeat)  
Everywhere I go, people want to know how I smiling so:  
Why? St. George ah come from  
Why? St. John ah come from  
And everywhere I been, people wandering why I like to sing  
St Thomas, St. Thomas, ah come from..St. Peter, St. Peter ah come from

Everywhere I go, people want to know why I friendly so:  
Oh, Mount Friendship ah come from Oh..friendly hall ah come from  
Everytime ah try, try to climb horse hill and ah fall back down, why?  
Is town I come from,  
Oh St. Michael ah come from  
Everywhere I go, people want to know how I sweet sweet so:  
Why? Sugar Hill ah come from..  
Why? St. Joseph ah come from  
And everywhere I go, people want to know how I lively so:  
St. Lucy, St. Lucy ah come from..St. Andrew, St. Andrew ah come from

And when I go to church people wandering how I religious so:  
Amen! Christ Church ah come from.. oh, Christ Church ah come from  
An when I open my mouth people always ask how ah talking so:  
Why? St. Philip ah come from.  
Why? St. James ah come from.  
Everywhere I go, people want to know how I happy so:  
Why? Barbados ah come from..  
Why? Barbados ah come from  
And everywhere I go, people want to know how I happy so:  
Barbados Barbados ah come from.. Barbados Barbados ah come from..  
Barbados Barbados..... ah come from

### Offertory Hymn:

CH 254

1. Immortal love for ever full,  
for ever flowing free,  
for ever shared, for ever whole,  
a never-ebbing sea!
2. Our outward lips confess the name  
all other names above;  
love only knoweth whence it came  
and comprehendeth love.
3. We may not climb the heavenly steps  
to bring the Lord Christ down;  
in vain we search the lowest deeps,  
for him no depths can drown:
4. But warm, sweet, tender, even yet  
a present help is he;  
and faith has still its Olivet,  
and love its Galilee.
5. The healing of his seamless dress  
is by our beds of pain;  
we touch him in life's throng and press,  
and we are whole again.
6. Through him the first fond prayers are said  
our lips of childhood frame;  
the last low whispers of our dead  
are burdened with his name.

*(Final verse after the Offertory Prayer)*

## **The Offertory Prayer:**

**Page 126 (BCP)**

PRESIDENT AND PEOPLE,

**Father, we offer to you these gifts which you have given us; this bread, this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and our work, to become through your Holy Spirit a reasonable, holy, and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of your love; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **The Offertory Hymn:**

***CH 254 (Final verse)***

7. Alone, O Love ineffable,  
thy saving name is given;  
to turn aside from thee is hell,  
to walk with thee is heaven.

## **THE EUCHARIST**

### **Sursum Corda: (The Lord be with you) Page 126/127 (BCP)**

PRESIDENT            The Lord be with you.  
ALL                    **And also with you.**

PRESIDENT            Lift up your hearts.  
ALL                    **We lift them up to the Lord.**

PRESIDENT            Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
ALL                    **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

PRESIDENT

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give you thanks,  
Father Almighty, everlasting God:

### **The Proper Preface: (DEDICATION FESTIVAL) Page 130 (BCP)**

For your blessings on this house of prayer, where we are stirred to faithful witness,  
and are built by your Spirit into a temple made without hands, even the body of your  
Son, Jesus Christ.

## **Sanctus: (Holy, Holy, Holy)**

**Page 131 (BCP)**

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

**ALL**

**Holy, holy, holy, Lord,  
God of power and might;  
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest!**

## **The Eucharistic Prayer D:**

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**PRESIDENT**

All glory, praise, and thanksgiving be unto you, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God, you created the world and all mankind, and in your tender mercy gave your only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon Him, and to suffer death upon the cross, for our redemption. He made there, by His own oblation of Himself once offered, a full, perfect, and sufficient sacrifice, oblation and satisfaction for the sins of the whole world; and He instituted, and in His holy Gospel commanded us to continue, a perpetual memory of His precious death, until His coming again.

Hear us, O merciful Father, we most humbly beseech you; and be pleased to accept, bless and sanctify these gifts and creatures of bread and wine, that they may be for us the Body and Blood of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

For, on the night He was betrayed  
He took bread, and when He had given thanks to you,  
He broke it and gave it to His disciples and said:  
"Take this, and eat it:  
This is my Body which is given for you.  
Do this for the remembrance of me".

And after supper He took the cup of wine:  
and when He had given thanks,  
He gave it to them and said:  
"Drink this, all of you:  
This is my Blood of the New Covenant,  
which is shed for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins,  
Whenever you drink it,  
do this for the remembrance of me."

