

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

welcomes you to the celebration of

The Holy Eucharist

The First Sunday of Advent

November 27, 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 First Sunday of Advent
YEAR A**

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

President and Preacher:

The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

President and Preacher:

The Rev'd Canon George Knight

Eucharistic Minister: Mrs. Valdine Browne

ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Welcome

The Introit/Opening **Hymn ~ 45** “Ye servants of the Lord,”

Ye servants of the Lord,
each in his office wait,
observant of his heavenly word,
and watchful at his gate.

Let all your lamps be bright,
and trim the golden flame;
gird up your loins as in his sight,
for awful is his name.

Watch! 'Tis your Lord's command,
and while we speak, he's near;
mark the first signal of his hand,
and ready all appear.

O happy servant he,
in such a posture found!
He shall his Lord with rapture see,
and be with honour crowned.

Christ shall the banquet spread
with his own royal hand,
and raise that faithful servant's head
amid the angelic band.

Words: Philip Doddridge (1702-1751)

7:00 A.M. ~ The Blessing and Lighting of the Advent
Wreath

9:00 A.M. ~ Lighting of the Advent Wreath

ADVENT 1 — HOPE

The Leader reads a sentence:

The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand.

(Mark 1:15)

*He/She then lights the appropriate number of candles in
silence.*

Leader: Our Lord says, 'surely I come quickly.'

Response: Even so, come, Lord Jesus!

After a short pause the Leader says:

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Response: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Leader:

We bless you, Eternal Father, giver of all good things; for in the coming of your Son into the World, Your kingdom has begun, and at His second coming in glory it will be complete. Grant us true repentance and a living faith in this good news, that on that day we may be found acceptable servants of Christ our King.

All: 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.

PRESIDENT:

Let us pray.

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness, and put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life in which your Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility; that in the last day, when He shall come again in His glorious majesty to judge both the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal; through Him who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

(Please sit)

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Isaiah 2:1-5

LECTORS:

7:00 A.M.: Mrs. Helena Lyte

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

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

The word that Isaiah son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

In days to come
the mountain of the LORD's house

shall be established as the highest of the mountains,
and shall be raised above the hills;

all the nations shall stream to it.

Many peoples shall come and say,

‘Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD,
to the house of the God of Jacob;

that he may teach us his ways
and that we may walk in his paths.’

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction,
and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem.

He shall judge between the nations,
and shall arbitrate for many peoples;

they shall beat their swords into ploughshares,
and their spears into pruning-hooks;

nation shall not lift up sword against nation,
neither shall they learn war any more.

O house of Jacob,
come, let us walk
in the light of the LORD!

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 122

Laetatus sum

1 I was glad when they said to me, *
"Let us go to the house of the LORD."

- 2 Now our feet are standing *
 within your gates, O Jerusalem.
- 3 Jerusalem is built as a city *
 that is at unity with itself;
- 4 To which the tribes go up,
 the tribes of the LORD, *
 the assembly of Israel,
 to praise the Name of the LORD.
- 5 For there are the thrones of judgment, *
 the thrones of the house of David.
- 6 Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: *
 "May they prosper who love you.
- 7 Peace be within your walls *
 and quietness within your towers.
- 8 For my brethren and companions' sake, *
 I pray for your prosperity.
- 9 Because of the house of the LORD our God, *
 I will seek to do you good."

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: Romans 13:11-14

LECTORS:

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

9:00 A.M.: Dr. Sherlock Bradshaw, L.E.M.

A Reading from the Word of God, written in the Letter of Paul to the Romans, the thirteenth chapter, beginning at the eleventh verse.

You know what time it is, how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep. For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers; the night is far gone, the day is near. Let us then lay aside the works of darkness and put on the armor of light; let us live honorably as in the day, not in reveling and drunkenness, not in debauchery and licentiousness, not in quarreling and jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh, to gratify its desires.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

The Gradual **Hymn ~ 41** “Hark! A thrilling voice is sounding”

Hark! A thrilling voice is sounding;
‘Christ is nigh’, it seems to say;
‘Cast away the dreams of darkness,
O ye children of the day!’

Wakened by the solemn warning,
let the earth-bound soul arise;
Christ, her Sun, all ill dispelling,
shines upon the morning skies.

