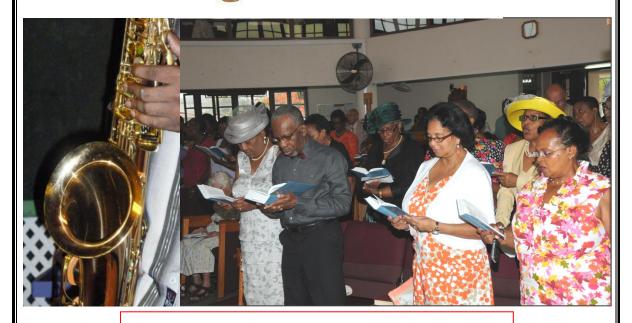
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WELCOME TO EVERYONE

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. Wendy Blackman.

Worship Tips & Gentle Reminders

During the Eucharist whenever the Priest and the Eucharistic Minister go into the congregation to administer the Plessed Sacrament, the sanctuary bells are rung. This signals that the sacrament is to be administered in the congregation. The entire congregation should reverently bow in their places while the sacrament is being administered to persons who take their communion as they sit.

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

And now as we prepare for worship, let us bow our heads and hearts before Almighty God as Mr. Roger Gittens & Friends lead us in our Preparation

Collect for Purity:

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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

Introit Hymn:

CH 167

- Come, see the place where Jesus lay, And hear angelic watchers say, "He lives, who once was slain: Why seek the living midst the dead? Remember how the Saviour said That he would rise again."
- joyful sound! O glorious hour,
 When by his own Almighty power
 He rose and left the grave!
 Now let our songs his triumph tell,
 Who burst the bands
 of death and hell,
 And ever lives to save.
- The First-begotten of the dead,
 For us he rose, our glorious Head,
 Immortal life to bring;
 What though the saints
 like him shall die,
 They share their Leader's victory,
 And triumph with their King.

4. No more they tremble at the grave, For Jesus will their spirits save, And raise their slumbering dust O risen Lord, in thee we live, To thee our ransomed souls we give, To thee our bodies trust.

Opening Sentences:

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Easter

Alleluia. The Lord is risen indeed. Come let us adore Him. Alleluia.

Or

On this day the Lord has acted; we will rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24

Acclamation & Prayer of Intent:

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PRESIDENT:

Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

ALL

And blessed be His Kingdom, now and for ever. 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

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Here may follow:

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:

Second Sunday of Easter: Page 169 BCP

Almighty and everlasting God, who in the Paschal mystery established the new covenant of reconciliation: Grant that all who have been reborn into the fellowship of Christ's Body may show forth in their lives what they profess by their faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

Saint Philip and Saint James

Almighty God, who gave to your apostles Philip and James grace and strength to bear witness to the truth: Grant that we, being mindful of their victory of faith, may glorify in life and death the Name of our Lord Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

1ST Lesson: Genesis 8: 6-16, 9: 8-16

Mrs. Ayo Burrowes

 6 At the end of forty days Noah opened the window of the ark that he had made 7 and sent out the raven; and it went to and fro until the waters were dried up from the earth. 8 Then he sent out the dove from him, to see if the waters had subsided from the face of the ground; ⁹but the dove found no place to set its foot, and it returned to him to the ark, for the waters were still on the face of the whole earth. So he put out his hand and took it and brought it into the ark with him. ¹⁰He waited another seven days, and again he sent out the dove from the ark; ¹¹ and the dove came back to him in the evening, and there in its beak was a freshly plucked olive leaf; so Noah knew that the waters had subsided from the earth. ¹²Then he waited another seven days, and sent out the dove; and it did not return to him any more. ¹³In the six hundred and first year, in the first month, on the first day of the month, the waters were dried up from the earth; and Noah removed the covering of the ark, and looked, and saw that the face of the ground was drving. ¹⁴In the second month, on the twenty-seventh day of the month, the earth was dry. ¹⁵Then God said to Noah, ¹⁶'Go out of the ark, you and your wife, and your sons and your sons' wives with you. 8Then God said to Noah and to his sons with him, 9'As for me, I am establishing my covenant with you and your descendants after you, ¹⁰ and with