PRESIDENT

In faith we acclaim You, O Christ

**ALL:**

**Dying You destroyed our death;**

**Rising You restored our life;**

**Christ Jesus, come in glory.**

Now therefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we your servants with all your holy people, having in remembrance the blessed passion, mighty resurrection, and glorious ascension of your beloved Son, do offer unto your Divine Majesty this Bread of eternal life and this Cup of everlasting salvation, rendering thanks to you for the wonderful redemption which you have made possible for us in Him.

And we beseech you O Father, to accept upon your heavenly altar this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; and to grant that by the merits and death of your Son Jesus Christ, and through faith in His blood, we and all your whole Church may obtain remission of our sins and all other benefits of His passion.

And we pray that by the power of your Holy Spirit all who shall be partakers of this holy Communion may be filled with your grace and heavenly benediction, and be numbered in the glorious company of your Saints.

And here we offer and present unto you O Lord, ourselves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy and lively sacrifice

And although we are unworthy to offer unto you any sacrifice, yet we beseech you to accept this, our bounden duty and service, not weighing our merits but pardoning our offenses;

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory be unto you, O Father Almighty, throughout all ages, world without end.

ALL:     **Amen.**

### **The Lord's Prayer:**

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PRESIDENT

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

**ALL**

**Our Father in heaven,  
    hallowed be your Name,  
    your kingdom come,  
    your will be done,  
    on earth as in heaven.**

**Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins  
    as we forgive those who sin against us.**

**Save us from the time of trial  
    and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours  
now and for ever. Amen.**

### **The Breaking of the Bread:**

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PRESIDENT

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**ALL**

**Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.**

*or*

PRESIDENT

God of promise, You have prepared a Banquet for us.

**ALL**

**Happy are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.**

*or*

PRESIDENT

This is the true bread which comes from heaven.

**ALL**

**Whoever eats this bread will live forever.**

**The Agnus Dei: (Lamb of God)**

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**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:**

**have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:**

**have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world:**

**grant us peace.**

**Invitation to Communion:**

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**FORM A**

PRESIDENT

My brothers and sisters in Christ, draw near and receive His Body which He gave for you, and His Blood, which He shed for you. Remember that He died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving.

**ALL**

**Grant gracious Lord, that we may so eat the flesh of your dear Son, Jesus Christ and drink His blood, that we may evermore dwell in Him and He in us. Amen.**

## FORM B

### PRESIDENT

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

### ALL

**Our souls will feast and be satisfied, and we will sing glad songs of praise to Him.**

## FORM C

### PRESIDENT

Draw near and receive the Body and blood of our Saviour Jesus Christ with faith and thanksgiving.

### ALL

**We do not presume to come to this your table, most merciful Father, trusting in our own righteousness, but only in your boundless mercy. We are not even worthy to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the Lord ever the same, ever merciful. Grant therefore Lord of grace and love that we may so eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ and drink his blood that with bodies and souls made clean from every stain of sin we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us.**

## The Administration of Communion:

*During the singing of the Communion Hymns, we invite to the Lord's Table all those persons who are communicant members in this church and in their respective churches. "Please remember to place your arms across your chest if you are taking communion by intinction, that is, by the Priest dipping the bread into the wine."*

## Communion Hymn: **MP 296**

1. I stand amazed in the presence  
Of Jesus the Nazarene,  
And wonder how He could love me,  
A sinner, condemned, unclean.

### ***Chorus:***

*Oh How marvelous! Oh How wonderful!  
And my song shall ever be;  
How marvelous! How wonderful!  
Is my Savior's love for me!*

2. For me it was in the garden  
He prayed, "Not My will, but Thine."  
He had no tears for His own griefs,  
But sweat drops of blood for mine.

***Chorus:***

*Oh How marvelous! Oh How wonderful!  
And my song shall ever be;  
How marvelous! How wonderful!  
Is my Savior's love for me!*

3. In pity angels beheld him,  
And came from the world of light  
To comfort him in the sorrows  
He bore for my soul that night.

***Chorus:***

4. He took my sins and my sorrows,  
He made them His very own.  
He bore the burden to Calvary,  
And suffered and died alone.

***Chorus:***

5. When with the ransomed in glory  
His face I at last shall see,  
'Twill be my joy through the ages  
To sing of His love for me.