Lo, the Lamb, so long expected,
comes with pardon down from heaven;
let us haste, with tears of sorrow,
one and all to be forgiven;

That when next he comes with glory,
and the world is wrapped in fear,
with his mercy he may shield us,
and with words of love draw near.

Honour, glory, might, and blessing
to the Father and the Son,
with the everlasting Spirit,
while eternal ages run.

*Words: anonymous, from Vox clara ecce intronat, 6th century, Latin;
translation: Edward Caswall (1814-1878)*

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 24:36-44

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 Matthew,
the twenty-fourth chapter, beginning at the thirty-sixth
verse.

ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour.

Jesus said to the disciples, “But about that day and
hour no one knows, neither the angels of heaven, nor
the Son, but only the Father. For as the days of Noah

were, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. For as in those days before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah entered the ark, and they knew nothing until the flood came and swept them all away, so too will be the coming of the Son of Man. Then two will be in the field; one will be taken and one will be left. Two women will be grinding meal together; one will be taken and one will be left. Keep awake therefore, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming. But understand this: if the owner of the house had known in what part of the night the thief was coming, he would have stayed awake and would not have let his house be broken into. Therefore you also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.”

THE GOSPELLER: The Gospel of Christ.

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord.

The Sermon:

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

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

(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 “B”

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INTERCESSORS:

7:00 A.M.: Ms. Joyanne Blackman-Jarvis

9:00 A.M.: Mr. Victor Small

The Bidding Prayer: Assisting Priest

Let us pray for the Church, the community and the world.

Lord in your love,
ALL: Hear our prayer.

(Please sit or kneel)

LEADER:

Father, we pray for your holy Catholic Church;

ALL: That we all may be one.

LEADER:

Grant that every member of the Church may truly and
humbly serve you;

ALL: That your Name may be glorified by all people.

LEADER:

We pray for all Bishops, Priests, and Deacons;

ALL: That they may be faithful ministers of your Word and Sacraments.

LEADER:

We pray for all who govern and hold authority in the nations of the world;

ALL: That there may be justice and peace on the earth.

LEADER:

Give us grace to do your will in all that we undertake;

ALL: That our works may find favour in your sight.

LEADER:

Have compassion on those who suffer from any grief or trouble;

ALL: That they may be delivered from their distress.

LEADER:

Give to the departed eternal rest.

ALL: Let light perpetual shine upon them.

LEADER:

We praise you for your saints who have entered into joy.

ALL: May we also come to share in your heavenly kingdom.

LEADER:

Let us pray for our needs and those of others.

Silence may be kept

ALL:

Almighty God, to whom our needs are known before we ask, help us to ask only what accords to your will; and the good things which we dare not, or in our blindness cannot ask, grant us for the sake of your Son 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.

Form B

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ALL: Most Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we have not love ourselves as we ought. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, 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 “C”

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PRESIDENT:

The Kingdom of God is justice, peace, and joy, inspired by the Holy Spirit.

ALL:

They who thus serve Christ are acceptable to God and approved by others.

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 eternally
Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me.

THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Offertory **Hymn ~ 53** “Thy kingdom come, O God”

Thy kingdom come, O God,
thy rule, O Christ, begin;
break with thine iron rod
the tyrannies of sin.

Where is thy reign of peace
and purity and love?
When shall all hatred cease,
as in the realms above?

When comes the promised time
that war shall be no more,
and lust, oppression, crime
shall flee thy face before?

We pray thee, Lord, arise,
and come in thy great might;
revive our longing eyes,
which languish for thy sight.

Men scorn thy sacred name,
and wolves devour thy fold;
by many deeds of shame
we learn that love grows cold.

O'er heathen lands afar
thick darkness broodeth yet:
arise, O morning star,
arise, and never set!

Words: Lewis Hensley (1824-1905)

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 you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in Him of eternal life; that when He shall come again in power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold His appearing.

