

The Sermon

7:00 A.M. The Rev'd Canon George Knight

9:00 A.M. The Rev'd Dr. Marcus Lashley

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Intercessors:

7:00 A.M. Mr. George Small

9:00 A.M. Representative of the Church Army

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Hymn of Fellowship: "Sweet Holy Spirit"

(see printed version)

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## Welcome, Remarks, Birthdays and Anniversaries

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THE EUCHARIST

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"Immortal, invisible, God only wise,"

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The Administration of Communion

Hymns:

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"Tell me the stories of Jesus,"

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"Bright the vision that delighted"

The Dismissal

Organ Postlude

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**WELCOME AND MAY GOD BLESS US ALL!**

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THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: TRINITY SUNDAY

FIRST READING: Isaiah 6:1-8

Comment: *"Isaiah's vision and call"*

Our first reading is about **Isaiah's vision of the Lord and his prophetic commission**. The earthly temple becomes an icon for the temple in heaven. Isaiah is purged of his guilt and sin and responds to the Lord's call. The church hears in the thrice-holy song of the seraphim an anticipation of its praise of God as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Psalm: 29

The majesty of God is described in the likeness of a mighty thunderstorm.

SECOND READING (The Epistle): Romans 8:12-17

Comment: *"Living by the Spirit"*

In this lesson we hear that **if we follow our lower nature, we are enslaved and destined to death, but when we are moved by God's Spirit, we become God's children and heirs with Christ**. The Spirit makes this experience possible by prompting our lips to call upon God as Father with the same Aramaic word (**Abba**) that Jesus used. This new relationship means that we are no longer required to be led by baser instincts. Our heritage is life, while we must also learn to share in Christ's sufferings.

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 3:1-17

Comment: *"Entering the reign of God"*

In our gospel story **Nicodemus, one of the Pharisees, comes during the night to talk with Jesus**. Nicodemus is a figure used by the Evangelist to represent a type of person who wants to believe but has difficulty understanding spiritual realities. Jesus tells him that no-one can enter the kingdom of God unless he is born anew through water and the Spirit. The inner meaning of the passage partly turns on the fact that "born anew" can also be understood as "born from on high," and that the same Greek word means both wind and spirit. Jesus then tells Nicodemus of the Son of Man come down from heaven who will be lifted up, both on the cross to die for the world and to return to heaven in glory.

CATHEDRAL NEWS

1. Registration: The Cathedral is currently seeking to update its membership records. Consequently, members are asked to complete the registration forms which are available and return them to the office as soon as possible.

2. Confirmation Classes: Please note that registration for Confirmation Classes is still ongoing. Interested persons can collect forms from the Cathedral Office - Monday to Friday, between the hours of 9:00 A.M and 4:45 P.M.

3. Flowers: Flowers for last Sunday – "Whitsunday" were donated by the Mothers' Union.

DIOCESAN NEWS

1. Barbados Diocesan Synod: The Electoral Assembly which reconvened on Monday, May 14, 2018 in the Ivan Harewood Centre, Christ Church Parish Church remained deadlocked. Neither Fr. John Rogers nor Dean Jeffrey Gibson secured the required two-thirds majority in both the House of Clergy and the House of Laity at the same time, in any of the three ballots which were cast. The meeting was adjourned until Thursday, June 7, 2018 at 5:30 P. M. In the meantime, let's continue to offer prayers for the Synod to discern the one whom God wants to become the 14th Bishop of the Diocese of Barbados.

2. Annual Diocesan Synod: The Annual Session of the Barbados Diocesan Synod will be held on Wednesday, June 13, 2018. The Session will commence with a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at Christ Church Parish Church at 9:30 A.M. This will be followed by the Business Session in The Ivan Harewood Centre.

3. Eleven-Plus Retreat: The youth department will be hosting a weekend retreat for students who sat the 2018 Common Entrance Examination. Its focus will be to bring **"awareness of the challenges and changes our children will be facing, and to assist in this transition and reinforce positive values which should lead to positive change as they take this next step."**

The retreat will be held at St. Clements Church Centre, St. Lucy from **June 29th to July 1st**. Cost - \$60 per student. Churches are encouraged where possible to sponsor their students. Deadline for applications is June 4th. Registration forms are available.

Congratulations to all those persons celebrating birthdays this week May 27th – June 2nd, 2018

Ms. Linda Springer ~ 29th

Ms. Doris D. Hinds ~ 30th

June 2018

Ms. Julissa Bourne ~ 2nd



May God bless and strengthen you.

HYMN OF FELLOWSHIP

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,
and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord.
There are sweet expressions on each face,
and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

Refrain:

*Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet Heavenly Dove,
stay right here with us,
filling us with your love.
And for these blessings,
we lift our hearts in praise,
without a doubt we'll know
that we have been revived
when we shall leave this place.*

There are blessings you cannot receive
'til you know him in his fullness, and believe.
You're the one to profit when you say,
'I am going to walk with Jesus all the way.'



THEME FOR THE WEEK

"The invocation of the Trinity on our lives provides us with three basic necessities: a loving Father, a Brother who suffered like us, a Spirit to warm our hearts."

CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES

May 27th, 2018

**The First Sunday after Pentecost ~
Trinity Sunday**

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Canon George Knight

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr. Marcus Lashley

11:00 A.M. Choral Matins

Preacher: The Rev'd Richard Kellman

6:00 P.M. ~ Evensong

Preacher: Mr. Rudolph Dawson

Tuesday, May 29th

12:15 P.M. Holy Eucharist

Wednesday, May 30th

10:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist

Thursday, May 31st

**The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin
Mary**

12:15 P.M. Holy Eucharist

Sunday, June 3rd

Second Sunday after Pentecost:

7:00 A.M. Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. Sung Eucharist

6:00 P.M. Evensong: Marking the First
Anniversary of The St. Michael Centre for
Faith and Action (SMCFA)

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr. Von Watson

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**The First Sunday after Pentecost:
Trinity Sunday
May 27th, 2018**

Services

7:00 A.M. and 9:00 A.M.

May 27th, 2018

**THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER
PENTECOST: TRINITY SUNDAY
YEAR B**

7:00 A.M. HOLY EUCHARIST

President: The Rev'd Canon George Knight

9:00 A.M. SUNG EUCHARIST

President: The Rev'd Dr. Marcus Lashley

Concelebrants: All Clergy

ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude:

Hymn: 211

"Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!"

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The Collect: Page 172

"The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday"

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Isaiah 6:1-8

Lectors: 7:00 A.M. Ms. Deidre Cox

9:00 A.M. Ms. Sharron Lucas-Blackman

Psalm 29 Page 502

"Ascribe to the Lord, ye Gods,"

Second Lesson: Romans 8:12-17

Lectors: 7:00 A.M. Ms. Linda Springer

9:00 A.M. Mrs. Marlene Russell

The Gradual Hymn: 210

"Father of heaven, whose love profound"

The Holy Gospel: John 3:1-17

Gospeller: The Rev'd Richard Kellman