

**The Cathedral Church of  
Saint Michael and All Angels**

**welcomes you to the celebration of**

**The Holy Eucharist**

**August 28, 2022**

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



**Humbled & Exalted**

*Luke 14:1, 7-14*

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

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## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

### **Emergency Management (COVID-19) Protocols No. 11 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 Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost  
YEAR C**

**7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist  
President and Preacher**

The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

**9:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist  
President and Preacher**

The Rev'd Canon George Knight

**Lay Eucharistic Minister:**

Mrs. Valdine Browne



# ORDER OF WORSHIP

## THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

**The Introit Hymn 369** ~ “Joyful, joyful, we adore thee”

Joyful, joyful, we adore thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
hearts unfold like flowers before thee,  
praising thee, their sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;  
drive the dark of doubt away;  
giver of immortal gladness,  
fill us with the light of day.

All thy works with joy surround thee,  
earth and heaven reflect thy rays,  
stars and angels sing around thee,  
centre of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
blooming meadow, flashing sea,  
chanting bird and flowing fountain,  
call us to rejoice in thee.

Thou art giving and forgiving,  
ever blessing, ever blest,  
well-spring of the joy of living,  
ocean-depth of happy rest!  
Thou our Father, Christ our Brother:  
all who live in love are thine;  
teach us how to love each other,  
lift us to the joy divine.

*Words: Henry Van Dyke (1852-1933)*

## Opening Sentence “General”

Welcome

Therefore I will offer in His dwelling an oblation with sounds of great gladness; I will sing and make music to the Lord. *Psalm 27:7*

### THE INVOCATION

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**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.**

**The Collect: “The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost”**

**Proper 17**

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Let us pray.

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

*(Please sit)*

## **THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD**

**First Lesson: Jeremiah 2:4-13**

**LECTORS:**

**7:00 A.M.: Ms. Helena Lyte**

**9:00 A.M.: Ms. Donnah Russell (CA)**

A Reading from the Word of God, written in the Book of the prophet Jeremiah, the second chapter, beginning at the fourth verse.



Hear the word of the LORD, O house of Jacob, and all the families of the house of Israel. Thus says the LORD:

What wrong did your ancestors find in me  
that they went far from me,  
and went after worthless things, and became  
worthless themselves?

They did not say, "Where is the LORD  
who brought us up from the land of Egypt,  
who led us in the wilderness,  
in a land of deserts and pits,  
in a land of drought and deep darkness,  
in a land that no one passes through,  
where no one lives?"

I brought you into a plentiful land  
to eat its fruits and its good things.

But when you entered you defiled my land,  
and made my heritage an abomination.

The priests did not say, "Where is the LORD?"  
Those who handle the law did not know me;  
the rulers transgressed against me;  
the prophets prophesied by Baal,  
and went after things that do not profit.

Therefore once more I accuse you, says the LORD,  
and I accuse your children's children.

Cross to the coasts of Cyprus and look,  
send to Kedar and examine with care;  
see if there has ever been such a thing.

Has a nation changed its gods,  
even though they are no gods?

But my people have changed their glory  
for something that does not profit.

Be appalled, O heavens, at this,  
be shocked, be utterly desolate,  
says the LORD,

for my people have committed two evils:  
they have forsaken me,  
the fountain of living water,  
and dug out cisterns for themselves,  
cracked cisterns  
that can hold no water.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

**Psalm 81:1, 10-16**

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*Exultate Deo*

1 Sing with joy to God our strength\*  
and raise a loud shout to the God of Jacob.

10 I am the LORD your God,  
who brought you out of the land of Egypt and  
said,\*  
"Open your mouth wide, and I will fill it."

11 And yet my people did not hear my voice,\*  
and Israel would not obey me.

12 So I gave them over to the stubbornness of their  
hearts,\* to follow their own devices.

13 Oh, that my people would listen to me!\*  
that Israel would walk in my ways!

14 I should soon subdue their enemies\*  
and turn my hand against their foes.

15 Those who hate the LORD would cringe before  
him,\* and their punishment would last for ever.

16 But Israel would I feed with the finest wheat\*  
and satisfy him with honey from the rock.

**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: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16**

LECTORS;

**7:00 A.M.: Ms. Helena Lyte**

**9:00 A.M.: Ms. Margaret Aimey**

A Reading from the Word of God, written in The Letter to the Hebrews, the thirteenth chapter, beginning at the first verse.