***Chorus:***

**Communion Hymn: RH 156**

1. There is a name I love to hear,  
I love to sing its worth,  
I would like music in mine ear,  
The sweetest name on earth.

***Chorus:***

*O how I love Jesus,  
O how I love Jesus,  
O how I love Jesus  
Because He first loved me.*

2. It tells me of a Saviour's love,  
Who died to set me free,  
It tells me of His precious blood,  
The sinner's perfect plea.

***Chorus:***

*O how I love Jesus,  
O how I love Jesus,  
O how I love Jesus  
Because He first loved me.*

3. It bids my trembling soul rejoice,  
And dries each rising tear;  
It tells me in a still small voice,  
To trust and never fear.

***Chorus:***

4. Jesus, the name I love so well,  
The name I love to hear,  
No saint on earth its worth can tell,  
No heart conceive how dear.

***Chorus:***

5. This name shall shed its fragrance still  
Along this thorny road,  
Shall sweetly smooth the rugged hill  
That leads me up to God.

***Chorus:***

6. And there, with all the blood-bought throng,  
From sin and sorrow free,  
I'll sing the new eternal song  
Of Jesus' love to me.

***Chorus:***

**Communion Hymn: MP 450**

1. I was sinking **deep in** sin,  
sinking to rise no more,  
overwhelmed by guilt within,  
mercy I did implore.  
Then the Master of the sea  
heard my despairing cry,  
Christ my Saviour lifted me,  
now safe am I.

***Refrain***

*Love lifted me!  
Love lifted me!  
When no-one but Christ could help,  
love lifted me!  
Love lifted me!  
Love lifted me!  
When no-one but Christ could help,  
love lifted me!*

2. Souls in danger, look above,  
Jesus completely saves;  
He will lift you by His love  
out of the angry waves.  
He's the Master of the sea,  
billows His will obey;  
He your Saviour wants to be,  
be saved today!

***Refrain***

3. When the waves of sorrow roll,  
when I am in distress,  
Jesus takes my hand in His,  
never He loves to bless.  
He will every fear dispel,  
satisfy every need;  
all who heed His loving call,  
find rest indeed.

***Refrain***

**Communion Hymn: CH 522**

1. I am thine, O Lord, I have heard thy voice,  
and it told thy love to me;  
but I long to rise in the arms of faith,  
and be closer drawn to thee.

***Refrain***

*Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,  
to the cross where thou hast died,  
draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,  
to thy precious, bleeding side.*

2. Consecrate me now to thy service, Lord,  
by the power of grace divine;  
let my soul look up with a steadfast hope,  
and my will be lost in thine.

***Refrain***

*Draw me nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,  
to the cross where thou hast died,  
draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessed Lord,  
to thy precious, bleeding side.*

3. Oh, the pure delight of a single hour  
that before thy throne I spend,  
when I kneel in prayer, and with thee, my God,  
I commune as friend with friend!

***Refrain***

4. There are depths of love that I cannot know  
till I cross the narrow sea;  
there are heights of joy that I may not reach  
till I rest in peace with thee

***Refrain***

*During the singing of the next hymn, all children who are not confirmed are invited  
to the Altar for a Blessing.*

**Hymn for the Blessing & Recommitment:**

**CH 667**

1. Saviour, like a shepherd lead us,  
much we need thy tenderest care;  
in thy pleasant pastures feed us,  
for our use thy folds prepare.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus,  
thou has bought us, thine we are;  
blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
thou has bought us, thine we are.

2. We are thine; do thou befriend us,  
be the guardian of our way;  
keep thy flock, from sin defend us,  
seek us when we go astray.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
hear, oh hear us when we pray;  
blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
hear, oh hear us when we pray.
3. Thou hast promised to receive us,  
poor and sinful though we be;  
thou hast mercy to relieve us,  
grace to cleanse, and power to free.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
let us early turn to thee.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
let us early turn to thee.
4. Early let us seek thy favour,  
early let us do thy will;  
blessed Lord and only Saviour,  
with thy love our bosoms fill.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
thou hast love us, love us still.  
Blessed Jesus, blessed Jesus  
thou hast love us, love us still.

