The Cathedral Church of Saint Michael and All Angels

welcomes you to the celebration of

The Holy Eucharist

November 13, 2022

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



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

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The Twenty-Third Sunday After Pentecost: Remembrance Sunday

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7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

President: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn Preacher: The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

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Eucharistic Minister: Dr. Sherlock Bradshaw

ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Welcome

The Introit/Opening **Hymn ~ 3** "Christ, whose glory fills the skies,"

Christ, whose glory fills the skies, Christ the true, the only Light, Sun of Righteousness, arise, triumph o'er the shades of night; dayspring from on high, be near; Daystar, in my heart appear. Dark and cheerless is the morn unaccompanied by thee; joyless is the day's return, till thy mercy's beams I see; till they inward light impart, glad my eyes, and warm my heart.

Visit then this soul of mine, pierce the gloom of sin and grief; fill me, Radiancy Divine, scatter all my unbelief; more and more thyself display, shining to the perfect day.

Words: Charles Wesley (1707-17880), 1740

Welcome

Opening Sentence "General"

Worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth stand in awe of Him. *Psalm 96:9*

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.

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PRESIDENT:

Let us pray.

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of eternal life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ; 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: Isaiah 65:17-25

LECTORS:

7:00 A.M.: Ms. Alicia White

9:00 A.M.: Mrs. Margaret King (MU)

A Reading from the Word of God, written in the Book of Isaiah, the sixty-fifth chapter, beginning at the seventeenth verse.

For I am about to create new heavens and a new earth;

the former things shall not be remembered or come to mind.

But be glad and rejoice forever in what I am creating;

for I am about to create Jerusalem as a joy, and its people as a delight.

I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and delight in my people;

no more shall the sound of weeping be heard in it, or the cry of distress.

No more shall there be in it an infant that lives but a few days, or an old person who does not live out a lifetime;

for one who dies at a hundred years will be considered a youth, and one who falls short of a hundred will be considered accursed.

They shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit.

They shall not build and another inhabit; they shall not plant and another eat;

for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be, and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands.

They shall not labor in vain, or bear children for calamity;

for they shall be offspring blessed by the LORD-and their descendants as well.

Before they call I will answer, while they are yet speaking I will hear.

The wolf and the lamb shall feed together, the lion shall eat straw like the ox; but the serpent-- its food shall be dust!

They shall not hurt or destroy on all my holy mountain, says the LORD.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Canticle 9 The First Song of Isaiah Ecce, Deus Isaiah 12:2-6

Surely, it is God who saves me;*
I will trust in him and not be afraid.

For the Lord is my stronghold and my sure defense,* and he will be my Saviour.

Therefore you shall draw water with rejoicing*

from the springs of salvation.

And on that day you shall say,*

Give thanks to the Lord and call upon his Name;

Make his deeds known among the peoples;*

see that they remember that his Name is exalted.

Sing the praises of the Lord, for he has done great things,* and this is known in all the world.

Cry aloud, inhabitants of Zion, ring out your joy,* for the great one in the midst of you is the Holy One of Israel.

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: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

LECTORS:

7:00 A.M.: Master Daniel Greenidge 9:00 A.M.: Mrs. Judy King (L.E.M.)

A Reading from the Word of God, written in the Second Letter of Paul to the Thessalonians, the third chapter, beginning at the sixth verse.

Now we command you, beloved, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, to keep away from believers who are living in idleness and not according to the tradition that they received from us. For you yourselves know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you, and we did not eat anyone's bread without paying for it; but with toil and labor we

worked night and day, so that we might not burden any of you. This was not because we do not have that right, but in order to give you an example to imitate. For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. For we hear that some of you are living in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living. Brothers and sisters, do not be weary in doing what is right.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

The Gradual **Hymn** ~ 520 "Teach me, my God and King,"

Teach me, my God and King, in all things thee to see; and what I do in anything to do it as for thee.

A man that looks on glass, on it may stay his eye; or, if he pleaseth, through it pass, and then the heaven espy.

All may of thee partake; nothing can be so mean which, with this tincture, *For thy sake*, will not grow bright and clean. A servant with this clause makes drudgery divine; who sweeps a room, as for thy laws, makes that and the action fine.

