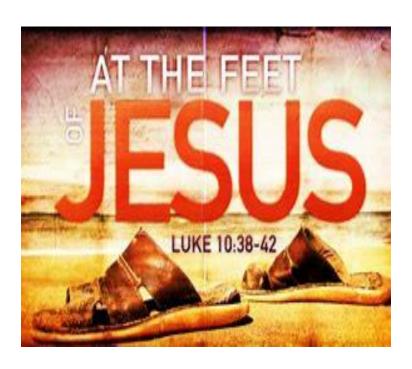
The Cathedral Church of Saint Michael and All Angels

welcomes you to the celebration of

The Holy Eucharist

July 17, 2022

7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.



The Cathedral Church of Saint Michael and All Angels The Diocese of Barbados

Diocesan Bishop

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Emergency Management (COVID-19) Protocols No. 10 Directive 2022

The following protocols will be enforced: Wearing of Masks covering both the Nose and the Chin; and Designated Seating - Three (3) feet apart, except for members of the same household.



COVID-19 Pandemic – The Cathedral's Mitigation of Risk

While it is no longer required to sanitize or take temperature checks upon arrival, we ask that worshippers continue to use the hand-sanitizers upon arrival and at Communion. In addition, the Use of the Offering Boxes will remain in place until further notice.

Also, permission has been granted for the physical exchange of the Greeting of Peace; nevertheless, please make assessment of your personal risk and respect other people's preference in that regard. Thank you for understanding as we continue to navigate through this stage of the COVID-19 pandemic.

The cooperation of everyone is required

The Sixth Sunday After Pentecost YEAR C

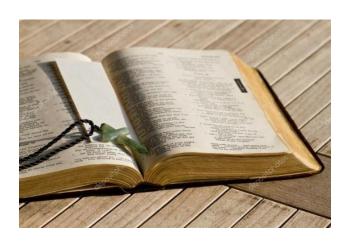
7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist President and Preacher: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist President: The Rev'd Canon George Knight

Preacher:

The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

Lay Eucharistic Minister: Dr. Sherlock Bradshaw



ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Welcome

Opening Sentence "General"

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Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. *Philippians 1:2*

Opening Hymn 371 "Let all the world in every corner sing."

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
The heavens are not too high, his praise may thither fly; the earth is not too low, his praises there may grow.
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!
The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out; but above all the heart must bear the longest part.
Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King!

Words: George Herbert (1593-1633)

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.

COLLECT FOR PURITY

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ALL:

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.

THE KYRIES

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Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

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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.

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Let us pray.

Almighty God, the fountain of all wisdom, you know our necessities before we ask and our ignorance in asking: Have compassion on our weakness, and mercifully give us those things which for our unworthiness we dare not, and for our blindness we cannot ask; through the worthiness of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

A Prayer for the Mission Action Plan (MAP)

Almighty and ever living God, You have given us the privilege of serving You in this Diocese and we thank you for the guidance by your Holy Spirit for our Mission Action Plan. Give us your church in this Diocese, the wisdom and knowledge to be effective in all areas of ministry. Equip us the clergy and laity with your love, compassion, patience and determination, that we may use our skills, talents and resources wisely in the building up of your people through the many ways we have planned. Help us to continually seek your will by listening to your voice and seeking your direction, that through our efforts, others may draw closer to you as we maintain God's church for God's mission, through Jesus Christ our Lord,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

(Please sit)

First Lesson: Amos 8:1-12

LECTORS

7:00 A.M.: Mrs. Joyanne Blackman-Jarvis 9:00 A.M.: Ms. Sharron Lucas-Blackman

A Reading from the Word of God, written in the Book of Amos, the eighth chapter, beginning at the first verse.

This is what the Lord GOD showed me-- a basket of summer fruit. He said, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A basket of summer fruit." Then the LORD said to me,

"The end has come upon my people Israel; I will never again pass them by.

The songs of the temple shall become wailings in that day," says the Lord GOD;

"the dead bodies shall be many, cast out in every place. Be silent!"

Hear this, you that trample on the needy, and bring to ruin the poor of the land,

saying, "When will the new moon be over so that we may sell grain;

and the sabbath,

so that we may offer wheat for sale?

We will make the ephah small and the shekel great,

and practice deceit with false balances,

buying the poor for silver and the needy for a pair of sandals, and selling the sweepings of the wheat."

The LORD has sworn by the pride of Jacob:

Surely I will never forget any of their deeds.

Shall not the land tremble on this account, and everyone mourn who lives in it,

and all of it rise like the Nile, and be tossed about and sink again, like the Nile of Egypt?

On that day, says the Lord GOD, I will make the sun go down at noon, and darken the earth in broad daylight.

I will turn your feasts into mourning, and all your songs into lamentation;

I will bring sackcloth on all loins, and baldness on every head;

I will make it like the mourning for an only son,

and the end of it like a bitter day.

The time is surely coming, says the Lord GOD, when I will send a famine on the land;

not a famine of bread, or a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the LORD.

They shall wander from sea to sea, and from north to east;

they shall run to and fro, seeking the word of the LORD,

but they shall not find it.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 52

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Deus stetit

Quid gloriaris?

- 1 You tyrant, why do you boast of wickedness * against the godly all day long?
- 2 You plot ruin; your tongue is like a sharpened razor, * O worker of deception.
- 3 You love evil more than good * and lying more than speaking the truth.
- 4 You love all words that hurt, * O you deceitful tongue.
- 5 Oh, that God would demolish you utterly, * topple you, and snatch you from your dwelling, and root you out of the land of the living!
- 6 The righteous shall see and tremble, * and they shall laugh at him, saying,
- 7 "This is the one who did not take God for a refuge, *

but trusted in great wealth and relied upon wickedness."

8 But I am like a green olive tree in the house of God; *

I trust in the mercy of God for ever and ever.

9 I will give you thanks for what you have done * and declare the goodness of your Name in the presence of the godly.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son: and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be forever. Amen.

Second Lesson: Colossians 1:15-28

LECTORS

7:00 A.M.: Mrs. Joyanne Blackman-Jarvis 9:00 A.M.: Mrs. Margaret Fraser-Morrison

A Reading from the Word of God, written in Paul's Letter to the Colossians, the first chapter, beginning at the fifteenth verse.

Christ Jesus is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers-- all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first

place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

And you who were once estranged and hostile in mind, doing evil deeds, he has now reconciled in his fleshly body through death, so as to present you holy and blameless and irreproachable before himprovided that you continue securely established and steadfast in the faith, without shifting from the hope promised by the gospel that you heard, which has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven. I, Paul, became a servant of this gospel.

I am now rejoicing in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am completing what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church. I became its servant according to God's commission that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, the mystery that has been hidden throughout the ages and generations but has now been revealed to his saints. To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. It is he whom we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone in all wisdom, so that we may present everyone mature in Christ.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord. **ALL:** Thanks be to God.

The Gradual Hymn 409 "Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,"

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart, be all else but naught to me, save that thou art; be thou my best thought in the day and the night, both waking and sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word, be thou ever with me, and I with thee, Lord; be thou my great Father, and I thy true son; be thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight; be thou my whole armour, be thou my true might; be thou my soul's shelter, be thou my strong tower: O raise thou me heavenward, great Power of my power.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise; be thou mine inheritance now and always; be thou and thou only the first in my heart; O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, thou heaven's bright Sun, O grant me its joys after victory is won; great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

The Holy Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

The GOSPELLER:

The Rev'd Stephanie Ann Wedderburn

GOSPELLER: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Luke, the tenth chapter, beginning at the thirty-eighth verse.

ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour.

As Jesus and his disciples went on their way, Jesus entered a certain village, where a woman named Martha welcomed him into her home. She had a sister named Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to what he was saying. But Martha was distracted by her many tasks; so she came to him and asked, "Lord, do you not care that my sister has left me to do all the work by myself? Tell her then to help me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and distracted by many things; there is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part, which will not be taken away from her."

GOSPELLER: The Gospel of Christ.

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord.

The Sermon: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

The Nicene Creed

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**

INTERCESSION

INTERCESSORS:

7:00 A.M.: Ms. Shernell O'Neal

9:00 A.M.: Mr. Shaquan Pompey

The Bidding Prayer:

The Assisting Priest

(Please sit or kneel)

Intercessory Prayers for The Mission Action Plan

LEADER: God of compassion, truth, and grace, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. You are good and you are loving, you are faithful, and you are strong. You are always near us, and you hear us when we pray.