**Post Communion Prayer:**

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**ALL**

**Almighty Father,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the Body and Blood  
of your Son Jesus Christ.  
May we who share His Body  
live His risen life; we who drink His cup  
bring life to others;  
we upon whom your Spirit shines give light to the world.**

**Help us to continue in faithful witness to your Word,  
so we and all your children shall be free,  
and the whole earth live to praise your Name,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*or*

**Eternal God and Heavenly Father,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.  
Send us now into the world in peace,  
and grant us strength and courage  
to love and serve you and all persons in you,  
with gladness and singleness of heart,  
through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

*or*

**Almighty and everliving God,  
we thank you for feeding us  
with the spiritual food  
of the most precious Body and Blood  
of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ;  
and for assuring us in these holy mysteries  
that we are living members  
of the Body of your Son,  
and heirs of your eternal kingdom.  
And now, Father, send us out  
to do the work you have given us to do,  
to love and serve you as faithful witnesses  
of Christ our Lord.  
To Him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit,  
be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen**

.....  
.....the Blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

**ALL Amen.**

**Additional Notices and Announcements:**

**Hymn of Eucharistic Thanksgiving: CH 351**

1. Thy hand, O God, has guided  
thy flock, from age to age;  
the wondrous tale is written,  
full clear, on every page;  
our fathers owned thy goodness,  
and we their deeds record;  
and both of this bear witness:  
One church, one faith, one Lord.
  
2. Thy heralds brought glad tidings  
to greatest, as to least;  
they bade men rise, and hasten  
to share the great King's feast;  
and this was all their teaching,  
in every deed and word,  
to all alike proclaiming  
One church, one faith, one Lord.
  
3. When shadows thick were falling,  
and all seemed sunk in night,  
thou, Lord, didst send thy servants,  
thy chosen sons of light.  
on them and on thy people  
thy plenteous Grace was poured,  
and this was still their message:  
One church, one faith, one Lord.

4. Through many a day of darkness,  
through many a scene of strife,  
the faithful few fought bravely,  
to guard the nation's life.  
Their Gospel of redemption,  
sin pardoned, man restored,  
was all in this enfolded:  
One church, one faith, one Lord.
  
5. And we, shall we be faithless?  
Shall hearts fail, hands hang down?  
Shall we evade the conflict,  
and cast away our crown?  
Not so: in God's deep counsels  
some better thing is stored;  
we will maintain, unflinching,  
One church, one faith, one Lord.
  
6. Thy mercy will not fail us,  
nor leave thy work undone;  
with thy right hand to help us,  
the victory shall be won;  
and then, by men and angels,  
thy name shall be adored,  
and this shall be their anthem:  
One church, one faith, one Lord.

## **DISMISSAL**

**PRESIDENT:**

The Lord be with you

**ALL:**

**And also with you.**

**PRESIDENT**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**ALL:**

**In the name of Christ. Amen.**

## The National Pledge

I pledge allegiance  
to my country  
Barbados   
And to my ,  
To uphold  
and defend  
their honor,  
and by my living  
to do credit to  
my nation  
wherever I go.

## The National Anthem

In plenty and in time of need  
When this fair land was young  
Our brave forefathers sowed the seed  
From which our pride is sprung  
A pride that makes no wanton boast  
Of what it has withstood  
That binds our hearts from coast to coast  
The pride of nationhood

### *Chorus*

*We loyal sons and daughters all  
Do hereby make it known  
These fields and hills beyond recall  
Are now our very own  
We write our names on history's page  
With expectations great  
Strict guardians of our heritage  
Firm craftsmen of our fate*

The Lord has been the people's guide  
For past three hundred years  
With him still on the people's side  
We have no doubts or fears  
Upward and onward we shall go  
Inspired, exulting, free  
And greater will our nation grow  
In strength and unity

***Chorus***

*We loyal sons and daughters all  
Do hereby make it known  
These fields and hills beyond recall  
Are now our very own  
We write our names on history's page  
With expectations great  
Strict guardians of our heritage  
Firm craftsmen of our fate*

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***If you were blessed and enjoyed our service  
Tell and bring others  
Help them experience God's reconciling  
Love for themselves and then share it with others.***

## *Holy Days*

### **Feast of Christ the King**

The last holy Sunday in the liturgical calendar, this feast day is intended to proclaim Christ's royalty over individuals, families and nations. The liturgical vestments for the day are coloured white and/or gold, in keeping with other joyous feasts honouring Christ.

Christ the King has dominion over all creation, not by virtue of violence, but virtue of the sacrifice made for us. With his kingship based on loving and serving others, Christ has set a perfect example for us - the family of God.

## *The Saints this Week*

**St. Andrew, the Apostle:** One of the 12 apostles and brother of St. Peter, Andrew is considered to be the founder and first bishop of the church of Byzantium (modern day Istanbul). The New Testament records that Andrew, a former disciple of John the Baptist, was the first apostle called by Christ. St. Andrew is venerated on November 30. It is the first feast day in the Proper of Saints. The liturgical colour is red and the collect for the day can be found on page 182 in the BCP.