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:

We give thanks to you, Lord our God,
for the goodness and love you have made known to us in
creation; in calling Israel to be your people;
in your Word spoken through the prophets;
and, above all, in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son.
For in these last days you sent Him
to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world.
In Him, you have delivered us from evil,
and made us worthy to stand before you,
In Him, you have brought us out of error into truth,
out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

For, on the night that 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:

Therefore, Father, according to His command:

ALL:

**We remember His death;
We proclaim His resurrection;
We await His coming in glory.**

PRESIDENT:

And we offer our sacrifice of praise
and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all;
presenting to you, from your creation,
this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God,
to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts
that they may be the sacrament
of the Body of Christ
and His Blood of the New Covenant.
Unite us to your Son in His sacrifice
that we, made acceptable in Him,
may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time,
reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new,
and bring us to the city of light

where you dwell with all your sons and daughters;
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
the firstborn of all creation,
the head of the Church,
and the author of our salvation:

By whom, and with whom, and in whom,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all honour and glory are yours,
Almighty Father, now and ever.

ALL: 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 “C”

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PRESIDENT:

This is the true bread which comes from heaven

ALL:

Whoever eats this bread will live forever.

THE COMMUNION

The Invitation “C”

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PRESIDENT:

Draw near and receive the Body and Blood of our Saviour Jesus Christ with faith and thanksgiving.

ALL:

We do not presume to come to this your table, most merciful Father, trusting in our own righteousness, but only in your boundless mercy. We are not even worthy to gather up the crumbs under your table. But you are the Lord ever the same, ever merciful. Grant therefore, Lord of grace and love, that we may so eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ and drink His blood, that with bodies and souls made clean from every stain of sin we may evermore dwell in Him, and He in us. Amen.

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 ~ 43** “Hark what a sound, and too
divine for hearing”

Hark what a sound, and too divine for hearing,
 stirs on the earth and trembles in the air!
Is it the thunder of the Lord's appearing?
 Is it the music of his people's prayer?
Surely he cometh, and a thousand voices
 shout to the saints, and to the deaf are dumb;
surely he cometh, and the earth rejoices,
 glad in his coming who hath sworn: I come!

This hath he done, and shall we not adore him?
 This shall he do, and can we still despair?
Come, let us quickly fling ourselves before him,
 cast at his feet the burden of our care.

Yea, through life, death, through sorrow and through
sinning,
 he shall suffice me, for he hath sufficed:
Christ is the end, for Christ was the beginning,
 Christ the beginning, for the end is Christ.

Words: Frederick William Henry Myers (1843-1901)

ALL:

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To Him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

THE BLESSING “*Advent*”

Christ the Son of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from before your path; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

ALL: Amen.

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

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Recessional **Hymn ~ 46** “Lo, he comes with clouds descending”

Lo, he comes with clouds descending,
once for favoured sinners slain;
thousand thousand saints attending
swell the triumph of his train:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Christ appears on earth to reign.

Every eye shall now behold him
robed in dreadful majesty;
those who set at naught and sold him
pierced and nailed him to the tree,
deeply wailing, deeply wailing, deeply wailing,
shall the true Messiah see.
Those dear tokens of his passion
still his dazzling body bears,
cause of endless exultation
to his ransomed worshippers:
with what rapture, with what rapture, with what rapture
gaze we on those glorious scars!

Yea, amen, let all adore thee,
high on thine eternal throne;
Saviour, take the power and glory;
claim the kingdom for thine own:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!
Thou shalt reign, and thou alone.

Words: John Cennick (1718-1755), and Charles Wesley (1707-1788)

A Prayer for the Nation

The National Anthem

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

The First Sunday of Advent YEAR A

THEME FOR THE WEEK

“The call of the Lord is fundamentally a call to newness of life.”

Reading: Isaiah 2:1-5

Comment “Weapons of war transformed into instruments of peace”

In our lesson from the Hebrew Bible, **the prophet Isaiah sets forth a majestic vision of a time when people throughout the world will worship the Lord and live in peace with one another.** The mountain of the city of Jerusalem will be raised up to become a symbol of hope and justice to every nation. Many people will look to Jerusalem and to its holy Mount Zion as the place from which God will issue God’s word and law bringing about an end to strife and warfare.

Psalm 122

Comment: “I was glad when they said to me, let us go to the house of the Lord” (Ps.122:1)

Second Reading: Romans 13:11-14

Comment: “Salvation is near; time to wake from sleep”

In this reading, **Paul urges a way of life in full awareness of the nearness of salvation.** Disciples must recognize that the nighttime of sinfulness is passing. The daylight, the time for new conduct and the following of Jesus, now comes.