every living creature that is with you, the birds, the domestic animals, and every animal of the earth with you, as many as came out of the ark. ¹¹I establish my covenant with you, that never again shall all flesh be cut off by the waters of a flood, and never again shall there be a flood to destroy the earth.' ¹²God said, 'This is the sign of the covenant that I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all future generations: ¹³I have set my bow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign of the covenant between me and the earth. ¹⁴When I bring clouds over the earth and the bow is seen in the clouds, ¹⁵I will remember my covenant that is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall never again become a flood to destroy all flesh. ¹⁶When the bow is in the clouds, I will see it and remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is on the earth.'

This is the word of the Lord

ALL: Thanks be to God

Psalm 118: 19-24 Page 626 BCP

19. Open for me the gates of righteousness; * I will enter them; I will offer thanks to the LORD.

- 20. "This is the gate of the LORD; * he who is righteous may enter."
- 21. I will give thanks to you, for you answered me * and have become my salvation.
- 22. The same stone which the builders rejected * has become the chief cornerstone.
- 23. This is the LORD'S doing, * and it is marvelous in our eyes.
- 24. On this day the LORD has acted; * we will rejoice and be glad in it.

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 forever....**Amen**

2ND Lesson: 1 Peter 1: 3-9 Mr. Keith Padmore

³Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

⁴and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, ⁷so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. ⁸Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, ⁹for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls..

This is the word of the Lord ALL: Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn:

1. Love's redeeming work is done; fought the fight, the battle won: lo, our Sun's eclipse is o'er, lo, he sets in blood no more.

- 2. Vain the stone, the watch, the seal; Christ has burst the gates of hell; death in vain forbids his rise; Christ has opened paradise.
- 3. Lives again our glorious King; where, O death, is now thy sting? Dying once, he all doth save; where thy victory, O grave?
- 4. Soar we now where Christ has led, following our exalted Head; made like him, like him we rise; ours the cross, the grave, the skies.

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The Gospel: John 20: 19-31

PRIEST: The Lord be with you

ALL: And also with you

PRIEST: The Holy Gospel according to John Chapter 20, beginning to read at the

19th verse

ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour

¹⁹When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' 20 After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. ²¹Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' ²²When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. ²³If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained. ²⁴But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.' ²⁶A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' ²⁷Then he said to Thomas. 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' ²⁸Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' ²⁹Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.' 30 Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. ³¹But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

PRIEST : The Gospel of Christ

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord

Gradual Hymn:

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5. Hail the Lord of earth and heaven! praise to thee by both be given: thee we greet triumphant now; hail, the resurrection thou!

THE SERMON:

Reflection: (No applause please) Mr. Roger Gittens & Friends

The Nicene Creed:

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: Fr. Jay

Intercessions: Form C (Page 108) Mrs. Kiana Hall

LEADER

With all our heart and all our mind let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

LEADER

For the peace from above, for the loving kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For the peace and welfare of the world, for the witness and work of the Church, and for

the unity of all peoples:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For our Bishops and all ministers of God's Word and Sacraments, that they may be filled with truth and love and be found without fault at the Lord's coming:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For the leaders of the nations and for those in authority among us, that they may serve justice and promote the freedom and dignity of all peoples:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For the victims of hunger, fear, injustice and oppression, and for all who labour in the cause of human liberation and fulfilment:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For the sick, the suffering, the sorrowful, and the dying; and for all who remember and care for them:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For deliverance from the ravages of hurricane, earthquake, drought or flood, and for a just and proper use of God's creation:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

For ourselves and all who confess the name of Christ, that we may show forth the excellencies of Him who called us out of darkness into His marvellous light:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

LEADER

That with all His servants who have served Him here and are now at rest we may enter into the fullness of His unending joy:

Let us pray to the Lord.

ALL: Lord, have mercy.

Silence may be kept.

ALL

O Lord our God, accept the fervent prayers of your people in the multitude of your mercies. Look with compassion on us and all who turn to you for help; for you are gracious O Lord of love, and to you we give glory, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, now and for ever. Amen.

The Act of Penitence:

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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.

PRESIDENT:

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*

OR

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:

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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:

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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 your 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.