This is the famous stone that turneth all to gold; for that which God doth touch and own cannot for less be told

Words: George Herbert (1593-1633)

The Holy Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

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 twenty-first chapter, beginning at the fifth verse.

ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour.

When some were speaking about the temple, how it was adorned with beautiful stones and gifts dedicated to God, Jesus said, "As for these things that you see, the days will come when not one stone will be left upon another; all will be thrown down."

They asked him, "Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign that this is about to take place?" And he said, "Beware that you are not led astray; for many

will come in my name and say, 'I am he!' and, 'The time is near!' Do not go after them.

"When you hear of wars and insurrections, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end will not follow immediately." Then he said to them, "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and plagues; and there will be dreadful portents and great signs from heaven.

"But before all this occurs, they will arrest you and persecute you; they will hand you over to synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors because of my name. This will give you an opportunity to testify. So make up your minds not to prepare your defense in advance; for I will give you words and a wisdom that none of your opponents will be able to withstand or contradict. You will be betrayed even by parents and brothers, by relatives and friends; and they will put some of you to death. You will be hated by all because of my name. But not a hair of your head will perish. By your endurance you will gain your souls."

THE GOSPELLER: The Gospel of Christ.

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord.

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

(Please stand, as able)

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 "F"

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INTERCESSORS:

7:00 A.M.: Ms. Harriet Godding

9:00 A.M.: Mrs. Juno Burrows (UG)

The Bidding Prayer: Assisting Priest

Let us pray for the Church and for all people according to their needs. Lord in your love,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

(Please sit or kneel)

LEADER: In our Anglican Cycle of prayer, we pray for the Hong Kong Anglican Church. In the Church of the Province of the West Indies, bless and inspire all members of the clergy, especially Howard, our Archbishop; pour your Holy Spirit upon the Provincial Synod currently convened in Kingstown, St. Vincent and the Grenadines; also, bless and inspire Michael, our Bishop; Wilfred, retired Bishop of Croydon, England; Rufus and John, retired Bishops of Barbados; and Jeffrey, George, and Stephanie-Ann, our Priests.

ALL: That their lives may be examples of their teaching, and that they may rightly and faithfully administer your holy Sacraments.

LEADER: Guide and protect all Heads of State and all who bear rule, especially those in this land: Sandra our President, Mia Amor the Prime Minister, all members of Parliament, and all persons serving in Government. Grant moral courage and political will to international leaders so that they may implement the decisions made at the recently concluded United Nations Conference on Climate Change (COP 27).

ALL: That our people may be godly and peacefully governed.

LEADER: Direct those who administer justice; and strengthen those who guard and protect the land.

ALL: That our people may dwell in peace.

LEADER: Reveal the common good to those in positions of public trust and to decision-makers in industry and commerce.

ALL: That freedom and dignity may prevail among us.

LEADER: Enlighten with your Spirit all places of education and learning.

ALL: That the whole world may be filled with the knowledge of your truth.

LEADER: Comfort and help all persons who are in any trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity, especially Margaret, Chesterfield, Elsie, Colleen, Darwin, Kevin, Alice, Jonathan, Olga, Marcia, Selina, Blair, Clyde, Sylvester, Sheila, Phyllis, Winifred and George.

ALL: Help us to help them, O Lord.

LEADER: Remember our brothers and sisters, especially Aldon Browne, Joyce Scott and all others who have died in your faith and fear.

ALL: Grant them peace and eternal life.

LEADER: We thank you heavenly Father, for the witness of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Jesus, our Lord and Saviour; for the holy Patriarchs, Prophets, Apostles and Martyrs; and for all the Saints, who have been good examples in their generations.

PRESIDENT:

And finally let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

(A period of silence may be kept)ALL: Accept our prayers and intercessions, Father, according to your wisdom, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ. 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.

HYMN OF FELLOWSHIP: "Let there be peace on earth"

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.

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Offertory **Hymn ~ 449** "Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy,"

Lord of all hopefulness, Lord of all joy, whose trust, ever childlike, no cares could destroy, be there at our waking, and give us, we pray, your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day. Lord of all eagerness, Lord of all faith, whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe, be there at our labours, and give us, we pray, your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.

