

The Sermon: 7:00 A.M. & 9:00 A.M.
The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

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Intercessors:

7:00 A.M. ~ Mrs. Joy-Ann Blackman-Jarvis

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

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Hymn of Fellowship: (see printed version)

*Welcome, Remarks, Birthdays and
Anniversaries*

THE EUCHARIST

The Offertory Hymn ~ 251

"Hail to the Lord's Anointed,"

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The Administration of Communion

Hymns:

119 ~ "Lord Jesus, think on me,"

597 ~ "I come with joy, a child of God,"

Anthem: "Bethlehem Down" (Warlock)

Hymn for the blessing of the Children 646

"Gentle Jesus, meek and mild,"

The Post-Communion Prayer "A" Page 147

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The Recessional Hymn ~ 439

"Stand up, stand up for Jesus,"

The Dismissal

Organ Postlude



WELCOME AND MAY GOD BLESS US ALL!

The Sixth Sunday after The Epiphany

First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Comment: "Choose life"

In the Hebrew scripture lesson **Moses presents the people with their choice: love and obey the Lord and find life, or turn away to other gods and know death.** Israel is about to cross over into the promised land, and this is Moses' final charge to them. In historical terms the speech was probably composed many hundreds of years later, near the time of the exile, after Israel had experienced much backsliding from the Lord. But this is still their choice: blessing or curse – life and good, or death and evil.

Psalm 119:1-8

The psalmist takes great delight in the Lord's statutes and seeks to keep all God's commandments.

SECOND READING (The Epistle): 1 Corinthians 3:1-9

Comment "God gives the growth"

In this lesson **Paul admonishes the Corinthians for their bickering and divisions.** Missionaries like Paul and Apollos are not to be regarded as leaders of separate sects. They are coworkers in the Lord's field, while it is God who supplies the growth. To think otherwise is immature and is based on worldly rather than spiritual understandings.

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 5:21-37

Comment: "The teaching of Christ: forgiveness"

In our Gospel we hear of **Jesus' concern with the heart of human behaviour.** Discipleship means far more than observances of the outward forms of the law. Genuinely to fulfil the commandments not to kill, not to commit adultery, and not to swear falsely requires a transformation of one's life. One must be willing to cast away any part of the self which opposes this change of mind and heart.

CATHEDRAL NEWS

1. Confirmation Classes: Please note that registration for Confirmation Classes has started. It is anticipated that Confirmation will be celebrated in November, as part of the Diocese's "Mission 2020: God's Gathering" initiative. Interested persons can collect forms from the table at the west door of the Cathedral. Completed forms should be returned to the Office as soon as possible.

2. African Awareness Sunday: Next Sunday, February 23rd, 2020 will be observed as African Awareness Sunday in the Cathedral. Members are encouraged to wear African attire and to celebrate the occasion with any other related symbols.

THEME FOR THE WEEK

*"The gentleness of God's leading us
lies in his recognition of and respect
for our free will."*



DIOCESAN NEWS

- 1. Pre-Lenten Clergy Reflection Day:** The clergy Pre-Lenten reflection time will be held on the Feast of St Matthias, Monday, February 24th, 2020 at St Leonard's Church starting at 9:30 a.m. The theme will be, "**I Consecrate Myself for the Sake of Others**", based on part of Jesus' High Priestly Prayer in John 17:19. The spiritual director will be Bishop Wood.
- 2. Lenten Course 2020 – "Eeeeeezing Towards Easter"**. This course will be conducted under the following themes:
 - i. Enriching our Worship
 - ii. Expounding God's Word
 - iii. Empowering our Youth
 - iv. Exercising Greater Morals
 - v. Endeavouring Peace

Congratulations to all those persons celebrating birthdays this week 16th to 22nd

February 2020

Mrs. Marva Bourne ~ 16th

Ms. Shirley J. Reece ~ 16th

Ms. Margaret Aimey ~ 17th

Ms. Edna Jordan ~ 17th

Ms. Rojana Marshall ~ 18th

Ms. Muriel Hutson ~ 19th (Shut In)

Ms. Sheila M. E. Griffith ~ 20th

Ms. Sandra A. Lewis ~ 21st

Ms. Coreen E. Lashley ~ 22nd



May God bless and strengthen you.

HYMN OF FELLOWSHIP

(Worshippers join hands for the singing of the last refrain)

Let there be peace on earth

And let it begin with me

Let there be peace on earth

The peace that was meant to be

With God our Creator

Children all are we

Let us walk with each other

In perfect harmony

Let peace begin with me

Let this be the moment now

With every step I take

Let this be my solemn vow

To take each moment

And live each moment

In peace and eternally

Let there be peace on earth

And let it begin with me.



CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES

Today, Sunday, February 16th, 2020

The Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

Preacher: The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

6:00 P.M. ~ Evensong led by the choirs of St.

Luke and St. Mary's Churches.

Preacher: The Rev'd Dr. Marcus Lashley

Tuesday, February 18th, 2020

12:15 P.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Wednesday, February 19th, 2020

10:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

Thursday, February 20th, 2020

12:15 P.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Sunday, February 23rd, 2020

The Last Sunday after the Epiphany

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

11:00 A.M. ~ Choral Matins – Church Service
to mark Guyana's 50th Anniversary celebrations
as a Republic

6:00 P.M. ~ Evensong

Looking Ahead!

Ash Wednesday Services

February 26th, 2020

10:00 A.M. & 12:00 Noon ~ Holy Eucharist
with the Imposition of Ashes

3:00 P.M. ~ A Penitential Order

7:00 P.M. ~ Sung Eucharist with the Imposition
of Ashes

Solemn Musick for Good Friday, to be held
on Friday, April 10th, 2019
at 8:00 P.M.

Admission \$30.00

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Organ Prelude

Opening Hymn ~ 438

"Soldiers of Christ, arise,"

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"Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany"

O God, the strength of all who put their trust in you:
Mercifully accept our prayers; and because in our
weakness we can do nothing good without you, give us
the help of your grace, that in keeping your
commandments we may please you both in will and
deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and
reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever
and ever. **Amen.**

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Deuteronomy 30:15-20

Lectors: 7:00 A.M. ~ Mrs. Zida Hunte

9:00 A.M. ~ Dr. Wendy Sealy

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"Happy are they whose way is blameless,"

Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 3:1-9

Lectors: 7:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Helena Lyte

9:00 A.M. ~ Mrs. Margaret Fraser- Morrison

The Gradual Hymn ~ 453

"Make me a channel of your peace."

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 5:21-37

Gospeller: The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson