

# The Church of Christ The King

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8:00 a.m. Sung Eucharist & Sermon



*CTK Reading Club's end of term picnic at St George V Park  
and visit to Marizayra Sanctuary on July 06, 2019.*

**Sunday, July 28, 2019**

**Seventh 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. Lydia Jemmott.*

### Worship tips and gentle reminders

During the Eucharist whenever the Priest and the Eucharistic Minister go into the congregation to administer the Blessed 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.

# Sung Eucharist & Sermon

## ORDER OF SERVICE

**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.

*Bless the Lord, O my soul:*

*And all that is within me, bless his holy name.*

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*And all that is within me, bless his holy name.*

*He has done great things, he has done great things,*

*He has done great things, bless his holy name.*

#### 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:

## **Introit Hymn: CH 390**

1. We praise thee, O God, for the Son of thy love,  
for Jesus who died and is now gone above.

### ***Refrain:***

*Hallelujah! Thine the glory, hallelujah! Amen,  
hallelujah! Thine the glory, revive us again.*

2. We praise thee, O God, for thy spirit of light,  
who has shown us our Saviour, and scattered our night.

### ***Refrain:***

*Hallelujah! Thine the glory, hallelujah! Amen,  
hallelujah! Thine the glory, revive us again.*

3. All glory and praise to the Lamb that was slain,  
who has borne all our sins and has cleansed every stain

### ***Refrain:***

*Hallelujah! Thine the glory, hallelujah! Amen,  
hallelujah! Thine the glory, revive us again.*

4. Revive us again, fill each heart with thy love,  
may each soul be rekindled with fire from above.

### ***Refrain:***

*Hallelujah! Thine the glory, hallelujah! Amen,  
hallelujah! Thine the glory, revive us again.*

## **Opening Sentence:**

**Page 99 (BCP)**

### **Pentecost**

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:      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 Seventh Sunday After Pentecost - Page 176 (BCP)**

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: Increase and multiply upon us your mercy, that, with you as our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we lose not the things eternal; 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 18:18-32**

Miss Decara Prescod

**READER: A reading from the word of God, written in Genesis Chapter 18, beginning to read at the 18<sup>th</sup> verse.**

Then the LORD said, "How great is the outcry against Sodom and Gomorrah and how very grave their sin! I must go down and see whether they have done altogether according to the outcry that has come to me; and if not, I will know." So the men turned from there, and went toward Sodom, while Abraham remained standing before the LORD. Then Abraham came near and said, "Will you indeed sweep away the righteous with the wicked? Suppose there are fifty righteous within the city; will you then sweep away the place and not forgive it for the fifty righteous who are in it? Far be it from you to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from you! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do what is just?" And the LORD said, "If I find at Sodom fifty righteous in the city, I will forgive the whole place for their sake." Abraham answered, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord, I who am but dust and ashes. Suppose five of the fifty righteous are lacking? Will you destroy the whole city for lack of five?" And he said, "I will not destroy it if I find forty-five there." Again he spoke to him, "Suppose

forty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of forty I will not do it." Then he said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak. Suppose thirty are found there." He answered, "I will not do it, if I find thirty there." He said, "Let me take it upon myself to speak to the Lord. Suppose twenty are found there." He answered, "For the sake of twenty I will not destroy it." Then he said, "Oh do not let the Lord be angry if I speak just once more. Suppose ten are found there." He answered, "For the sake of ten I will not destroy it."

*The word of the Lord*

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

## **Psalm 138**

## **Page 653 BCP**

*(congregation remain seated)*

1. I will give thanks to you, O LORD, with my whole heart; \* before the gods I will sing your praise.
2. I will bow down toward your holy temple and praise your Name, \* because of your love and faithfulness;
3. For you have glorified your Name \* and your word above all things.
4. When I called, you answered me; \* you increased my strength within me.
5. All the kings of the earth will praise you, O LORD, \* when they have heard the words of your mouth.
6. They will sing of the ways of the LORD, \* that great is the glory of the LORD.
7. Though the LORD be high, he cares for the lowly; \* he perceives the haughty from afar.
8. Though I walk in the midst of trouble, you keep me safe; \* you stretch forth your hand against the fury of my enemies; your right hand shall save me.
9. The LORD will make good his purpose for me; \* O LORD, your love endures for ever; do not abandon the works of your hands.

