

# The Church of Christ The King

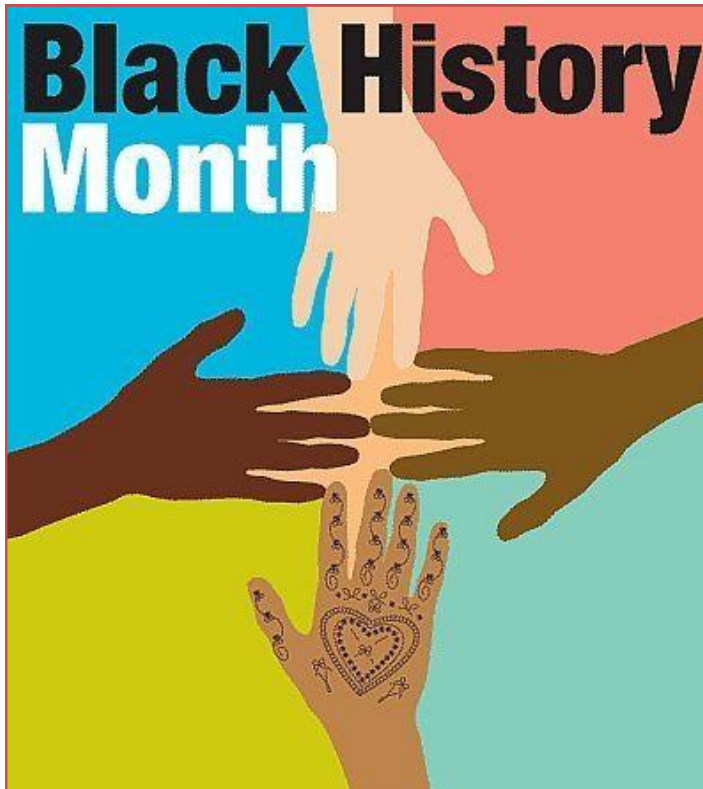
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8:00 a.m. Sung Eucharist & Sermon



**Sunday, February 2, 2020**

*Fourth Sunday After The Epiphany*

*A Rising Church Embracing A Bold Vision*

*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. Wendy Blackman.

### *Worship Tips & Gentle Reminders*

*When you come into Church, remember that our Lord Jesus Christ is here. He is present and to be adored under the form of His Blessed Sacrament reserved for Holy Communion. Kneel down and worship Him. Give thanks for your blessings. Bring to Him your needs. Remember all those in distress, sorrow and pain. Pray that the dead may rest in peace. And do not forget those who minister and worship here.*

# Sung Eucharist & Sermon

## 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.

*I want Jesus to walk with me.*

*I want Jesus to walk with me.*

*All along in my pilgrim's journey.*

*Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.*

*In my trials, Lord, walk with me.*

*In my trials, Lord, walk with me*

*When the shades of life are falling,*

*Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.*

*In my sorrows, Lord, walk with me.*

*In my sorrows, Lord, walk with me*

*When my heart with-in is aching,*

*Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.*

## **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: CPWI 554**

1. Lift every voice and sing, till earth and heaven ring,  
ring with the harmonies of liberty;  
let our rejoicing rise high as the listening skies,  
let it resound loud as the rolling sea.  
Sing a song full of the faith that the dark past has taught us;  
sing a song full of the hope that the present has brought us;  
facing the rising sun of our new day begun,  
let us march on till victory is won.
  
2. Stony the road we trod, bitter the chastening rod,  
felt in the days when hope unborn had died;  
yet with a steady beat, have not our weary feet  
come to the place for which our fathers sighed?  
We have come over a way that with tears has been watered;  
We have come, treading our path through the  
blood of the slaughtered;  
out from the gloomy past, till now we stand at last  
where the white gleam of our bright star is cast.
  
3. God of our weary years, God of our silent tears,  
thou who hast brought us thus far on the way;  
thou who has by thy might, led us into the light,  
keep us forever in the path, we pray.  
Lest our feet stray from the places, our God,  
where we met thee;  
lest our hearts, drunk with the wine of the world,  
we forget thee,  
shadowed beneath thy hand, may we for every stand,  
true to our God, true to our native land.