The Peace Song:

Bind us together Lord

Bind Us Together Lord,
bind us together
with cords that cannot be broken;
Bind us together, Lord
Lord bind us together,
O bind us together with love

There is only one God, there is only one King, There is only one body that is why we sing Bind us together......

Made for the glory of God, purchased by His precious Son. Born with the right to be clean, For Jesus the victory is won.

Bind us together.....

You are the family of God, You are the promise divine, You are God's chosen desire You are the glorious new wine. Bind us together......

Selection:

Mr. Roger Gittens & Friends

Offertory Hymn:

CH163

- Alleluia, Aleluia!
 Hearts to heaven and voices raise:
 sing to God a hymn of gladness,
 sing to God a hymn of praise.
 He, who on the cross a victim,
 for the world's salvation bled,
 Jesus Christ, the King of Glory,
 now is risen from the dead.
- 2. Christ is risen, Christ, the first fruits of the holy harvest field, which will all its full abundance at his second coming yield: then the golden ears of harvest will their heads before him wave, ripened by his glorious sunshine from the furrows of the grave.
- 3. Christ is risen, we are risen!
 Shed upon us heavenly grace,
 rain and dew and gleams of glory
 from the brightness of thy face;
 that we, with our hearts in heaven,
 here on earth may fruitful be,
 and by angel-ands be gathered,
 and be ever, Lord, with thee.
- 4. Alleluia, alleluia!
 Glory be to God on high;
 Alleluia! to the Saviou
 who has gained the victory;
 Alleluia! to the Spirit,
 fount of love and sanctity:
 Alleluia, Aleluia!
 to the Triune Majesty.

THE EUCHARIST

The Offertory Prayer: Page 126

В

PRESIDENTAND 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*.

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

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 him thanks and praise.

PRESIDENT

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

Easter

But chiefly are we bound to praise you for the glorious resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; for he is the true Paschal Lamb, who was sacrificed for us, and has taken away the sin of the world. By his death he has destroyed death, and by his rising to life again he has won for us eternal life.

Sanctus: (Holy, Holy, Holy)

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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 C

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PRESIDENT

We give thanks to you Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son.

For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary,

In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

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 body 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

Therefore, Father, according to his command,

ALL

We remember his death
We proclaim his resurrection
we await his coming in glory.

PRESIDENT

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and eve.

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.

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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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.

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.

Communion Hymns: Mr. Roger Gittens & Friends

CH 549 CH 590 CH 606 CH 589

Communion Hymn

CH549

Refrain:

Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call; hear, O Lord, and have mercy My soul is longing for the glory of you. O hear, O Lord, and answer me.

Every night before I sleep
I pray my soul to take,
Or else I pray that loneliness
is gone when I awake

Refrain

Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call; hear, O Lord, and have mercy My soul is longing for the glory of you. O hear, O Lord, and answer me

2. Why do I no longer feel like I've a place to stay?

O take me where someone will care, So fear will go away.

Refrain

Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call; hear, O Lord, and have mercy My soul is longing for the glory of you. O hear, O Lord, and answer me

 In you, O Lord, I place my cares and all my troubles, too.
 O grant, dear Lord, that someday soon I'll live in peace with you.

Refrain

Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call; hear, O Lord, and have mercy My soul is longing for the glory of you. O hear, O Lord, and answer me

Communion Hymn

- 1. Hosanna to the living Lord!
 Hosanna to the Incarnate Word,
 to Christ, Creator, Saviour, King,
 let earth, let heaven hosanna sing,
 hosanna in the highest!
- Saviour, with protecting care abide in this thy house of prayer, where we thy parting promise claim, assembled in thy sacred name. Hosanna in the highest!
- 3. But, chiefest, in our cleansèd breast, Eternal, bid thy Spirit rest; and make our secret soul to be a temple pure and worthy thee. Hosanna in the highest!

CH590

4. To God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit, Three in One, be honour, praise, and glory given by all on earth and all in heaven. Hosanna in the highest!