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: Colossians 2:6-19

Miss. Mia Gaskin

**READER: A reading from the word of God, written in Colossians Chapter 2, beginning to read at the 6<sup>th</sup> verse.**

As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ. For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it. Therefore do not let anyone condemn you in matters of food and drink or of observing festivals, new moons, or sabbaths. These are only a shadow of what is to come, but the substance belongs to Christ. Do not let anyone disqualify you, insisting on self-abasement and worship of angels, dwelling on visions, puffed up without cause by a human way of thinking, and not holding fast to the head, from whom the whole body, nourished and held together by its ligaments and sinews, grows with a growth that is from God.

*The word of the Lord*

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

### **Gradual Hymn:**

**CH 534**

1. May the mind of Christ my Saviour  
live in me from day to day,  
by his love and power controlling  
all I do and say.
2. May the word of God dwell richly  
in my heart from hour to hour,  
so that all may see I triumph  
only through his power.



3. May the peace of God my Father  
rule my life in everything,  
that I may be calm to comfort  
sick and sorrowing.
  
4. May the love of Jesus fill me,  
as the waters fill the sea;  
him exalting, self abasing,  
this is victory.

*(Final verse after Gospel)*

**The Gospel:            Luke 11:1-13**

*(Congregation remain standing for the Gospel)*

**PRIEST:**            The Lord be with you

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

**PRIEST:**            The Holy Gospel according to Luke Chapter 11  
beginning to read at the 1<sup>st</sup> verse

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

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples." He said to them, "When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial." And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him.' And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. "So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door

will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"

*PRIEST :This is the Gospel of Christ*

*ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord*

**Gradual Hymn:**

**CH 534 (Final Verse)**

5. May I run the race before me,  
strong and brace to face the foe,  
looking only unto Jesus,  
as I onward go.

**THE SERMON:**

**REFLECTION:**

*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.*

**The Nicene Creed**

**Page 104 (BCP)**

**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 E (Page 112 BCP)**

Miss. Khalya Reid

LEADER

Let us pray for the fellowship of the Church of Christ, and for all God's creatures.

LEADER

With all who confess the name of Jesus, as Lord and Saviour, we offer our prayers and praises, in Spirit and in truth.

Father in Heaven,

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

With Jesus Christ, our Great High Priest, who ever lives to intercede for us, we uphold all ministers of God's Word and Sacraments, that they may fulfill their high calling in the faith.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

We pray for the unfailing guidance of the Holy Spirit on those who are called to interpret and expound the will of the Lord to others.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

We pray for all organizations, within the fellowship of the Body of Christ, that their work may edify the people of God, and bear faithful witness to the Gospel.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

We pray for all persons who do not share our confession of faith, that with courage, truth and love we may work together with them, and promote the common good.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

For the leaders of our country, and all who make decisions on our behalf, that they may be guided by the Spirit, to direct our affairs in righteousness and peace.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

For our Judges, Magistrates and all who administer justice, that in all things they may seek to do your will, and to protect the rights and freedom of your people. Father in

Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

In our schools, and in all other places of learning, may true knowledge, sound wisdom, and godly discipline ever be found.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

To the poor, the hungry, the unemployed, and all victims of persecution and discrimination of any kind, may God in Christ help us all to bring relief, justice and protection.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

To all who suffer now from pain and disease, from human discomfort and misery, may God in Christ bring healing and joy, for the renewal of their faith.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

That we may use aright the fullness of the Earth, that our pursuits in science, and the advancement of our skills, may ever be in service of that true humanity, which is created in the image of God.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

That we may never become slaves of money, or of the lust for power, but may rather strive for victory through the power of love.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

LEADER

That with all who belong to the communion of saints, both living and departed, we may ever rejoice in the blessed assurance of that hope, which has been won for us in Christ.

Father in Heaven.

**ALL: Receive these our prayers in the name of your dear Son, even Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

## **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 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.*

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: That's What Friends Are For**

*And I never thought I'd feel this way  
And as far as I'm concerned  
I'm glad I got the chance to say  
That I do believe I love you*

*And if I should ever go away  
Well, then close your eyes and try  
To feel the way we do today  
And then if you can remember*

*Keep smiling, keep shining  
Knowing you can always count on me  
For sure  
That's what friends are for*



*For good times and bad times  
I'll be on your side forever more  
That's what friends are for*

*I never thought I'd feel this way  
Well you came and opened me  
And now there's so much more I see  
And so, by the way, I thank you*

*And then for the times when we're apart  
Well, then close your eyes and know  
These words are coming from my heart  
And then if you can remember*

*Keep smiling, keep shining  
Knowing you can always count on me  
For sure  
That's what friends are for*

*In good times and bad times  
I'll be on your side forevermore  
That's what friends are for*

**Selection:**

**Solo - Ms. Shanika Roach**

**Offertory Hymn:**

**CH 246**

1. All hail the power of Jesus' name!  
Let angels prostrate fall;  
bring forth the royal diadem  
and crown him Lord of all.
2. Crown him, ye morning stars of light,  
who fixed this floating ball;  
now hail the strength of Israel's might,  
and crown him Lord of all.

