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Prayer For Peace

Almighty God, kindle we pray, in every heart the true love of peace and guide with your wisdom those who take counsel for the nations of the earth, that in tranquility your dominion may increase until the earth is filled with the knowledge of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

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Third Sunday After Pentecost

Celebrating Our Spirituality

To experience and share God's reconciling love

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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 .

Worship Tips & Gentle Reminders

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.

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME

Leader: The Lord be with you

All: **And also, with you**

INTRODUCTION OF SERVICE:

The Leader welcomes the congregation and introduces the service

PREPARATION

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

*Dearest Jesu, we are here
at thy call, thy presence owning.
Pleading now with holy fear
that great sacrifice atoning.
Word incarnate, much in wonder,
on this mystery we ponder.*

*Jesu, strong to save, the same;
yesterday, today, forever.
Make us fear and love thy name,
serving thee with best endeavour.
In this life, O ne'er forsake us;
but to bliss hereafter take us.*

Leader :Let us Pray together the Collect for Purity: *Page 101*

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 392

When morning gilds the skies

1. When morning gilds the skies,
my heart awaking cries:
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Alike at work and prayer,
to Jesus I repair:
May Jesus Christ be praised!
2. Whene'er the sweet church bell
peals over hill and dell,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
O hark to what it sings,
as joyously it rings,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
3. My tongue shall never tire
of chanting with the choir,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
This song of sacred joy,
it never seems to cloy,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
4. Does sadness fill my mind?
A solace here I find,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Or fades my earthly bliss?
My comfort still is this,
May Jesus Christ be praised!
5. The night becomes as day
when from the heart we say:
May Jesus Christ be praised!
The powers of darkness fear
when this sweet chant they hear:
May Jesus Christ be praised!
6. Be this, while life is mine,
my canticle divine:
May Jesus Christ be praised!
Sing this eternal song
through all the ages long:
May Jesus Christ be praised

Opening Sentence:

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When the Spirit comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, even the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness to me; and you also are witnesses, because you have been with me from the beginning. *John 15:26,27*

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: Third Sunday after Pentecost- (Proper 5) Pg 173 BCP.

O God, from whom all good proceeds: Grant that by your inspiration we may think those things that are right, and by your merciful guiding may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

Amen.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

1ST Lesson: Genesis 3: 8-15

Mr. Arleigh Cobham

They heard the sound of the Lord God walking in the garden at the time of the evening breeze, and the man and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God among the trees of the garden. But the Lord God called to the man, and said to him, 'Where are you?' He said, 'I heard the sound of you in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.' He said, 'Who told you that you were naked? Have you eaten from the tree of which I commanded you not to eat?' The man said, 'The woman whom you gave to be with me, she gave me fruit from the tree, and I ate.' Then the Lord God said to the woman, 'What is this that you have done?' The woman said, 'The serpent tricked me, and I ate.' The Lord God said to the serpent, 'Because you have done this, cursed are you among all animals and among all wild creatures; upon your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life. I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and hers; he will strike your head, and you will strike his heel.'

This is the word of the Lord

ALL : Thanks be to God

Psalm 130

(Congregation remain seated)

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1. Out of the depths have I called to you, O LORD; LORD, hear my voice; * let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication.
2. If you, LORD, were to note what is done amiss, * O Lord, who could stand?
3. For there is forgiveness with you; * therefore you shall be feared.
4. I wait for the LORD; my soul waits for him; * in his word is my hope.
5. My soul waits for the LORD, more than watchmen for the morning, * more than watchmen for the morning.
6. O Israel, wait for the LORD, * for with the LORD there is mercy;

7. With him there is plenteous redemption, * and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

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*

2ND Lesson: 2 Corinthians 4: 13-5: 1

Eucharistic Minister

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—‘I believed, and so I spoke’—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God. So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal. For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

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

Gradual Hymn: CH 539

Take my life and let it be

1. Take my life, and let it be
consecrated, Lord, to thee;
take my moments and my days,
let them flow in ceaseless praise.
2. Take my hands, and let them move
at the impulse of thy love;
take my feet, and let them be
swift and beautiful for thee.

3. Take my voice, and let me sing
always, only, for my King;
take my lips and let them be
filled with messages from thee.
4. Take my silver and my gold;
not a mite would I withhold;
take my intellect, and use
every power as thou shalt choose.
5. Take my will, and make it thine;
it shall be no longer mine;
take my heart: it is thine own;
it shall be thy royal throne.