Communion Hymn

- Lord, accept the alms we offer, tokens of our love to thee; out of grateful hearts we render this our act of charity; even though full well we know all we have to thee we owe.
- 2. Use them, Father, to thy glory, teach us fully how to give, for his sake who leaving heaven gave us all that we might live all we have could not suffice to repay his sacrifice.
- 3. Now the priest upon the altar doth present the bread and wine, to become, in wondrous manner, for our souls the food divine: soul and body by thee fed, praise we give for daily bread.
- 4. With our alms and our oblations take, O Lord, our prayers of love; make thy church in fullest concord serve as one, below, above; and in fellowship complete reach at last thy mercy-seat.

CH 606

Communion Hymn

CH 589

Repeat the last line of each verse when using the tune Old 124th.

- Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face; here faith would touch and handle things unseen; here grasp with firmer hand the eternal grace, and all my weariness upon thee lean.
- 2. Here would I feed upon the bread of God; here drink with thee the royal wine of heaven; here would I lay aside each earthly load; here taste afresh the calm of sin forgiven.
- 3. I have no help but thine; nor do I need another arm save thine to lean upon: it is enough, my Lord, enough indeed; my strength is in thy might, thy might alone.

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 184

 This joyful Eastertide, away with care and sorrow!
 My Love, the Crucified, hath sprung to life this morrow.

Refrain:

Had Christ, that once was slain, ne'er burst his three-day prison, our faith had been in vain; but now is Christ arisen, arisen, arisen, arisen.

 Death's flood hath lost its chill, since Jesus crossed the river: Lord of all life, from ill my passing life deliver,

Refrain:

3. My flesh in hope shall rest, and for a season slumber, till trump from east to west shall wake the dead in number.

Refrain

Hymn for the Blessing & Recommitment:

CH 174

- The Lord is risen indeed!
 Now is His work performed;
 now is the might captive freed,
 And death's strong castle stormed..
- The Lord is risen indeed!
 Then hell has lost his prey;
 With Him is risen the ransomed seed
 To reign in endless day.
- The Lord is risen indeed!
 He lives, to die no more;
 He lives, the sinner's cause to plead,
 Whose curse and shame He bore.
- 4. The Lord is risen indeed! Attending angels, hear! Up to the courts of heaven with speed The joyful tidings bear.
- Then take your golden lyres,
 And strike each cheerful chord;
 Join, all ye bright celestial choirs,
 To sing our risen Lord.

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 our fellow men
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

Final Blessing (EASTER)

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Easter Day to Eve of Ascension

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the eternal covenant, make you perfect in every good work to do His will, working in you that which is well-pleasing in His sight; and the blessing ...

or

The God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, make you perfect in every good work to do His will; and the blessing ...

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:

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The day of resurrection!
 Earth, tell it out abroad;
 The Passover of gladness,
 the Passover of God.

 From death to life eternal,
 from earth unto the sky,
 Our Christ hath brought us over,
 with hymns of victory.

- 2. Our hearts be pure from evil, that we may see aright
 The Lord in rays eternal of resurrection light;
 And listening to His accents, may hear, so calm and plain,
 His own "All hail!" and, hearing, may raise the victor strain.
- 3. Now let the heavens be joyful! and earth the song begin! the round world keep high triumph, and all that is therein!

 Let all things seen and unseen their notes of gladness blend,

 For Christ the Lord hath risen, our joy that hath no end.

DISMISSAL AND BENEDICTION

Out in the high-ways and by-ways of life, Many are weary and sad;
Carry the sunshine where darkness is rife, Making the sorrowing glad.

Make me a blessing, make me a blessing, Out of my life May Jesus shine; Make me a blessing, O Saviour, I pray, Make me a blessing to some-one today.

Tell the sweet story of Christ and His love Tell of His power to forgive, Others will trust Him if only you prove True, every moment you live. Make me a blessing......

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

Saints' Days

St. Mark the Evangelist: Mark the Evangelist is traditionally recognized as the author of the gospel of Mark. As one of the evangelists, St. Mark is symbolized by the winged lion. It signifies that Christians should be courageous on the path of salvation. St. Mark is venerated on April 28th.

St. George, Patron of England, Martyr: St. George is the patron saint of England and his cross forms the national flag of England and is featured within the Union Jack. St. George is commemorated on April 29th.