## **Opening Sentences:**

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### **Epiphany**

God chose to make known how great among the nations are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. *Colossians 1:27*

or

For the God who said, "Out of darkness light shall shine," has caused his light to shine in our hearts, the light which is knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. *II Corinthians 4:6*

## **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 :**

**Page 102 (BCP)**

Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy.  
**Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy.  
**Lord, have mercy.**

## **Gloria In Excelsis:**

**Page 102 (BCP)**

**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: Fourth Sunday After The Epiphany: Page 160 (BCP)**

Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth: Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; 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: Micah 6:1-8**

Mr. Vernon Knight

**READER: A reading from the word of God, written in Micah Chapter 6, beginning to read at the 1<sup>st</sup> verse.**

Hear what the LORD says: Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice. Hear, you mountains, the controversy of the LORD, and you enduring foundations of the earth; for the LORD has a controversy with his people, and he will contend with Israel. "O my people, what have I done to you? In what

have I wearied you? Answer me! For I brought you up from the land of Egypt, and redeemed you from the house of slavery; and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam. O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised, what Balaam son of Beor answered him, and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the saving acts of the LORD." "With what shall I come before the LORD, and bow myself before God on high? Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old? Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?" He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

*The word of the Lord*

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

## **Psalm 15**

**Page 483 BCP**

*(congregation remain seated)*

1. Lord, who may dwell in your tabernacle?\* who may abide upon your holy hill?
2. Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is right,\* who speaks the truth from his heart.
3. There is no guile upon his tongue, he does no evil to his friend;\* he does not heap contempt upon his neighbour.
4. In his sight the wicked is rejected,\* but he honours those who fear the Lord.
5. He has sworn to do no wrong\* and does not take back his word.
6. He does not give his money in hope of gain,\* nor does he take a bribe against the innocent.
7. Whoever does these things\* shall never be overthrown.

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: 1 Corinthians 1:12-20

Mr. Aidan Rogers

**READER: A reading from the word of God, written in 1 Corinthians Chapter 1, beginning to read at the 18<sup>th</sup> verse.**

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart." Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength. Consider your own call, brothers and sisters: not many of you were wise by human standards, not many were powerful, not many were of noble birth. But God chose what is foolish in the world to shame the wise; God chose what is weak in the world to shame the strong; God chose what is low and despised in the world, things that are not, to reduce to nothing things that are, so that no one might boast in the presence of God. He is the source of your life in Christ Jesus, who became for us wisdom from God, and righteousness and sanctification and redemption, in order that, as it is written, "Let the one who boasts, boast in the Lord."

*The word of the Lord*

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

### **Gradual Hymn:**

**CPWI 559**

1. shall overcome. We shall overcome,  
we shall overcome some day.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe.  
We shall overcome some day.
2. We'll walk hand in hand. We'll walk hand in hand,  
we' walk hand in hand today;  
oh, deep in my heart, I do believe.  
We'll walk hand in hand today.



3. God is on our side. God is on our side,  
God is on our side today;  
Oh, deep in my heart I do believe.  
God is on our side today.
  
4. We are not afraid We are not afraid,  
we are not afraid, today;  
oh, deep in my heart, I do believe.  
We are not afraid today.

*(Final verse after Gospel)*

**The Gospel:           Matthew 5:1-12**

*(Congregation remain standing for the Gospel)*

**PRIEST:**           The Lord be with you

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

**PRIEST:**           The Holy Gospel according to Matthew Chapter 5  
beginning to read at the 1<sup>d</sup> verse

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

When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: "Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. "Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. "Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy. "Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. "Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

*PRIEST :This is the Gospel of Christ*

*ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord*

***Gradual Hymn:***

***CPWI 559 Final Verse)***

We shall live in peace. We shall live in peace,  
we shall live in peace some day.  
Oh, deep in my heart, I do believe.  
We shall live in peace some day.

**THE SERMON:**

**REFLECTION:        Dr. Anthony Carter**

**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 D (Page 111 BCP)** Mrs. Lydia Jemmott

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:**

**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.**

**FORM A**

PRESIDENT

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

**ALL**

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

**FORM B**

PRESIDENT

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

**ALL**

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

**FORM C**

PRESIDENT

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

**ALL**

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

*The President shall then greet the congregation.*

PRESIDENT

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**ALL And also with you.**

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

**Peace Song:**

*They Will Know We Are Christians*

**We are one in the Spirit  
We are one in the Lord  
We are one in the Spirit  
We are one in the Lord  
And we pray that all unity  
May one day be restored**

*Refrain*

*And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love, By our love  
Yes, they'll know we are Christian  
By our love*