(Last verse (6) will be sung after the Gospel)

The Gospel: Mark 3: 20-35 *(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 23, beginning at the 20th verse

ALL: **Glory to Christ our Saviour**

The crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man; then indeed the house can be plundered. 'Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have

forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin’ — for they had said, ‘He has an unclean spirit. ‘Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, ‘Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.’ And he replied, ‘Who are my mother and my brothers?’ And looking at those who sat around him, he said, ‘Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.’

PRIEST :The Gospel of Christ

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord

Gradual Hymn: CH 539

(Final verse- 6)

6. Take my love; my Lord, I pour
at thy feet its treasure-store;
take myself, and I will be
ever, only, all for thee...

THE SERMON:

Reflection: *In my life, Lord,*

*In my life, Lord,
be glorified, be glorified;
In my life, Lord,
be glorified today.*

*In your Church, Lord,
be glorified, be glorified;
In your Church, Lord,
be glorified today.*

**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:

Intercessions:

Form D

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Mrs. Caseline Gumbs

LEADER

Our Heavenly Father has promised through our Lord Jesus Christ to hear us when we pray in faith. Let us therefore pray for the Church and the World, and let us thank God for His goodness.

Silence may be kept.

LEADER

We pray for the Church of God in every place; especially for this Diocese, our Bishop _____ and all the people of God.

ALL

Strengthen your Church to carry forward the work of Christ; that we and all who confess your Name may unite in truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory to the world.

LEADER

We pray for our country and for all the nations of the world, especially _____; and for all peoples in their various callings.

ALL

Direct this nation and all nations in the ways of justice and truth. Give wisdom to all in positions of public trust and authority; that they may promote the prosperity, godliness and peace of your people everywhere.

LEADER

We pray for our own community, for this parish, for our families, friends, and all who live and work with us.

ALL

Give grace to all our friends and neighbours in Christ, that we may serve Him in one another and grow together in His love.

LEADER

We pray for the poor, the sick, the unemployed, the handicapped; all who have requested our prayers and all who seek the prayers of the Church in their time of trouble.

ALL

Give healing and strength to all who suffer in body, mind or spirit. Give them courage and hope in their troubles and sustain all who remember and care for them.

LEADER

We commemorate the departed, especially _____

ALL

We commend all people to your unfailing love, that in them your will may be fulfilled; and we rejoice at the faithful witness of your saints in every age, praying that we may share with them in your eternal kingdom.

Silence may be kept.

LEADER

Accept these prayers, O Lord our God, for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.
Amen.

ALL **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 greets the congregation.

The Peace Song:

Let there be love shared among us,

Let there be love shared among us,

Let there be love in our eyes;

Let there be love shared among us,

Let there be love in our eyes;

May now your love sweep this nation,

cause us, O Lord, to arise:

Give us a fresh understanding,

of brotherly love that is real;

Let there be love shared among us,

let there be love.

Offertory Hymn:

CH 383

Praise my soul, the King of heaven

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.

(Final verse will be sung after the Offertory Prayer)

THE EUCHARIST

The Offertory Prayer:

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B

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.

Offertory Hymn: CH 383 *(Final verse)*

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.

Sursum Corda: (The Lord be with you)

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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:

The Proper Preface:

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Pentecost

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. In fulfilment of his true promise, the Holy Spirit came down (on this day) from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to your Church the power to serve you as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations.

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**

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,
to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world.

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.

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."

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 ever.

PEOPLE: 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. "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: CH 572

Be still my soul for God is near

1. Be still, my soul! for God is near!
The great High Priest is with thee now;
The Lord of life himself is near,
before whose face the angels bow.
2. To make thy heart his lowly throne
thy Saviour God in love draws nigh;
he gives himself unto his own,
for whom he once came down to die.
3. He pleads before the mercy-seat;
he pleads with God; he pleads for thee;
he gives thee bread from heaven to eat,
his flesh and blood in mystery.
4. I come, O Lord! For thou dost call -
to blend my pleading prayer with thine;
to thee I give myself - my all,
and feed on thee and make thee mine.

Communion Hymn: CH 583

Faithful Shepherd feed me

1. Faithful Shepherd, feed me
in the pastures green;
faithful Shepherd, lead me
where thy steps are seen.
2. Hold me fast, and guide me
in the narrow way;

so, with thee beside me,
I shall never stray.