Lord of all kindliness, Lord of all grace, your hands swift to welcome, your arms to embrace, be there at our homing, and give us, we pray, your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

Lord of all gentleness, Lord of all calm, whose voice is contentment, whose presence is balm, be there at our sleeping, and give us, we pray, your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

Words: Jan Struther (1901-1953), from Enlarged Songs of Praise

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:

For by water and the Holy Spirit you have made us a new people in Jesus Christ our Lord, to show forth your glory in all the world.

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)

PRESIDENT:

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 ~ 515** "Come, we that love the Lord"

Come, we that love the Lord and let our joys be known; join in a song with sweet accord, join in a song with sweet accord, and thus surround the throne, and thus surround the throne.

Refrain:

We're marching to Zion, beautiful, beautiful Zion; we're marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God.

Let those refuse to sing who never knew our God; but children of the heavenly King, but children of the heavenly King may speak their joys abroad, may speak their joys abroad.

Refrain

The hill of Zion yields a thousand sacred sweets before we reach the heavenly fields, before we reach the heavenly fields, or walk the golden streets, or walk the golden streets.

Refrain

Then let our songs abound, and every tear be dry; we're marching through Immanuel's ground, we're marching through Immanuel's ground, to fairer worlds on high, to fairer worlds on high.

Refrain

Words: Isaac Watts (1674-1748)

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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. *Amen*.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Recessional **Hymn ~ 234** "O God, our help in ages past"

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home:

Beneath the shadow of thy throne thy saints have dwelt secure; sufficient is thine arm alone, and our defence is sure. Before the hills in order stood, or earth received her frame, from everlasting thou art God, to endless years the same.

A thousand ages in thy sight are like an evening gone; short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream, bears all its sons away; they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the opening day.

O God, our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, be thou our guard while troubles last, and our eternal home!

Author: Isaac Watts in 1708: Revised by John Wesley in 1738.

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

A REMEBRANCE SUNDAY OBSERVANCE

Ode for the Fallen

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old; age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

At the going down of the sun, and in the morning, we will remember them.

From 'For the Fallen', Laurence Binyon (1869–1943); first published in The Times in September 1914.

A minute's silence is kept.

A Vision of Peace and Security – Micah 4:2-4

Let us pray.

Ever-living God, we remember those whom you have gathered from the storm of war into the peace of your presence; may that same peace calm our fears, bring justice to all peoples and establish harmony among the nations, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The National Anthem

Thank you most sincerely for worshiping at the Cathedral this morning.



THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST YEAR C

THEME FOR THE WEEK

"Vigilance is a key part of our service of the Lord."

Reading: Isaiah 65:17-25

Comment "Jerusalem will flourish"

In this prophetic reading, we hear of a blessed time when God will overcome many of life's shortcomings and frustrations. A prophet probably wrote these words in a period after the people had returned from exile but while there was still much cause for discouragement. A new order will come for Jerusalem. No longer will children die young or workers not know the fruits of their labour. Even the animals will enjoy the new age.

Canticle 9 Isaiah 12 (The First Song of Isaiah)

A canticle of praise announcing the vindication of those who have placed their confidence in the Lord God.

Second Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13

Comment "Do not be idle, but do what is right for the sake of Christ"

In this lesson, Paul deals with the problems of those who are so expectant that the Lord will come soon and are so meddlesome in the affairs of others that they have given up their daily work. These individuals may have believed

that they were already exalted to such a spiritual plane that mundane matters were no longer a concern for them. This may seem like piety on their part, but it means they have become a problem for others. Paul reminds them of his own example and bluntly rules that such people should either work or else not eat.

The Holy Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

Comment "Jesus speaks of wars, endurance, betrayal and suffering for his sake."

In the Gospel passage, the disciples are forewarned of the destruction of the Jewish temple and of great upheavals in the natural and supernatural order that must take place before the end of history. There will be persecutions and divisions in families. Individuals will appear claiming to be Jesus. While in some passages the New Testament suggests that the end and fulfilment of human time will come quite unexpectedly, here the disciples are advised of a period of great tribulation when the powers of evil will make their final onslaught. In one sense this is poetic language used to describe the indescribable, but it insists that the ultimate meaning of life will finally be known.