Catherine of Siena: Is one of the two patron saints of Italy, Catherine of Siena is commemorated on April 29th. St. Catherine joined the Third Order of St. Dominic and dedicated much of her life to helping the ill and poor.

St. Philip and St. James, Apostles: The feast of St. Philip; along with St. James is observed on May 1st They were among the Twelve Apostles of Jesus. While not much is known about St. James, there are two stories in St. John's gospel that mention Philip.

Athanasíus, Bíshop: Also referred to as St. Athanasíus the Great was the 20th bishop of Alexandría. He is considered to be a renowned Christian theologian and staunch defender of the doctrine of the Trinity against Arianism. St. Athanasíus is venerated on May 2nd.

Liturgical Notes

Do you know why the Sundays within the Easter Season are referred to as the Sunday of Easter instead of the Sunday in Easter? Eastertide is a festal season which is celebrated as a single joyful feast, indeed as the "great Lord's Day!"

This is the beginning of a new season of grace, a time of joy and thanksgiving. Easter is a fifty day celebration where we rejoice at new beginnings, salvation renewed and humanity restored to the Lord.

Bible Readings for the Upcoming week

	Ex 14:21-31	Ps 1,2,3	
Monday	1 Pet 1:1-12	Jn 14: (1-7)8-17	
Tuesday	Ex 15:1-21	Ps 5,6	
	1 Pet 1:13-25	Jn 14:18-31	
Wednesday	Ex 15:22-16:10	Ps 119:1-24	
	1 Pet 2:1-10	Jn 15:1-11	
Thursday	Ex 16:10-22	Ps 18:1-20	
	1 Pet 2:11-25	Jn 15:12-27	
Friday	Ex 16:23-36	Ps 16, 17	
	1 Pet 3:13-4:6	Jn 16:1-15	
Saturday	Ex 17:1-16	Ps 20, 21:1-7(8-14)	
	1 Pet 4:7-19	Jn 16:16-33	



The Choir hosts its ANNUAL FISH FRY

on

Saturday, 10th May, 2014 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the Church grounds *ADMISSION*:

Adults: \$20.00; Children under 12 years: \$15.00

Fellowship! Fun! Food

Christ The King
Annual Fun Walk
Join us
On Thursday, May 1st, 2014
Walk begins at 5:45 a.m.



Route: from the Church's car park, along Cave Hill main road to Hinds Hill, down University Hill to the roundabout, west along Highway 1 and ends at the Folkstone Park, St. James.

Registration \$5.00

Breakfast will be served.

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Feast of Title

St. Mark Anglican Church will be celebrating its Feast of Title during the week of Sunday, April 27 to Sunday, May 4, 2014. This year the theme is "Renewed in strength for God's Ministry". The members of the Choir are specially invited on May 4 at 6:00 p.m.

Patronal Festival

St. Philip Parish Church celebrate their Patronal Festival from Sunday, April 27 to May 4, 2014. The theme is "Spiritual Renewal—Renewing our commitment to serving others". All are invited.



We thank Mrs. Jean Drayton for her donation towards flowers. May God continue to bless her.

Happy Birthday

Mr. Ronald Cummins	Sun	April	27
Mrs. Audrey Brathwaite	Sun	April	27
Mrs. Hyacinth Lorde	Sun	April	27
Mr. Dario Howard	Sun	April	27

Happy Anniversary

Mr. Ovid Applewhite & Mrs. Pauline Grazette-Applewhite Tues April 29 (29 yrs)
Mr. Carlisle Brathwaite & Mrs. Vanita Brathwaite Tues April 29 (32 yrs)

Christ the King Shirts

All prices will include cost of shirt, logo and VAT.