Let mutual love continue. Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by doing that some have entertained angels without knowing it. Remember those who are in prison, as though you were in prison with them; those who are being tortured, as though you yourselves were being tortured. Let marriage be held in honor by all, and let the marriage bed be kept undefiled; for God will judge fornicators and adulterers. Keep your lives free from the love of money, and be content with what you have; for he has said, "I will never leave you or forsake you." So we can say with confidence,

"The Lord is my helper;  
I will not be afraid.

What can anyone do to me?"

Remember your leaders, those who spoke the word of God to you; consider the outcome of their way of life, and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.

Through him, then, let us continually offer a sacrifice of praise to God, that is, the fruit of lips that confess his name. Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

**ALL: Thanks be to God.**

**The Gradual Hymn 228** "Immortal, invisible, God only wise,"

Immortal, invisible, God only wise,  
in light inaccessible hid from our eyes,  
most blessèd, most glorious, the Ancient of Days,  
almighty, victorious, thy great name we praise.

Unresting, unhasting, and silent as light,  
nor wanting, nor wasting, thou rulest in might;  
thy justice like mountains high soaring above  
thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love.

To all life thou givest, to both great and small;  
in all life thou livest, the true life of all;  
we blossom and flourish as leaves on the tree,  
and wither and perish; but naught changeth thee.

Great Father of glory, pure Father of light,  
thine angels adore thee, all veiling their sight;  
all laud we would render: O help us to see  
'tis only the splendour of light hideth thee.

**The Holy Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14**

The GOSPELLER:

7:00 & 9:00 A.M. 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  
fourteenth chapter, beginning at the first verse.

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

On one occasion when Jesus was going to the house of  
a leader of the Pharisees to eat a meal on the sabbath,  
they were watching him closely.

When he noticed how the guests chose the places of  
honor, he told them a parable. "When you are invited  
by someone to a wedding banquet, do not sit down at  
the place of honor, in case someone more distinguished  
than you has been invited by your host; and the host  
who invited both of you may come and say to you,  
'Give this person your place,' and then in disgrace you  
would start to take the lowest place. But when you are  
invited, go and sit down at the lowest place, so that  
when your host comes, he may say to you, 'Friend,  
move up higher'; then you will be honored in the

presence of all who sit at the table with you. For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."

He said also to the one who had invited him, "When you give a luncheon or a dinner, do not invite your friends or your brothers or your relatives or rich neighbors, in case they may invite you in return, and you would be repaid. But when you give a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, and the blind. And you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you, for you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

**GOSPELLER:** The Gospel of Christ.

**ALL:**                   **Praise to Christ our Lord.**

**The Sermon:**

7:00 A.M The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

9:00 A.M The Rev'd Canon George Knight

**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 FORM “H”**

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**INTERCESSORS:**

**7:00 A.M.: Mrs. Joyanne Blackman-Jarvis**

**9:00 A.M.: Mr. Victor Small (CA)**

The Bidding Prayer: The Assisting Priest

*(Please sit or kneel)*

Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

*(Silence)*

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

Guide the people of this land, and all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace: that we may honour one another and serve the common good.

*(Silence)*

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy.

**ALL: Hear our prayer**



Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honour and glory.

*(Silence)*

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as He loves us.

*(Silence)*

LEADER: Lord in your mercy.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

*(Silence)*

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

*(Silence)*

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy.

**ALL: Hear our prayer.**

*(Silence)*

## **THE CONCLUDING COLLECT**

THE PRESIDENT:

Almighty and eternal God, ruler of all things in heaven and earth: mercifully accept the prayers of your people, and strengthen us to do your will; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**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.**

*(Please stand)*

**THE GREETING OF THE PEACE**

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**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 416 “I, the Lord of sea and sky,”

I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in dark and sin  
my hand will save.  
I, who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send?

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

*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.*

I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them,  
they turn away.  
I will break their hearts of stone,  
give them hearts for love alone,  
I will speak my word to them.  
Whom shall I send?

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

I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame,  
I will set a feast for them,  
my hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide  
till their hearts be satisfied,  
I will give my life to them.  
Whom shall I send?

**Refrain:**

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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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Because on this most glorious day, a triple light was given. On the first day of creation you brought light and life into being. On the first day, for our salvation, you raised your Son victorious over death; and on this day you gave your Holy and life-giving Spirit to your church.

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 “B”**

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## 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 humankind.

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."

*The following Acclamation shall be said:*

**ALL**

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

**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.**



**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 463** “Come, thou fount of every  
blessing,”

Come, thou fount of every blessing,  
tune my heart to sing thy praise!  
Streams of mercy never ceasing,  
call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet,  
sung by flaming tongues above.  
Praise the mount! Oh, fix me on it,  
mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I find my greatest treasure;  
hither, by thy help, I've come;  
and I hope, by thy good pleasure,  
safely to arrive at home.

Jesus sought me when a stranger  
wandering from the fold of God;  
he, to rescue me from danger,  
interposed his precious blood.

Oh, to grace how great a debtor  
daily I'm constrained to be!  
Let thy goodness, like a fetter,  
bind my wandering heart to thee:  
prone to wander, Lord, I feel it,  
prone to leave the God I love;  
here's my heart, oh, take and seal it,  
seal it for thy courts above.

*Words: Robert Robinson (1735-1790), alt.*

## **THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER “B”** Page 148

**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 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 750** “Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!”

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord!  
Unnumbered blessings give my spirit voice;  
tender to me the promise of his word;  
in God my saviour shall my heart rejoice.

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his name!  
Make known his might, the deeds his arm has done;  
his mercy sure, from age to age the same;  
his holy name, the Lord, the mighty one.

Tell out, my soul, the greatness of his might!  
Powers and dominions lay their glory by.  
Proud hearts and stubborn wills are put to flight,  
the hungry fed, the humble lifted high.

Tell out, my soul, the glories of his word!  
Firm is his promise, and his mercy sure.  
Tell out, my soul, the greatness of the Lord  
to children's children and for evermore!

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## **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 TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST— YEAR C**

**First Reading: Jeremiah 2:4-13**

**Comment:** “The very heavens are appalled that the people have turned from God, the fountain of living water”

In our Hebrew scripture lesson, **the prophet gives voice to the Lord’s bafflement with the families of Israel, who have strayed far and no longer seek for God.** The people seem to have forgotten their deliverance from Egypt and God’s providential care in giving them the Promised Land. All have forgotten the Lord: priests, rulers, prophets, and

people alike, pursuing gods which are no gods, and worthless ways. The very heavens are appalled that the people have been turned from God, the fountain of living water.

### **Psalm 81:1, 10-16**

A psalm of festival praise and an exhortation to worship the Lord alone.

### **Second Reading: Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16**

**Comment: “God is with us: let acts of mutual love continue.”**

In this reading **Christians are urged to live moral, hospitable, and charitable lives, recalling the faith and examples of their leaders, but especially the unchanging Jesus.** The leaders referred to are the founders of this church who have now died. Jesus Christ, however, remains with his people, in the past, present, and future. Scripture says that God will never forsake us, and, with the Lord as our helper, there is no need to be afraid. Therefore one should be swift to worship, both in the praise of one’s lips and by sharing and striving to do good to others.

### **The Holy Gospel: Luke 14:1, 7-14**

**Comment: “An image of God’s reign: invite the poor, crippled to your banquet.”**

In the gospel, **Jesus tells a parable about humility and teaches his host that he should invite the poor and infirm to his feasts.** Both the parable and the teaching

have a still deeper significance. The reign of God is the Lord's gift, which comes to those who do not presume their place in it. By his actions as well as his words, Jesus' ministry shows that the kingdom is open to those who are considered by others to be outcasts. People who share in God's ruling love and justice are to have a transformed attitude toward the poor and needy.

## **CATHEDRAL NEWS**

**FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP:** Friends and well-wishers may write to: [stmichaelcathedral@caribsurf.com](mailto: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.

**FLOWERS:** Members of the congregation are invited to donate towards the purchase of flowers. Flowers may be donated in memory of loved ones, in celebration of birthdays, anniversaries or for any other special occasion.



**STREAMING MINISTRY:** During the month of August, the weekly live streaming of the Sunday 9:00 o'clock service will not be done. The opportunity is being taken to examine ways to enhance the capacity of this Ministry. Towards that end, the following ideas are being considered:

- i. The installation of cameras, to be managed remotely.
- ii. The installation of monitors, for the display of the services. However, concern has been registered about the intrusive nature of such equipment, since the Cathedral is a building of historical significance.
- iii. The need for all persons involved in the leadership of worship, to be always conscious that they are on camera.
- iv. The reconstitution of a Worship Committee to have oversight for the training of persons, and the evaluation and integration of this ministry into the overall Cathedral operation.