3. Daily bring me nearer
to the heavenly shore;
make my faith grow clearer,
may I love thee more.
4. Hallow every pleasure,
every gift and pain;
be thyself my treasure,
though none else I gain.
5. Day by day prepare me
as thou seest best,
then let angels bear me
to thy promised rest.

Communion Hymn: CH 589

Here O Lord, I see thee face to face

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

1. 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

Communion Hymn: CH 617*Once, only once and once for all*

1. ONCE, only once, and once for all,
His precious life He gave;
Before the Cross our spirits fall,
And own it strong to save.
2. “One offering, single and complete,”
With lips and heart we say;
But what He never can repeat
He shows forth day by day.
3. For, as the priest of Aaron’s line
Within the Holiest stood,
And sprinkled all the mercy-shrine
With sacrificial blood;
4. So He, Who once atonement wrought,
Our Priest of endless power,
Presents Himself for those He bought
In that dark noontide hour.
5. His Manhood pleads where now it lives
On heaven’s eternal Throne,
And where in mystic rite He gives
Its Presence to His own.
6. And so we show Thy death, O Lord,
Till Thou again appear;
And feel, when we approach Thy Board,
We have an Altar here.
7. All glory to the Father be,
All glory to the Son,
All glory, Holy Ghost, to Thee,
While endless ages run.

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 643

Christ who once amongst us

1. Christ, who once amongst us
as a child did dwell,
is the children's Saviour,
and he loves us well;
if we keep our promise
made him at the font,
he will be our Shepherd,
and we shall not want.
2. There it was they laid us
in those tender arms,
where the lambs are carried
safe from all alarms;
if we trust his promise,
he will let us rest
in his arms for ever,
leaning on his breast.
3. Though we may not see him
for a little while,
we shall know he holds us,
often feel his smile;
death will be to slumber
in that sweet embrace,
and we shall awaken
to behold his face.
4. He will be our Shepherd
after as before,
by still heavenly waters
lead us evermore;
make us lie in pastures
beautiful and green,
where none thirst or hunger,
and no tears are seen.

5. Jesus, our Good Shepherd,
laying down thy life,
lest thy sheep should perish
in the cruel strife,
help us to remember
all thy love and care,
trust in thee and love thee
always, everywhere.

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

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Pentecost

The spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the word and works of God; and 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 314

God of mercy God of grace

1. God of mercy, God of grace,
show the brightness of thy face.
Shine upon us, Saviour, shine,
fill thy Church with light divine,
and thy saving health extend
unto earth's remotest end.
2. Let the people praise thee, Lord;
be by all that live adored.
Let the nations shout and sing
glory to their Saviour King;
at thy feet their tribute pay,
and thy holy will obey.
3. Let the people praise thee, Lord;
earth shall then her fruits afford;
God to man his blessing give,
man to God devoted live;
all below, and all above,
one in joy, and light, and love.

DISMISSAL:

Leader: The Lord be with you

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord

All **In the name of Christ our Saviour**

BENEDICTION : *Praise God from whom all blessing flow*

*Praise God from whom all blessing flow,
praise Him all creatures here below.*

*Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts,
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.*

*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. Barnabas

Barnabas was one of the earliest Christian disciples in Jerusalem. He was born Joseph but given the name Barnabas, which means Son of Encouragement by the apostles. By following the account of his life and actions in the New Testament, it is clear how he rightly deserved that name. St. Barnabas is venerated on June 11th.

NOTICES

PARISH NOTICES

Outstanding Fish Fry Tickets

The Coordinator of the Annual Fish Fry, Mrs. Sandra Yearwood-Nelson is asking persons to bring in all ticket monies so that this event can be brought to a close.

Line Dancing

Line Dancing Classes, to be held in the Parish Centre on Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m starting June 27, 2018. Interested persons please speak to Mrs. Sandra Yearwood-Nelson.

PATRONAL FESTIVALS

St. Alban

The St. Alban's Church will be observing its annual Patronal Festival from Sunday, June 17th to Sunday, June 24th, 2018. The Festival theme is "*Here I am Lord*". All are invited.