**We will walk with each other  
We will walk hand in hand  
We will walk with each other  
We will walk hand in hand  
And together we'll spread the news  
That God is in our land  
We will work with each other**

**We will work side by side  
We will work with each other  
We will work side by side  
And we'll guard each man's dignity  
And save each man's pride**

*Refrain*

*And they'll know we are Christians  
By our love, By our love  
Yes, they'll know we are Christian  
By our love*

**All praise to the Father  
From whom all things come  
And all praise to Christ Jesus His only son  
And all praise to the Spirit  
Who make us one**

**Anthem: THE CHOIR**

Ride The Chariot

## **THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERINGS**

**Offertory Hymn: CPWI 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.*

*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:

*CPWI 390 (Final verse)*

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.*

## 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: (EPIPHANY)**

**Page 128 (BCP)**

Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Because in coming to dwell among us as man, he revealed the radiance of his glory, and brought us out of darkness into his own marvellous light.

## **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 C:**

**Page 140 (BCP)**

**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 Blood of the New Covenant,  
which is shed for you and for many  
for the forgiveness of sins.  
Whenever you drink it,  
do this for the remembrance of me."

PRESIDENT

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.

**ALL: 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: CPWI 495**

1. Amazing grace! How sweet the sound  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found;  
Was blind, but now I see.
  
2. Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed!
  
3. Through many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.
  
4. When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we'd first begun.

### **Communion Hymn: CPWI 548**

1. When Israel was in Egypt's land,  
let my people go;  
oppressed so hard they could not stand,  
let my people go.

#### ***Refrain:***

*Go down, Moses, way down in Egypt's land;  
tell ole Pharaoh to let my people go.*

2. The Lord told Moses what to do,  
let my people go;  
to lead the children of Israel through,  
let my people go.

***Refrain:***

*Go down, Moses, way down in Egypt's land;  
tell ole Pharaoh to let my people go.*

3. They journeyed on at his command,  
let my people go;  
and came at length to Canaan's land,  
let my people go.

***Refrain:***

*Go down, Moses, way down in Egypt's land;  
tell ole Pharaoh to let my people go.*

4. Oh, let us all from bondage flee,  
let my people go;  
and let us all in Christ be free,  
let my people go.

***Refrain:***

*Go down, Moses, way down in Egypt's land;  
tell ole Pharaoh to let my people go.*

**Communion Hymn: MP 605**

1. Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Hallelujah hallelujah  
We're going to see the King



2. No more crying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more crying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more crying there  
We are going to see the King  
Hallelujah hallelujah  
We're going to see the King
  
3. No more dying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more dying there  
We are going to see the King  
No more dying there  
We are going to see the King  
Hallelujah hallelujah  
We're going to see the King
  
4. Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Soon and very soon  
We are going to see the King  
Hallelujah hallelujah  
We're going to see the King

*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 221**

1. This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,  
This little light of mine, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

2. Ev'ry where I go, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Ev'ry where I go, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Ev'ry where I go, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.
  
3. Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Jesus gave it to me, I'm gonna let it shine,  
Let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

**Hymn for the Blessing & Recommitment:**

**MP 225**

1. He's got the whole world in his hands  
He's got the whole world in his hands  
He's got the whole world in his hands  
He's got the whole world in his hands
  
2. He's got everybody here in his hands  
He's got everybody here in his hands  
He's got everybody here in his hands  
He's got the whole world in his hands
  
3. He's got the little bitty baby in his hands  
He's got the little bitty baby in his hands  
He's got the little bitty baby in his hands  
He's got the whole world in his hands
  
4. He's got you and me, brother, in his hands  
He's got you and me, sister, in his hands  
He's got you and me, brother, in his hands  
He's got the whole world in his hands

**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**

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### **Epiphany**

Christ the Son of God gladden your hearts with good news of His kingdom; 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:**

**CPWI 433**

1. Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord;  
he is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored;  
he has loosed the fateful lightning of his terrible swift sword,  
his truth is marching on.

#### ***Refrain:***

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*  
*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*  
*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*  
*His truth is marching on.*

2. I have seen him in the watchfires of a hundred circling camps,  
they have builded him an altar in the evening dews and damps;  
I can read his righteous sentence by the dim and flaring lamps,  
his day is marching on.