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 24:36-44

Comment: “The sudden coming of the Son of Man”

In our gospel lesson, **Jesus tells his disciples of the need for readiness because the Son of Man will come at a day and hour which no one knows.** People will continue to go about their usual affairs, when suddenly this time of judgement will happen. Disciples are to be ever watchful, imaging themselves like a householder whose alertness could prevent a robbery.

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)

GIFT TO DATE: Please note that so far the sum of four thousand, five hundred and twenty-one dollars (\$4,521.00) has been received. Members and friends who have not yet made their contribution are asked to do so as soon as possible. The box will remain in place. Thanks!

FLOWERS: As usual, there will be no floral arrangements during the Advent season; however, members are encouraged to make donations for the supply of flowers for Christmas. Contributions may be made in celebration of a personal event, in commemoration of a departed loved one, or any other occasion in the life of a family. Thanks for your consideration.



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 family of the late Kenrick Deane, husband of Alma Deane. May they experience the blessedness of those who mourn.

BLUE CHRISTMAS: The Annual Blue Christmas Service will be held in the Cathedral next Sunday, December 4, 2022 at 5:00 P.M. The idea behind the Blue Christmas Service is to create space for the acknowledgment of the heaviness often carried during this season, as well as to offer the hope that Jesus gives. All are welcome.

CONGRATULATIONS!

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

November 27 ~ 30, 2022

Mr. Kenneth C. Garnes ~ 29

Dr. The Most Honourable Kenneth George ~ 29

Ms. Faye A. Tudor ~ 30



LOOKING AHEAD!

The Annual Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols sung by the St. Michael's Cathedral Choir will be held in the Cathedral on Thursday, December 15, 2022 at 8:00 P.M.

The contribution is \$30.00

SERMON NOTES

Text:.....

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Topic:.....

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Preacher:.....

Points to Ponder:

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What was God saying specifically to me during the
Sermon?

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**Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings
(November 27 ~ December 3, 2022)**

Day	Morning Readings	Evening Readings
The First Sunday of Advent	Psalms 146, 147 Isaiah 1:1-9 2 Peter 3:1-10	Psalms 111, 112, 113 Amos 1:1-5, 13-2:8 Matthew 25:1-13
Monday	Psalms 1, 2, 3 Isaiah 1:10-20 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10	Psalms 4, 7 Amos 2:6-16 Luke 20:1-8
Tuesday	Psalms 5, 6 Isaiah 1:21-31 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12	Psalms 10, 11 Amos 3:1-11 Luke 20:9-18
Saint Andrew The Apostle Wednesday	Psalms 34 Isaiah 49:1-6 1 Corinthians 4:1-16	Psalms 96, 100 Isaiah 55:1-5 John 1:35-42
Thursday	Psalms 18:1-20 Isaiah 2:12-22 1 Thessalonians 3:1-13	Psalms 18:21-50 Amos 4:6-13 Luke 20:27-40
Friday	Psalms 16, 17 Isaiah 3:8-15 1 Thessalonians 4:1-12	Psalms 22 Amos 5:1-17 Luke 20:41-21:4
Saturday	Psalms 20, 21:1-7(8-14) Isaiah 4:2-6 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18	Psalms 110:5(6-7), 116, 117 Amos 5:18-27 Luke 21:5-19 Collect for 2 Advent

Be Prepared

So you also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.

Matthew 24:44 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 36-44



W S O N Q R C B W A T C H W V
L Z K H E X P E C T S E U O D
N L V Q F E R G J L E M T V U
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X Q R P A N A C T U H J F L V
U Z L E J O G Y M Y R L R H Q
A I H M B E L H K C E W P S R
N M O X I K N O W X J J F R E
G Z X R E A D Y Y T T F C M V
E B V F C P D I H P W O I T L
L C U Q H E Q G W P T T Z E B
S G W Q S Q I C D T Z W M Z R
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CATHEDRAL MINISTRIES

Sunday, November 27, 2022

The First Sunday of Advent

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

6:00 P.M. An Advent Carol Service



Sunday, December 4, 2022

The Second Sunday of Advent

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

5:00 P.M. A Blue Christmas Service

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