

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

welcomes you to the celebration of

The Holy Eucharist
On the
First Sunday after Pentecost

June 4, 2023

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



TRINITY SUNDAY

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

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Sunday, June 4, 2023
The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday -
YEAR A

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist
President: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn
Preacher: The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist
President and Preacher:
The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

Lay Eucharistic Minister: Mrs. Valdine Browne



ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Welcome

Opening **Hymn ~ 211** “Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!”

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee:
holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, Blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea:
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
which wert, and art, and evermore shalt be.
Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,

though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy, there is none beside thee
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth, and sky, and
sea: holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!
God in three persons, Blessèd Trinity!

Words: Reginald Heber (1783-1826), 1826

Opening Sentence ***“Trinity Sunday”*** Page 99

O the depth of riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!
For from Him and through Him and to Him are all things.
To Him be glory forever. Amen. (*Romans 11: 33, 36*)

THE INVOCATION Page 101

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: “**First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity
Sunday**”

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PRESIDENT:

The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

Let us pray,

Almighty and everlasting God, you have given to us your servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of your divine Majesty to worship the Unity: Keep us steadfast in this faith and worship, and bring us at last to see you in your one and eternal glory, O Father; who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live and reign, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*

(Please sit)

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: **Genesis 1:1--2:4a**

Lectors:

7:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Shernell O’Neal

9:00 A.M. ~ Mr. Leighton Waterman

A reading from the Word of God written in the Book of Genesis, the first chapter, beginning at the first verse.

In the beginning when God created the heavens and the earth, the earth was a formless void and darkness covered the face of the deep, while a wind from God swept over the face of the waters. Then God said, “Let there be light”; and there was light. And God saw that the light was good; and God separated the light from the darkness. God called the light Day, and the darkness he called Night. And there was evening and there was morning, the first day.

And God said, “Let there be a dome in the midst of the waters, and let it separate the waters from the waters.” So God made the dome and separated the waters that were under the dome from the waters that were above the dome. And it was so. God called the dome Sky. And there was evening and there was morning, the second day.

And God said, “Let the waters under the sky be gathered together into one place, and let the dry land appear.” And it was so. God called the dry land Earth, and the waters that

were gathered together he called Seas. And God saw that it was good. Then God said, “Let the earth put forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit trees of every kind on earth that bear fruit with the seed in it.” And it was so. The earth brought forth vegetation: plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the third day.

And God said, “Let there be lights in the dome of the sky to separate the day from the night; and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years, and let them be lights in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth.” And it was so. God made the two great lights—the greater light to rule the day and the lesser light to rule the night—and the stars. God set them in the dome of the sky to give light upon the earth, to rule over the day and over the night, and to separate the light from the darkness. And God saw that it was good. And there was evening and there was morning, the fourth day.

And God said, “Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures, and let birds fly above the earth across the dome of the sky.” So God created the great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind. And God saw that it was good. God blessed them, saying, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the waters in the seas, and let

birds multiply on the earth.” And there was evening and there was morning, the fifth day.

And God said, “Let the earth bring forth living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind.” And it was so. God made the wild animals of the earth of every kind, and the cattle of every kind, and everything that creeps upon the ground of every kind. And God saw that it was good.

Then God said, “Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.”

So God created humankind in his image,
in the image of God he created them;
male and female he created them.

God blessed them, and God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it; and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the air and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.” God said, “See, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree with seed in its fruit; you shall have them for food. And to every beast of the earth, and to every bird of the air, and to everything that creeps on the earth, everything that has the breath of life, I have given every green plant for food.” And it was so. God

saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Thus the heavens and the earth were finished, and all their multitude. And on the seventh day God finished the work that he had done, and he rested on the seventh day from all the work that he had done. So God blessed the seventh day and hallowed it, because on it God rested from all the work that he had done in creation.

These are the generations of the heavens and the earth when they were created.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 8

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Domine, Dominus noster

- 1 O LORD our Governor,*
how exalted is your Name in all the world!
- 2 Out of the mouths of infants and children*
your majesty is praised above the heavens.
- 3 You have set up a stronghold against your
adversaries,*
to quell the enemy and the avenger.
- 4 When I consider your heavens, the work of your
fingers,*

the moon and the stars you have set in their courses,

5 What is man that you should be mindful of him?*

the son of man that you should seek him out?

6 You have made him but little lower than the angels;*

you adorn him with glory and honor;

7 You give him mastery over the works of your hands;*

you put all things under his feet:

8 All sheep and oxen,*

even the wild beasts of the field,

9 The birds of the air, the fish of the sea,*

and whatsoever walks in the paths of the sea.