## *Around the Diocese*

### **Patronal Festival**

The St. Andrew Parish Church will be celebrating its Patronal Festival during the period November 26 to December 3, 2017 under the theme "Beacons of Christ presence in the Community - Being a Personal Witness".

### **Advent Laity Quiet Day**

The Annual Advent Laity Retreat will take place on December 9, 2017 at Codrington College beginning at 9:30 a.m. The Quiet Day will be led by the Reverend Ian Calridge, Priest in Charge of St. Bartholomew Church. All Anglicans are invited to share in this spiritual exercise. Please bring a packed lunch.

## *Congratulations*

Congratulations to Mrs. Cynthia Clarke on her 60th Anniversary of Confirmation. May God continue to bless her.

## Happy Birthday

Mr. Evans McCollin	Sun	Nov 26	Dr. Adrian Lorde	Tues	Nov 28
Mrs. Hyacinth Small	Mon	Nov 27	Mrs. Gail J'N Pierre	Tues	Nov 28
Mrs. Elva Grazette-Johnson	Tues	Nov 28			

## Happy Birthday - Children

Mia Gaskin	Tuesday	November 28	(16 yrs)
Kamani Cox	Wednesday	November 29	(13 yrs)

## Happy Anniversary



Mr. Leo Belle & Mrs. Marcelyn Belle	Thursday	Nov 30	(22 yrs)
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### Our Prayer List

Please remember and pray for those who are travelling.

Please remember and pray for those who are in hospital:

Please remember and pray for those who are recuperating: *Grafton Brathwaite, Cecile Isaacs*

#### **Please remember those who have requested the prayers of the Church:**

*Vincent Callendar, Coral Yearwood, Arlene Brooks, Edlin Chandler, Ruth Greaves, Joyce Clarke, Esther Hurley, Margo Hamblin, Ventris Gooding, Yolanda Franklyn, Bernard Sealey, Itheil (Jimmy) Adams, Mr. & Mrs. Sylvester Jones, Carmen Shepherd, Seibert Scantlebury, Henderson Hinds, Elsie Clarke, Alexis Alleyne,*

#### **Please remember and pray for those who are sick & shut-in:**

*Ometa Allamby, Erma Babb, Eric Best, Grafton & Doreen Brathwaite, Isolene Mason, Marjorie McCollin, Marge Walke, Tony Whittaker, Maureen Workman, Patricia Lorde (Snr.), Agnes Mars, Anita Skeete.*

#### **Please remember and pray for those who grieve:**

*The family of the late Rose-Ann Whittaker, Maureen Blaggrove and family on the death of her father Lauriston Crichlow; Wayne Hall & family on the death of his grandmother. We remember all those who have died. May the Almighty God, who gave them life, take them back to himself and grant them eternal peace.*

### **BEREAVEMENT & SUPPORT GROUP**

The next meeting of the Bereavement & Support Group is scheduled for Monday, November 20, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. At this meeting there will be an Independence quiz.

## Calendar for the Week Ahead

### **MONDAY 27th November**

#### **Priest's Sabbath**

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Children's Breakfast Prog.

### **TUESDAY 28th November**

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Children's Breakfast Prog.

### **WEDNESDAY 29th November**

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Children's Breakfast Prog.

### **THURSDAY 30th November**

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Children's Breakfast Prog.

6:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

### **FRIDAY 1st December**

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Children's Breakfast Prog.

4:30 p.m. - Friday School

7:30 p.m. - Youth Group

### **SATURDAY 2nd December**

3:00 p.m. - Reading Club

**NEXT SUNDAY, 3rd December, 2017**

**FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT - YEAR B**

**8:00 a.m. Sung Eucharist & Sermon**

**10:30 a.m. Sunday School**

#### **READINGS:**

Isaiah 64: 1-9 / Psalm 80: 1-7, 16-18 / 1 Corinthians 1: 3-9

Gospel: Mark 13: 24-37

## ***A Word of Encouragement***

***Being a member of a family is a priceless membership that we pay nothing for but love.***

***Jim Stovall***

## **DECEMBER 2017**

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>**

**CTK Children's Christmas Party**

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Sing-A-Long Service**

8:00 a.m. Sung Eucharist & Sermon/ 10:30 a.m. Sunday School

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Sunday School Christmas Programme**