We pray for your Church on this day as we launch the Diocesan Mission Action Plan in our parishes. You have called your Church to be your presence in the world. Renew us in your love. Fill us with your vision and make us bold and courageous in our call to be of service to you. May your streams of living water flow through your church so that we may grow together in mutual understanding and fellowship. Renew and transform us, O Lord;

All: That we may be God's church for God's mission.

LEADER: We pray for our Bishops ...Priests.... Deacons and Lay Ministers and all those tasked with leading this mission - The Monitoring and Evaluation Team, The Rural Deans, The Chairs of Commissions and Committees. Grant them wisdom and courage as they work in partnership with your people to spread the words of the Gospel and open the doors for healing and hope. Renew and transform us, O Lord;

All: That we may be God's church for God's mission.

LEADER: We pray for your disciples in our four deaneries of St. Michael, Christ Church, St. Peter and St.

John. May we be moved by prayer and filled with resilience for the work of the Mission Action Plan. Enable us to know you more and trust you as we should. Propel us from the shadows and into the light to show your love to all the least, the lost and the lonely of our society. Let your Holy Spirit guide us in serving and caring for one another as our neighbour. Renew and transform us, O Lord;

All: That we may be God's church for God's mission.

LEADER: We pray for this our Island home, for the leaders of our nation: Our PRESIDENT Dame Sandra...., PRIME MINISTER Mia Amor...., Ministers of government, Judges, Magistrates, the Barbados Police Service, Defence Force, Coast Guard, Firefighters, Health Care Workers, Educators, Sanitation and Beautification Workers, all workers, and all those who in various ways help our communities to run smoothly. May your Spirit of peace and cooperation inspire us to work always for the common good and well-being of this country. Renew and transform us, O Lord;

All: That we may be God's church for God's mission.

LEADER: We pray for those we love, especially our families and friends. Strengthen our relationships and help us to know your holy presence in all the moments of connection in our lives. Tend the sick, give rest to the weary, sooth the suffering, pity the afflicted, bless the dying, shield the joyous, and may we find in our concern,

a glimpse of your endless affection for them. Renew and transform us, O Lord;

All: That we may be God's church for God's mission.

We pray that as we live out the Mission Action Plan, it will help us to bring peace to our homes, our schools, places of employment, villages, places of worship and promote justice in our land. Sustain us, your disciples, in the spheres of influence where you place us, and empower, encourage, protect and provide for those who serve you in ministry and mission. Renew and transform us, O Lord;

All: that we may be God's church for God's mission.

LEADER: Let us pray

O God, we praise you for the redemption of the world through the death and resurrection of Jesus the Christ. We thank you for pouring out your Spirit upon us, making some apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, to equip your people for the building up of the Body of Christ. You continue to raise up labourers for your harvest to send them out to build, to plant, to raise and to pray - Sowers of your good news, workers of healing, and caretakers of new life, to embrace, serve, transform and uplift our people and our Nation to you. Bless this new engagement, the Mission Action Plan that we now seek to undertake, to reset your Church. Especially bless those who will oversee and put its mission objectives into action. Equip them for service,

enliven them with your joy, and help them to remember and trust that, with their best efforts, it is you who will bring in the harvest, that your Name may be glorified, now and for ever.

All: Amen.

THE ACT OF PENITENCE

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THE 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. (1 John 1:8, 9)

A period of silence shall be kept.

THE PRESIDENT:

Let us therefore confess our sins.

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*.

THE ABSOLUTION

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PRESIDENT:

Almighty God have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

ALL: Amen.

THE GREETING OF THE PEACE Page 124

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.

PRESIDENT: The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

ALL: And also with you.

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Offertory Hymn 331 "Lord, thy church on earth is seeking"

Lord, thy church on earth is seeking thy renewal from above. Teach us all the art of speaking with the accent of thy love, we would heed thy great commission: 'Go ye into every place - preach, baptize, fulfill my mission, serve with love and share my grace.'

Freedom give to those in bondage, lift the burdens caused by sin, give new hope, new strength and courage, grant release from fears within.

Light for darkness, joy for sorrow; love for hatred; peace for strife.

These and countless blessings follow as the Spirit gives new life.

In the slums of every city where the bruised and lonely dwell, we shall show the Saviour's pity, we shall of his mercy tell. In all lands and with all races, we shall serve and seek to bring all mankind to render praises, Christ, to thee, Redeemer, King.