10 O LORD our Governor,*

how exalted is your Name in all the world!

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 Corinthians 13:11-13

Lectors:

7:00 A.M. ~ Mr. Remech Matthias

9:00 A.M. ~ Master Liam Francis

A reading from the Word of God written in the Second Letter of Paul to the Corinthians, the thirteenth chapter, beginning at the eleventh verse.

Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you.

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

The Gradual Hymn ~ 371 “Let all the world in every corner sing,”

Let all the world in every corner sing,
my God and King!

The heavens are not too high,
his praise may thither fly;
the earth is not too low,
his praises there may grow.

Let all the world in every corner sing,
my God and King!

Let all the world in every corner sing,
my God and King!

The church with psalms must shout,
no door can keep them out;
but above all the heart
must bear the longest part.

Let all the world in every corner sing,
my God and King!

Words: George Herbert (1593-1633)

The Holy Gospel: **Matthew 28:16-20**

GOSPELLERS:

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

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 Matthew, the twenty-eighth chapter, beginning at the sixteenth verse.

ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour.

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”

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)

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 FOR FAITH AND ACTION WEEK

Intercessors:

7:00 A.M.: Prof. Anne St. John, GCM

9:00 A.M.: Mr. Clive Collins (M.F.)

Assisting Priest: Triune God, whose kingdom encompasses all that is, draw our hearts to things above, that we might trust in you, hope for your goodness, and love as you love us; empower your people to respond to human need by loving service; seek to transform the unjust structures of the world, and secure for all your children the blessed liberty of the Gospel of Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

Leader: Brothers and Sisters, God commands us through Jesus Christ to love one another. Let us now honour those

commandments and pray for our nation, for its good governance, for the peace and stability of the world, for the renewal of the Church, and for the needs of others throughout our country and the world.

We pray for continued blessings on all peacemakers, on leaders who value peace, and on everyone who promotes nonviolent solutions to conflict. We pray for a speedy end to all violence and warfare around the world. God of peace and gentleness,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for the strength of heart and mind to look beyond ourselves and address the needs of our siblings throughout the world; for the rural and urban poor; for the rebuilding of our communities; and for an end to the cycles of violence that threaten our future. God of generosity and compassion,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for all nations, that they may live in unity, peace, and concord; and that all people may know justice and enjoy the perfect freedom that only God can give.

God of liberty and freedom,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray that the Holy Spirit may embrace the most vulnerable members of our society; we pray also for an end to the growing disparity between the rich and poor; and for

the grace and courage to strive for economic justice. God of all gifts and blessings,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for an end to prejudice throughout our country and the world; that we will respect all people as precious children of God; and that racism, sexism, and all other forms of discrimination will be forever banished from our hearts, our society, and our laws. God of fellowship and equality,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for a reverence of creation; that we will have the tools and the will to conserve it; that we will use its bountiful resources in the service of others; and that we will become better stewards of all that has been entrusted to us. God of nature and the universe,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for all the people of the Caribbean that these lands would be places of gracious hospitality to all who live, work and have their being here; and for all immigrants, refugees, and pilgrims from around the world, that they may be welcomed in our midst and be treated with fairness, dignity, and respect. God of outcasts and wanderers,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for the sick, the aged and the infirm; for those with physical or mental disabilities; that all may have

access to proper health care; and that God's loving embrace may be felt by all who suffer. God of comfort and healing,
ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for all prisoners and captives; that a spirit of forgiveness may replace vengeance and retribution; and that we, with all the destitute, lonely, and oppressed, may be restored to the fullness of God's grace. God of absolution and mercy,
ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for all children and families, and particularly for the orphaned, neglected, abused, and those who live in fear of violence or disease; that they may be relieved and protected. God of children and families,
ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for the reconciliation of all people, and for the Church throughout the world, that it may be an instrument of your reconciling love. God of outreach and restoration,
ALL: Hear our prayer.

We pray for all who have died as a result of violence, war, disease or famine, especially those who died because of human blindness, neglect, or hardness of heart. God of eternal life and resurrecting love,
ALL: Hear our prayer.

Almighty God, you have promised to hear what we ask in the name of your Son. Watch over our nation now as your

Church observes Faith and Action week; strengthen all who work for fairness in this land and every land, that through their work the lives of others would improve, and all people would glimpse the purpose for which you made us: to love and serve one another in Jesus Christ our Lord. Accept and fulfill our petitions, we pray, not as we ask in our ignorance, nor as we deserve in our sinfulness, but as you know and love us in your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*

ACT OF PENITENCE

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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).