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.

NOVEMBER: GIFT MONTH - Assessment Appeal



The Cathedral parish is currently in arrears with the payment of Assessment to the Diocesan Fund. The Parochial Church Council at its October meeting decided that a direct appeal should be made to the

congregation and to friends of the Cathedral for monetary gifts during the month of November to address this dire situation. Towards that end, everyone is encouraged to contribute according to their means. Special envelopes have been provided to facilitate these donations, which will be received every Sunday, at each service. Thank you for your generosity. May God bless us, as together, we continue His work.

"Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7)

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.

SICK: Please remember the sick and injured of our Parish and wider community, especially Margaret Browne, Elsie Brunson, Chesterfield A Benjamin, Colleen Byer, Courtney Carrington, Darwin Clarke, Kevin Gill, Alice P. Hall, Jonathan Holder, Olga Holder, Marcia Hoyte, Selina Jones, Blair Murray, Clyde Outram, Sylvester "Blues" Sargeant, Sheila Sealy, Rommel Simmons, Phyllis Springer, Winifred Trotman, and George Yearwood.



BEREAVEMENT: We extend sincere condolences to the families of the late Aldon Browne, husband of Margaret Browne, and the late Joyce Scott, mother of David Scott. May they experience the blessedness of those who mourn.

CONGRATULATIONS!

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

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Ms. Jennifer C. Benn ~ 13

Ms. Harriet Lowe ~ 13

Mr. Basil V. Clarke ~ 14

Ms. Olga Holder ~ 15

Ms. Dorothy E. Morris ~ 15

Mr. Graham Russell ~ 15

Mrs. Sharron S. C. A. Lucas-Blackman ~ 16

Ms. Margaret R. Aimey ~ 17

Ms. Miriam I. Barrow ~ 17

Mrs. Cecile L. Aimey-Clarke ~ 17

Ms. Abigail Molyneaux ~ 17

Ms. Pamela A. Clarke ~ 18

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Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings							
(November 13-19, 2022)							
Day	Morning Readings	Evening Readings					
	Psalms 66, 67	Psalms 19, 46					
Cundov	Habakkuk 1:1-4(5-	1 Maccabees 2:29-43,					
Sunday	11)12-2:1	49-50					
	Matthew 23:13-24	Philippians 3:13-4:1					
	Psalm 89:1-18	Psalm 89:19-52					
Monday	Habakkuk 2:1-4, 9-20	1 Maccabees 3:1-24					
	Luke 16:19-31	James 2:14-26					
	Psalms 97, 99, (100)	Psalms 94, (95)					
Tuesday	Habakkuk 3:1-10(11-	1 Maccabees 3:25-41					
,	15)16-18	James 3:1-12					
	Luke 17:1-10						
	Psalms 101, 109:1-	Psalm 119:121-144					
Wednesday	4(5-19)20-30	1 Maccabees 3:42-60					
	Malachi 1:1, 6-14	James 3:13-4:12					
	Luke 17:11-19						
Thursday	Psalm 105:1-22	Psalm 105:23-45					
Thursday	Malachi 2:1-16	1 Maccabees 4:1-25					
	Luke 17:20-37	James 4:13-5:6					
Eridov	Psalm 102	Psalm 107:1-32					
Friday	Malachi 3:1-12	1 Maccabees 4:36-59					
	Luke 18:1-8	James 5:7-12					
	Psalms 107:33-43,	Psalm 33					
Saturday	108:1-6(7-13)	Isaiah 65:17-25					
Saturday	Malachi 3:13-4:6	James 5:13-20					
	Luke 18:9-14	Collect for Proper 29					

We Work Hard

Complete the paragraph by filling in the blanks with the correct words from the word bank at the bottom of the story.

Warning against idleness

We tl	hat some among	you are and	
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people we	and urge in	n the Lord	
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2 Thessalonians 3:11-13 (NIV)			

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Sunday, November 13, 2022 The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost: Remembrance Sunday

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

Wednesday, November 16, 2022 10:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist



Sunday, November 20, 2022
The Last Sunday after Pentecost: Feast of Christ
The King

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

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