3. Crown him, ye martyrs of your God,  
who from his altar call;  
extol the Stem of Jesse's Rod,  
and crown him Lord of all.
4. Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,  
ye ransomed of the fall,  
hail him who saves you by his grace,  
and crown him Lord of all.
5. Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget  
the wormwood and the gall,  
go spread your trophies at his feet,  
and crown him Lord of all.

*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 246 (Final verse)***

6. Let every tribe and every tongue  
before him prostrate fall,  
and shout in universal song  
the crownèd Lord of all.

# 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: (Pentecost) Page 129 (BCP)**

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) 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 B:

Page 135 (BCP)

PRESIDENT

Holy and gracious Father,  
all creation rightly gives you praise.  
All life, all holiness, comes from you  
through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord,  
whom you sent to share our human nature,  
to live and die as one of us,  
to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

We therefore bring you these gifts,  
and we ask you to make them holy  
by the power of your Spirit,  
that they may become the Body and Blood of your Son,  
our Saviour Jesus Christ,  
who offered Himself in obedience to your will,  
the Perfect Sacrifice for all mankind.

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 Blood of the New Covenant,  
"Which is shed for you and for many  
"for the forgiveness of sins.  
"Do this, whenever you drink it,  
"For the remembrance of me."

*One of the following Acclamations shall be said:*

**ALL**

**When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we  
proclaim the death of Christ until he comes again.**

*or*

**Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

*or*

**Christ Jesus is Lord.**

**He has set us free from the law of sin and death:**

**In his name alone is our salvation.**

**PRESIDENT**

Father, calling to mind the death your Son  
endured for our salvation;

His Glorious Resurrection and Ascension;

His continual intercession for us in heaven;

and looking for His coming again in glory,

we offer you, in thanksgiving,

this holy and life-giving sacrifice.

Look with favour on your Church's offering,

and grant that we who eat and drink these holy gifts

may be filled with your Holy Spirit

and become one body in Christ,

and serve you in unity, constancy and peace.

May He make us a perpetual offering to you  
and enable us, in communion with  
blessed Mary and the whole company of heaven,  
to share in the inheritance of your saints.  
With Him, and in Him, and through Him,  
by the power of the Holy Spirit,  
we worship you, Father Almighty,  
with all who stand before you in earth and heaven  
in songs of everlasting praise:

**ALL**

**Blessing and honour and glory and power  
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

**The Lord's Prayer:**

**Page 144 (BCP)**

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:**

**Page 145 (BCP)**

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)**

**Page 147 (BCP)**

**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.**

**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:**                      **CHOIR** *Love is the answer*

**Communion Hymn:**                      **CH 486**

1.        More love to thee, O Christ,  
          more love to thee!  
          Hear thou the prayer I make  
          on bended knee.  
          This is my earnest plea:  
          more love, O Christ, to thee;  
          more love to thee,  
          more love to thee!
  
2.        Once earthly joy I craved,  
          sought peace and rest  
          now thee alone I seek;  
          give what is best.  
          This all my prayer shall be;  
          more love, O Christ, to thee;  
          more love to thee,  
          more love to thee!
  
3.        Then shall my latest breath  
          whisper thy praise.  
          This be the parting cry  
          my heart shall raise;  
          this still my prayer shall be:  
          more love, O Christ, to thee;  
          more love to thee,  
          more love to thee!

**Communion Hymn: CH 583**

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 604**

1. Let us enter into covenant with Christ,  
celebrating the eucharist of love.  
Take a little bread and wine,  
Lift up the chalice of the King.

***Refrain:***

*Alleluia! It's a sign of love!*  
*Alleluia! It's a sign of peace!*  
*Alleluia! It's the mystery of faith!*  
*Alleluia! Amen!*

2. Take the body and the blood of Christ,  
in divine revelation of his love.  
Be transformed, O my people, from your sins,  
and eat and drink and live!

***Refrain:***

*Alleluia! It's a sign of love!*  
*Alleluia! It's a sign of peace!*  
*Alleluia! It's the mystery of faith!*  
*Alleluia! Amen!*

3. He is lifted to the throne on high  
and will come again to rule all the world.  
The saints who sleep in Christ shall rise,  
Rejoice, O Zion, and be glad!

***Refrain:***

*Alleluia! It's a sign of love!*  
*Alleluia! It's a sign of peace!*  
*Alleluia! It's the mystery of faith!*  
*Alleluia! Amen!*

4. Jesus Christ is the Lamb of God  
who takes away the sins of the world.  
'He who comes to me  
I shall not turn away'.

***Refrain:***

*Alleluia! It's a sign of love!*  
*Alleluia! It's a sign of peace!*  
*Alleluia! It's the mystery of faith!*  
*Alleluia! Amen!*

5. Come, you faithful, to the paradise of God,  
to the marriage feast of the Lamb.  
Eat manna from the tree of life;  
You are washed in the blood of Christ!

***Refrain:***

*Alleluia! It's a sign of love!*

*Alleluia! It's a sign of peace!*

*Alleluia! It's the mystery of faith!*

*Alleluia! Amen!*

**Communion Hymn: CH 589**

*Repeat the last line of each verse when using the tune Old 124<sup>th</sup>.*

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 354**

1. O MY Saviour, lifted  
from the earth for me,  
draw me, in thy mercy,  
nearer unto thee.
2. Lift my earth-bound longings,  
fix them, Lord, above;  
draw me with the magnet  
of thy mighty love.
3. Lord, thine arms are stretching  
ever far and wide,  
to enfold thy children  
to thy loving side.

4. And I come, O Jesus -  
dare I turn away?  
No! Thy love hath conquered,  
and I come today;
5. Bringing all my burdens,  
sorrow, sin, and care,  
at thy feet I lay them,  
and I leave them there.

***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:**

**LEV 177**

***Refrain:***

*It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer;  
It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.*

1. Not my brother, not my sister, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer,  
Not my brother, not my sister, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.

***Refrain:***

*It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer;  
It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.*

2. Not the preacher, not the deacon, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer,  
Not the preacher, not the deacon, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.

***Refrain:***

*It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer;  
It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.*

3. Not my father, not my mother, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer,  
Not my father, not my mother, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.

***Refrain:***

*It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer;  
It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.*

4. Not the stranger, not my neighbor, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer,  
Not the stranger, not my neighbor, but it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.

***Refrain:***

*It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer;  
It's me, it's me, O Lord,  
Standin' in the need of prayer.*

**Hymn for the Blessing & Recommitment:**

**CH 670**

1. There's a Friend for little children  
above the bright blue sky,  
a Friend who never changes,  
whose love will never die:  
our earthly friends may fail us,  
and change with changing years;  
this Friend is always worthy  
of that dear name he bears.

2. There's a rest for little children  
above the bright blue sky,  
who love the blessed Saviour,  
and to the Father cry:  
a rest from every turmoil,  
from sin and sorrow free,  
where every little pilgrim  
shall rest eternally.
3. There's a home for little children  
above the bright blue sky,  
where Jesus reigns in glory,  
a home of peace and joy:  
no home on earth is like it,  
nor can with it compare;  
for every one is happy,  
nor could be happier, there.
4. There's a crown for little children  
above the bright blue sky,  
and all who look for Jesus  
shall wear it by and by:  
a crown of brightest glory,  
which he will then bestow  
on those who found his favour  
and loved his name below.
5. There's a song for little children  
above the bright blue sky,  
a song that will not weary,  
though sung continually;  
a song which even angels  
can never, never sing;  
they know not Christ as Saviour,  
but worship him as King.

6. There's a robe for little children  
above the bright blue sky;  
and a harp of sweetest music,  
and palms of victory.  
All, all above is treasured,  
and found in Christ alone:  
Lord, grant thy little children  
to know thee as their own.

**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**

## **Final Blessing: Pentecost**

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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 239**

1. The right hand of God is writing in our land,  
writing with power and with love  
our conflicts and our fears, our triumphs and our tears  
are recorded by the right hand of God.
  
2. The right hand of God is pointing in our land,  
pointing the way we must go.  
So clouded is the way, so easily we stray,  
but we're guided by the right hand of God.
  
3. The right hand of God is striking in our land,  
striking out at envy, hate and greed.  
our selfishness and lust, our pride and deeds unjust  
are destroyed by the right hand of God.
  