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THE OFFERTORY PRAYER "B"

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PRESIDENT AND PEOPLE:

Father, we offer 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 EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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PRESIDENT: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

PRESIDENT: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.

PRESIDENT: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

ALL: It is right to give 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:

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For you are the source of light and life: you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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!
(Please sit or kneel)

The Great Thanksgiving "A"

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All Holy and glorious Father, our Creator God, we give you thanks because in your loving wisdom you brought all things into being, and are truly worthy of praise from every creature you have made.

Again and again we have turned away from you; yet in every age your steadfast love has called us to return, to live in union with you: for it is your eternal purpose to put new life into all things and make them holy.

Through your Son, Jesus Christ who took our human nature upon Him you have redeemed the world from the bondage of sin: and by the power of your Holy Spirit you have gathered a people to yourself, to make known in every place His perfect offering which He made to the glory of your Name.

Hear us, therefore, Father, through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord; And grant that these gifts of bread and wine may be unto us His Body and Blood.

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."

And 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:

Let us proclaim the mystery of our faith.

ALL:

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

PRESIDENT:

And so, Heavenly Father, rejoicing in His Holy Incarnation; His Blessed Passion and His Perfect Sacrifice made once for all upon the Cross; His Mighty Resurrection from the dead; His Glorious Ascension into heaven; and looking for His Coming in glory; we offer to you this Bread and this Cup.

We pray that you will accept this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; and grant that all who eat and drink of the Body and Blood of your Son, our great High Priest, may be renewed by your Holy Spirit, and be one Body, one Spirit, in Him.

Let faith and love increase in us.
Unite us with all Bishops,
all other ministers of your Word and Sacraments,
and with the whole people of God,
living and departed,
whom you have made for yourself.

Confirm us in holiness, that we may be found ready to join the company of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Holy Apostles, and all your saints, when our Lord Jesus Christ comes again: Forever giving you thanks and praise through Him from whom all good things do come.

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

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PRESIDENT:

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

ALL:

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name;
your kingdom come; your will be done
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread,
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.

The Breaking of The Bread "A"

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PRESIDENT:

We break this bread to share in the body of Christ

ALL:

Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.

THE COMMUNION

The Invitation "B"

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THE PRESIDENT:

The Gifts of God for the People of God.

ALL:

Our souls will feast and be satisfied, and we will sing glad songs of praise to Him.

THE AGNUS DEI

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Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: grant us peace.



The Administration of Communion/ Spiritual Communion

The Communion Hymn 851 "Seek ye first the kingdom of God,"

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia.

Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God. Allelu, alleluia.

Ask and it shall be given unto you, seek and ye shall find; knock and the door shall be opened up to you. Allelu, alleluia.

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ALL:

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

The 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.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Recessional Hymn 370 "King of glory, King of peace,"

King of glory, King of peace,
I will love thee;
and, that love may never cease,
I will move thee.
Thou hast granted my request,
thou hast heard me;
thou didst note my working breast,
thou hast spared me.

Wherefore with my utmost art I will sing thee, and the cream of all my heart I will bring thee.
Though my sins against me cried, thou didst clear me, and alone, when they replied, thou didst hear me.

Seven whole days, not one in seven, I will praise thee; in my heart, though not in heaven, I can raise thee.

Small it is, in this poor sort to enrol thee:
e'en eternity's too short to extol thee.

Words: George Herbert (1593-1633)

THE DISMISSAL

THE PRESIDENT: The Lord be with you

ALL: And also with you.

THE PRESIDENT: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

ALL: In the name of Christ. Amen

Organ Postlude (Worshippers are invited to sit silently to listen to the voluntary but those who wish to leave at this point may do so quietly.)

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ YEAR C

First Reading: Amos 8:1-12

Comment: "The indictment of Israel"

In the first lesson is, judgment on social injustice and religious hypocrisy. On celebrations like the New Moon and Sabbaths, no work was allowed. Yet traders were so full of greed that they only mechanically observed the festivals and could not wait for them to be over so that they might again swindle the poor. Such offenses are also

sins against the Lord. There will be earthquake, flood, and the sun's eclipse. The feasts will become times of mourning and no-one will be able to find the word of the Lord.