Gent & ladies polos all sizes	\$ 39.00
Gents short sleeves shirts sizes 14.5 - 18.5.	\$ 55.00
Ladies short sleeves shirts sizes XXS - 2Xl.	\$ 55.00
Ladies short sleeves shirts sizes 3XL - 4XL.	\$ 57.00
Gents short sleeves size 19.5	\$ 57.00
Ladies short sleeves sizes 5XL - 6XL	\$ 60.50
Ladies long sleeves sizes XXS-2XL	\$ 56.00
Gents long sleeves sizes 14.5 -18.5	\$ 56.00
Gents long sleeves size. 19.5	\$ 59.50
Ladies long sleeves 3XL - 4XL	\$ 59.50
Ladies long sleeves 5XL - 6XL	\$ 63.00

All Monies must be paid before orders are placed.

Colours of the Season

If you look around the church, you will notice that the colour for Easter is Gold. Gold symbolizes what is precious, majestic and joyous. Gold also symbolizes the presence of God, the renewal of hope granted through the resurrection of Jesus. Look around the church, at the Altar frontal, the Priest's and the Eucharistic minister's vestments and the choir scarf's. They are all Gold.

LOOKING AHEAD

APRIL 2014

Mon 28th NATIONAL HEROES DAY (NATIONAL HOLIDAY)

MAY 2014

Thurs 1st CTK Fun Walk

Sun 4th 3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER

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

Wed 7th 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Sat 10th 4:30 p.m. CTK Annual Fish Fry

Sun 11th 4th SUNDAY OF EASTER (MOTHER'S DAY)

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

HOME & FAMILY WEEK BEGINS

Wed 14th 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Sun 18th **5th SUNDAY OF EASTER**

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

ANNUAL SESSION OF SYNOD

Wed 21st 12:05 p.m. Holy Eucharist

SPECIAL PRAYERS

O God merciful and compassionate, who art always ready to hear the prayers of those who put their trust in you, Graciously attend to us who call upon you, And grant us your help in this our time of need, Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Prayer List

Please remember and pray for those who are travelling.

Please remember and pray for those who are in hospital: *Joyce Babb*Please remember and pray for those who are recuperating: *Grafton Brathwaite*,

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

Ena Hollingsworth, Seibert Scantlebury, Cecile Isaacs, Henderson Hinds, Inez Carter, Clevedon Mayers, Claudina (Vashti) Hunte, Adele Lewis, Cynthia Clarke, Elma Hood, Evelyn Reid, Elsie Clarke, Isolene Mason, Rudolph Gill, Cedric McCarthy, Daniel Watson, Warren Conliff, Elaine Springer, Alexis Alleyne, and Edlin Chandler.

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

Ometa Allamby, Erma Babb, Joyce Babb, Eric Best, Marjorie Bonnett, Grafton & Doreen Brathwaite, Isolene Mason, Isolene Maloney, Marjorie McCollin, Marge Walke, Tony Whittaker, Maureen Workman, Evelyn Reid,

Please remember and pray for those who grieve:

The Grimes family on the death of Mr. Theophilus Grimes; the Bascombe family on the death of Mrs. Esmé Bascombe; the Jemmott family on the death of Ms. Arlene Jemmott; Mrs. Sandra Yearwood-Nelson on the death of her mother-in-law. We remember all those who have died. May the Almighty God, who gave them life, take them back to himself and grant them

PLEASE NOTE

It would be appreciated if the Church Office could be notified or the information entered into Fr. Jay's blue book when parishioners return from travelling, or when they have returned to health and should be removed from the sick list. If you wish to be remembered in our prayers, but do not wish to have the information published in the bulletin, please so indicate.

Calendar for the Week Ahead

MONDAY 28th April

National Heroes Day - Bank Holiday

TUESDAY 29th April

6:00 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Children's Breakfast Prog. 5:00 p.m. - Line Dancing Eden Lodge

WEDNESDAY 30th April

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

NO MID-WEEK MASS

THURSDAY 1st May

Bank Holiday - Labour Day

FRIDAY 2nd May

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

4:30 p.m. - Friday School

6:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsals

7:30 p.m. - Youth Group

SATURDAY 3rd May

3:00 p.m. Reading Club

SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2014

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR A

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

READINGS

Isaiah 43: 1-12 / Psalm 116: 10-17 / 1 Peter 1: 17-23 / Gospel: Luke 24: 13-35

A Word of Encouragement

The Resurrection gives my life meaning and direction and the opportunity to start over, no matter what my circumstances.

Robert Flatt

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