4. The right hand of God is healing in our land,  
healing broken bodies, minds and souls.  
So wondrous is its touch, with love that means so much,  
when we're healed by the right hand of God.
  
5. The right hand of God, is planting in our land,  
planting seeds of freedom, hope and love.  
In these Caribbean lands, let his people all join hands,  
and be one with the right hand of God.

## **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.**

**BENEDICTION:**

**CHOIR - The Lord Bless you and keep you**

*The Lord bless you and keep you;  
The Lord make his face to shine upon you  
And be gracious to you;  
The Lord lift up his countenance upon you  
And give you peace.*

*Without humility, there can be no worship!*

*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*

**Ignatius of Loyola:** Ignatius lived 1491 to 1556 and was a Spanish knight, hermit priest and theologian. He founded the Society of Jesus – the Jesuits and was their first Superior General. As the leader of the Jesuits, he emerged as a religious leader during the Counter-Reformation.

### **Healthy Congregations**

**Healthy congregations** accept the fact that change is inevitable; if we are to continue to grow, we need to adapt. *There is flexibility in thinking and feeling in healthy congregations that produces a sense of ease with change.*

**Healthy congregations** tend not to have a lot of areas of the congregations where members have too much ownership over a programme or group. *Healthy congregations rotate leadership and have the ability to let go of programs that no longer help the congregation fulfil its mission.*

**Healthy con-gregations** have a clear sense of mission, purpose, and direction and are guided by that purpose, not by individuals' wants and preferences.

### *Parish Notices*

#### **Urgent Notice**

**The Coordinator of the Fish Fry held on Saturday, May 4, 2019 is reminding all persons that ticket monies must be paid in without delay so that this account**

## ***THANK YOU***

**Thank you from Sandra Yearwood-Nelson and Family**

Sincere thanks for your kind and thoughtful expression of sympathy. It was appreciated more than words can say.

### 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,*

*Happy Birthday*

<i>Mrs. Marva Cyrus</i>	<i>Mon Jul 29</i>	<i>Mrs. Rosemary Gooding</i>	<i>Thurs Aug 1</i>
<i>Mr. Clement Deane</i>	<i>Tues Jul 30</i>	<i>Miss Selena Yard</i>	<i>Fri Aug 2</i>
<i>Miss Jennifer Bellamy</i>	<i>Tues Jul 30</i>	<i>Ms. Kathy-Anne Forde</i>	<i>Sat Aug 3</i>

### **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:

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

*Rosemary Gooding-Carmichael, Janice Howell, Ena Hollingsworth, Lady Jean Ramsay, Odette Walcott-Hoyte, Margo Hamblin, Norma Douglas, Stanley Medford, Grafton Brathwaite, Cecile Isaacs, Monica Downes, Joyce Fitt, Edlin Chandler, Joyce Clarke, Bernard Sealey, Itheil (Jimmy) Adams, Mr. & Mrs. Sylvester Jones, Seibert Scantlebury, Henderson Hinds, Elsie Clarke, Alexis Alleyne.*

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

*Omata Allamby, Erma Babb, Eric Best, Grafton & Doreen Brathwaite, Isolene Mason, Marjorie McCollin, Marge Walke, Maureen Workman, Patricia Lorde (Snr.), Agnes Mars, Anita Skeete, Carmen Shepherd, Karmina Lavine.*

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

*Sandra Yearwood-Nelson and Family on the death of her mother Coral Yearwood. 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.*

***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.***

## *COMING -UP*

*Scenic Bus Ride*

*August 11, 2019*

*Time: 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.*

*Tickets: \$55.00*



## *Praise Break*

*Challenge yourself to take a praise break this week! Rather than chatting on the phone or watching TV, take a pause in your day to acknowledge all of the specific ways in which the Lord has been good to you. Thank Him for what He is doing in your life, right now, where you are.*

*Nothing is too large or too small to be worthy of your praise. Every good thing you have and experience in life ultimately comes from the Lord. Look around, look up and look down. You'll never run out of things for which to be thankful!*

**NEXT SUNDAY, 4th August, 2019**

**EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST - PROPER 13C**

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

### **READINGS:**

**Hosea 11: 1-11 or Ecclesiastes 1: 2, 12-14; 2: 18-23**

**Psalm 107: 1-9, 43 or Psalm 49: 1-11 / Colossians 3: 1-11**

**Gospel: Luke 12: 13-21**

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

***Difficult times show true colours, hard times reveal true friends  
and the good will be blessed through the pain.***

***-Anon***