Psalm 52

The psalmist writes with confidence of God's judgment upon a rich and abusive evildoer.

Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-28

Comment: "A Hymn to Christ, the firstborn of all creation."

This lesson exults in the primacy of Christ, who is the image of the invisible God in whom all things find meaning and coherence. All the fullness of deity was pleased to dwell in Christ, who provides leadership to the living body of the church. In the mystery of God's plan, Gentiles, too, share in the hope of glory. For this ministry to non-Jews Paul has been especially appointed. The sufferings he experiences in his work are a way of filling out the redemptive activity of Christ through his body, the church. The result is that those who once were strangers to God and living in sin may now be reconciled through Christ's sacrifice and grow toward their maturity in his body.

The Holy Gospel: Luke 10:38-42

Comment: "Jesus says: Martha, your sister Mary has chosen the better part."

The gospel is the story of Martha and Mary and their different attitudes towards life and the Lord's presence. Jesus is on his way to Jerusalem and his death. The little narrative focuses on Martha and indicates how good works without a response to the Lord may only lead to anxiety and to missing what is essential.

CATHEDRAL NEWS

Financial Stewardship: Friends and well-wishers may write to: stmichaelcathedral@caribsurf.com or call 1 246-427-0790 for more details. Meantime, donations can be made through online payments to St. Michael's Cathedral CIBC First Caribbean International Bank, Bridgetown Branch, Account #2719302, Transit #09606.

Congratulations to all those celebrating birthdays this week.

July 17 – 23, 2022

Ms. Yvonne C. Clarke ~ 17 Mr. David R. I. Sealy ~ 17 Mr. Clifford F. Taylor ~ 19 Ms. Amber Proute ~ 21





SICK: Please remember the sick and injured of our Parish and wider community, especially Aldon and Margaret Browne, Elsie Brunson, Colleen Byer, Darwin Clarke, Kevin Gill, Alice P. Hall, Jonathan Holder, Olga Holder, Marcia Hoyte, Selina Jones, Olga Marshall, Blair Murray, Clyde Outram, Sheila Sealy, Phyllis Springer, Winifred Trotman and Marcia Watson.



BEREAVEMENT: We extend sincere condolences to the family of the late Ms. Gwendolyn Franklyn. We thank God for his life, work and witness among us. May you know the blessedness of those who mourn.

SERMON NOTES

Sermon
Text:
Topic:
Preacher:
Points to Ponder:
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What was God saying specifically to me during the Sermon?

Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings (July 17 - 23, 2022)		
Day	Morning Readings	Evening Readings
Sunday	Psalms 63:1-8(9-11),	Psalm 103
	98	1 Samuel 23:7-18
	Joshua 6:15-27	Acts 22:30-23:11
	Mark 2:1-12	
Monday	Psalms 41, 52	Psalm 44
	Joshua 7:1-13	1 Samuel 24:1-22
	Matthew 26:36-46	Romans 13:8-14
Tuesday	Psalm 45	Psalms 47, 48
	Joshua 8:1-22	1 Samuel 25:1-22
	Matthew 26:47-56	Romans 14:1-12
Wednesday	Psalm 119:49-72	Psalms 49, (53)
	Joshua 8:30-35	1 Samuel 25:23-44
	Matthew 26:57-68	Romans 14:13-23
Thursday	Psalm 50	Psalms (59, 60) or 66, 67
	Joshua 9:3-21	1 Samuel 28:3-20
	Matthew 26:69-75	Romans 15:1-13
Friday	Psalm 116	Psalms 30, 149
	Zephaniah 3:14-20	Exodus 15:19-21
	Mark 15:47-16:7	2 Corinthians 1:3-7
Saturday	Psalm 55	Psalms 138, 139:1-
	Joshua 23:1-16	17(18-23)
	Matthew 27:11-23	2 Samuel 1:1-16
		Romans 15:25-33
		Collect for Proper 12

THEME FOR THE WEEK

"The life of faith brings many experiences and attitudes not understood by the world."



CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES

Sunday, July 17, 2022
The Sixth Sunday after Pentecost -

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist 9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

5:00 P.M. – Confirmation Class Meeting ID: 828 5884 7393 Passcode: CON2022



Wednesday, July 20, 2022 10:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist



Sunday, July 24, 2022
The Seventh Sunday after Pentecost
7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

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