St. Anne

The St. Anne Church invites all to share in their Patronal Festival during the period June 22 to 29, 2018. The theme for the celebration is "*Renewal, Deeper Commitment to Christ and Service to Humankind*"

We rejoice with and pray God's blessings on:

Happy Birthday

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| <i>Mr. Cleveland Odle</i> | <i>Sun</i> | <i>June 10</i> |
| <i>Mrs. Angela Davis</i> | <i>Wed</i> | <i>June 13</i> |
| <i>Mr. Barney Brathwaite</i> | <i>Thurs</i> | <i>June 14</i> |
| <i>Mrs. Haddassah Allamby-Holder</i> | <i>Sat</i> | <i>June 16</i> |

Children Birthday

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| <i>Daquan Prescod</i> | <i>Mon</i> | <i>June 11</i> | <i>(8 yrs)</i> |
| <i>Kyla Deane</i> | <i>Sat</i> | <i>June 16</i> | <i>(15 yrs)</i> |

Happy Wedding Anniversary

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| <i>Mr. Rawle Gibson & Mrs. Juliet Osbourne-Gibson</i> | <i>Sat</i> | <i>June 16</i> | <i>(6 yrs)</i> |
| <i>Mr. Michael Waithe & Mrs. Claire Waithe</i> | <i>Sat</i> | <i>June 16</i> | <i>(34 yrs)</i> |

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:

PLEASE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE RECUPERATING:

Grafton Brathwaite, Cecile Isaacs

PLEASE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE REQUESTED THE PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:

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| <i>Stanley Medford,</i> | <i>Monica Downes,</i> | <i>Joyce Fitt,</i> | <i>Althea Sealy,</i> |
| <i>Elsie Clarke,</i> | <i>Vincent Callendar,</i> | <i>Coral Yearwood,</i> | <i>Edlin Chandler,</i> |
| <i>Joyce Clarke,</i> | <i>Esther Hurley,</i> | <i>Alexis Alleyne,</i> | <i>Margo Hamblin,</i> |
| <i>Ventris Gooding,</i> | <i>Yolanda Franklyn,</i> | <i>Bernard Sealey,</i> | <i>Jimmy Adams,</i> |
| <i>Norma Douglas</i> | <i>Mr. & Mrs. Sylvester Jones,</i> | | <i>Henderson Hinds,</i> |
| <i>Seibert Scantlebury,</i> | <i>Lorna Thompson</i> | <i>Jason Sealey</i> | |

PLEASE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK & SHUT-IN:

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| <i>Omota Allamby,</i> | <i>Erma Babb,</i> | <i>Grafton & Doreen Brathwaite,</i> | |
| <i>Marjorie McCollin,</i> | <i>Marge Walke,</i> | <i>Isolene Mason,</i> | <i>Agnes Mars,</i> |
| <i>Anita Skeete,</i> | <i>Tony Whittaker,</i> | <i>Maureen Workman</i> | <i>Patricia Lorde (Snr)</i> |
| <i>Ruth Greaves,</i> | <i>Carmen Shepherd,</i> | <i>Alison Stanton.</i> | <i>Eric Best,</i> |

PLEASE REMEMBER AND PRAY FOR THOSE WHO GRIEVE:

Tony Bourne & Family on the death of his wife Cecily Bourne;

Ms. Peta Alleyne & Family on the death of her mother Lillian Jeane Alleyne

Mr. Romel Crawford & family on the death of his brother, Glen Jones.

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.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY 11th June

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

Priest's Sabbath

TUESDAY 12th June

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

WEDNESDAY 13th June

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

12:05 p.m.

Midweek Mass

THURSDAY 14th June

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

6:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

FRIDAY 15th June

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

4:30 p.m. - Friday School

7:30 p.m. - Youth Group

SATURDAY 16th June

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Reading Club

LOOKING AHEAD

June 2018

Wednesday 20th

Midweek Mass

Sunday 24th

Fifth Sunday After Pentecost - **Proper 6B**

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

10:30 a.m. Sunday School

Wednesday 27th

Midweek Mass

NEXT SUNDAY, 17th June, 2018

FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST PROPER 6B

Sung Eucharist & Sermon

8:00 a.m.

Sunday School

10:00 a.m.

READINGS:

1 Samuel 15:34-16:13 or Ezekiel 17: 22-24 / Psalm 20 or 92 /

2 Corinthians 5: 6-17

Gospel: Mark 4: 26-34

A Word of Encouragement

Don't gain the world and lose your soul,

wisdom is better than silver or gold.

Bob Marley

Please remember that the deadline for information to be included in the Sunday Bulletin is on Wednesday, 3:00 p.m. so this can be programmed into the Electronic Ministry System