***Refrain:***

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*His truth is marching on.*

3. He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never sound retreat,  
he is sifting out the hearts of men before his judgement seat;  
O be swift, my soul, to answer him! Be jubilant, my feet!  
Our God is marching on.

***Refrain:***

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*His truth is marching on.*

4. In the beauty of the lilies, Christ was born across the sea,  
with a glory in his bosom that transfigures you and me;  
as he died to make men holy, let us live to make all free,  
while God is marching on.

***Refrain:***

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*Glory, glory, hallelujah!*

*His truth is marching on.*

## **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**

*Go in Peace and the Peace of God, Be with you this day.*

*Go in Peace and the Peace of God, Be with you always.*

*Celebrate and share the joy, Celebrate new Life,*

*Go in Peace and the Peace of God, Be with you always*

*Our God whose mercy and love endures forever!*

*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.*

## Notices

### Lecture

The Barbados Museum & Historical Society presents a special Lecture ‘The Black Presence: Activism and agency in a Different Age’ on 5th February, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. The presenter is Father Charles Card-Reynolds, Vicar of St. Bartholomew on Stamford Hill in London.

### The Annual Dean’s Lecture

The St. Michael Centre for Faith & Action presents a Lecture on Tuesday, 11th February, 2020 at 7:30 p.m. at The Frank Collymore Hall, Bridgetown, St. Michael. The featured speaker is The Very Rev. Fr. Sean C. Major-Campbell JP, Dean of Kingston, Jamaica on the topic “The Christian Faith in the Public Square: Justice, Compassion and Humility”.

### Lecture

There will be a Lecture held on Tuesday, 18th February, 2020 at 7 p.m. at The Church of Christ The King by Dr. Philip Forde. The topic is ‘Slavery And Its Impact On Caribbean Culture’. All are invited.

### Tea Party

The Rector and members of St. Paul Church present ‘Expressions of Love’ Annual Fundraising Tea Party on Saturday, 15th February, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. at St. Paul’s Conference Centre grounds. Admission \$25.00.

## What does the Bible Say About

### *The End of the World, The Lord’s Coming*

#### *Matthew 24:3-5, 36*

***When he was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to him privately saying: tell us, when will this be, and what will be the sign of your coming and of the end of the age. Jesus answered them: Beware that no one leads you astray. For many will come in my name.***

## *Happy Birthday*

<i>Mrs. Joyce Fitt</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Feb 3</i>
<i>Ms. Janet Payne</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Feb 7</i>
<i>Mrs. Margaret Sobers</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Feb 7</i>
<i>Miss Ateikah Lockhart</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Feb 7</i>
<i>Ms. Dorothy Daniel</i>	<i>Sat</i>	<i>Feb 8</i>

## *Happy Birthday - Children*

*Caiton Drakes*                      *Friday*                      *Feb 7*                      *(13 yrs)*

### **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:**

*Dorothy Pilgrim, Beresford & Mrs. Moseley, Cynthia Wilson, Margo Hamblin, Norma Douglas, 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:**

*Omota 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, Rosemary Gooding-Carmichael.*

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

*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.*

### **Altar Flowers**

If you would like to memorialize a loved one or celebrate a special anniversary by donating Altar Flowers, please contact

**Mrs. Sandra Yearwood-Nelson or the Church Office.**



## Calendar for the Week Ahead

### **MONDAY 3rd February**

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

### **TUESDAY 4th February**

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

### **WEDNESDAY 5th February**

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

12:05 p.m. - **Midweek Service**

### **THURSDAY 6th February**

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

6:00 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

### **FRIDAY 7th February**

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

4:30 p.m. - Friday School

7:30 p.m. - Youth Group

### **SATURDAY 8th February**

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

## **NEXT SUNDAY, 9th February, 2020**

### **FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

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

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

#### **READINGS:**

**Isaiah 58: 1-9a, (9b-12) / Psalm 112: 1-10 / 1 Corinthians 2: 1-12, ( 13-16)**

**Gospel: Matthew 5: 13-20**

## **LOOKING AHEAD**

### **FEBRUARY 2020**

Wednesday 12th	12:05 p.m.	Midweek Service
Sunday 16th	8: 00 a.m.	Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany
Sunday 23rd	8:00 a.m.	Last Sunday after the Epiphany Parish Meeting - <i>(immediately after service)</i>
Wednesday 26th		First Day of Lent - Ash Wednesday

### **MARCH 2020**

**Sunday 22nd Harvest Sunday**