Members and well-wishers are invited to share their views on this subject by sending an email to [stmichaelcathedral@caribsurf.com](mailto:stmichaelcathedral@caribsurf.com). Financial donations towards the purchase and installation of equipment would also be greatly appreciated.

**ORGAN MAINTENANCE:** The chancel motor which was damaged has been replaced. The new motor has been connected and is working. The cost was \$15,870.49 and this was met from the Organ Fund.





**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, Blair Murray, Ermine Lowe, Clyde Outram, Sylvester Sargeant (Blues), Sheila Sealy, Phyllis Springer, Winifred Trotman, Marcia Watson and George Yearwood.



**BEREAVEMENT:** The funeral service of the late Rev'd Canon Ivan H. Harewood will take place in the Parish Church of Christ Church on Monday, August 29, 2022 at 3:00 p.m. His body will repose in the Church of St. Matthew, Jackmans, St. Michael today from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. A memorial service for the late Rev'd Trevor Davis will be announced in due course.

Meantime, a funeral service was held in the Chapel at Coral Ridge Memorial Gardens, The Ridge, Christ Church for the late Rev'd Amrela Massiah last Monday, August 22, 2022. She was cremated. Sincere condolences to the Davis, Harewood, and Massiah families.

“So, when their work is finished here,  
may they in hope their charge resign;  
so, when their Master shall appear,  
may they with crowns of glory shine.”  
(CPWI Hymn # 700, verse 5)

Sincere condolences also to the families of the late Richard Bentham, Olga Marshall, Edith Morris and Ezekiel Wood. In the words of 1 Peter 5:7,

“Cast all your anxiety on him, because he cares for you.”

## **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Heartiest congratulations to all persons who will be celebrating a birthday this week:

August 28 – September 3, 2022

*Mr. Kenrick White ~ 2*

*Ms. Cicely I. Goodridge ~ 2*

*Mr. Oscar DeLisle Ifill ~ 3*

*Ms. Monica H. Asgill ~ 3*



## SERMON NOTES

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| <b>Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings<br/>(August 28 - September 3, 2022)</b> |  |  |
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| <b>Day</b>  | <b>Morning Readings</b>  | <b>Evening Readings</b>  |
| Sunday  | Psalms 148, 149,<br>150<br>Job 11:1-9, 13-20<br>Matthew 5:1-12 | Psalms 114, 115<br>1 Kings 8:22-30<br>(31-40)<br>Revelation 5:1-14         |
| Monday  | Psalm 25<br>Job 12:1-6, 13-25<br>John 8:21-32                  | Psalms 9, 15<br>2 Chronicles 6:32-7:7<br>Acts 11:19-30                     |
| Tuesday   | Psalms 26, 28<br>Job 12:1; 13:3-17,<br>21-27<br>John 8:33-47   | Psalms 36, 39<br>1 Kings 8:65-9:9<br>Acts 12:1-17                          |
| Wednesday   | Psalm 38<br>Job 12:1; 14:1-22<br>John 8:47-59                  | Psalm 119:25-48<br>1 Kings 9:24-10:13<br>Acts 12:18-25                     |
| Thursday  | Psalm 37:1-18<br>Job 16:16-22, 17:1,<br>13-16<br>John 9:1-17   | Psalm 37:19-42<br>1 Kings 11:1-13<br>Acts 13:1-12                          |
| Friday  | Psalm 31<br>Job 19:1-7, 14-27<br>John 9:18-41                  | Psalm 35<br>1 Kings 11:26-43<br>Acts 13:13-25                              |
| Saturday  | Psalms 30, 32<br>Job 22:1-4, 21-23:7<br>John 10:1-18           | Psalms 42, 43<br>1 Kings 12:1-20<br>Acts 13:26-43<br>Collect for Proper 18 |

## CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES

**Sunday, August 28, 2022**

**The Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost**

**7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist**

**9:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist**



**Wednesday, August 31, 2022**

**10:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist**



**Sunday, September 4, 2022**

**The Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist**

**9:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist**



### **THEME FOR THE WEEK**

“The lack of self-importance is one of the marks of the true Christian.”

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