PRESIDENT: Let us therefore confess our sins.

FORM A

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. *Amen.*

(Please stand as able)

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 baptised 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 ~ 296 "There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,"

There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,
and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord.
There are sweet expressions on each face,
and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.

Refrain:

*Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet Heavenly Dove,
stay right here with us,
filling us with your love.
And for these blessings,
we lift our hearts in praise,
without a doubt we'll know
that we have been revived
when we shall leave this place.*

There are blessings you cannot receive
till you know him in his fullness, and believe.
You're the one to profit when you say,
'I am going to walk with Jesus all the way,'

Refrain

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THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

(During the singing of this hymn, an offering will be collected. The Ushers will begin their collection from the west end of the Cathedral and move towards the altar, where the offering will be received by a server. The cooperation of everyone is requested.)

The Offertory 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.

Words: by Walter Chalmers Smith

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.

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: (*go to page 129*)

For in the mystery of your Godhead, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, you have revealed your glory; three Persons equal in majesty, undivided in splendour, yet one Lord, one God, ever to be worshipped and glorified. (*go to page 131*)

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

ALL:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might;
heaven and earth are full of your glory,
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is He who comes**

**in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

(Please sit or kneel)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING “A”

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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

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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 “A”

PRESIDENT: My brothers and sisters in Christ, draw near and receive His Body which He gave for you, and His Blood, which He shed for you. Remember that He died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts by faith with thanksgiving

ALL: Grant gracious Lord, that we so eat the flesh of Your dear Son, Jesus Christ, and drink His blood, that 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

Communion Hymn ~ 210 “Father of heaven, whose love profound “

Father of heaven, whose love profound
a ransom for our souls hath found,
before thy throne we sinners bend,
to us thy pardoning love extend.
Almighty Son, incarnate Word,
our Prophet, Priest, Redeemer, Lord,
before thy throne we sinners bend.
to us Thy saving grace extend.

Eternal Spirit, by whose breath
the soul is raised from sin and death,
before thy throne we sinners bend,
to us thy quickening power extend.
Thrice Holy! Father, Spirit, Son;
mysterious Godhead, Three in One,
before thy throne we sinners bend,
grace, pardon, life to us extend.

Words: Edward Cooper (1770-1833), 1805

THE POST COMMUNION “A”

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ALL: Almighty Father, we thank you for feeding us with the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. May we

who share His Body live His risen life; we who drink His cup bring life to others; we upon whom your Spirit shines give light to the world. Help us to continue in faithful witness to your Word, so we and all your children shall be free, and the whole earth live to praise your Name, through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE BLESSING “Trinity Sunday”

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God the Holy Trinity make you strong in faith and love, defend you on every side, and guide you in truth and peace; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you. *Amen.*

Welcome and Announcements

The Recessional Hymn ~ 208 “Bright the vision that delighted”

Bright the vision that delighted
once the sight of Judah's seer;
sweet the countless tongues united
to entrance the prophet's ear.

Round the Lord in glory seated
cherubim and seraphim
filled his temple, and repeated
each to each the alternate hymn:

‘Lord, thy glory fills the heaven;
earth is with its fullness stored;
unto thee be glory given,
holy, holy, holy, Lord.’

Heaven is still with glory ringing,
earth takes up the angels' cry,
'holy, holy, holy,' singing,
'Lord of Hosts, the Lord most high.'

With his seraph train before him,
with his holy church below,
thus unite we to adore him,
bid we thus our anthem flow:

Lord, thy glory fills the heaven;
earth is with its fullness stored;
unto thee be glory given,
holy, holy, holy, Lord.

Words: Richard Mant (1764-1848), alt., based on Isaiah 6

THE DISMISSAL

PRESIDENT: The Lord be with you

ALL: And also with you.

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.*)

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

**THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST:
TRINITY SUNDAY -
YEAR A
THEME FOR THE WEEK**

“The invocation of the Trinity on our lives provides us with three basic necessities: a loving Father, a Brother who suffered like us, a Spirit to warm our hearts.”



First Reading: **Genesis 1:1-2:4a**

Comment: “The creation of the heavens and the earth”

Our first lesson is **the story of creation**. As this ancient narrative opens, the Spirit of the Lord hovers like a great mother bird over the shapeless world. God then forms the heaven and the earth and all its creatures in six days. The seventh day is set aside as a day of rest. God’s ultimate creative act is human life, made in his image, to whom rulership and responsibility over all other life are given.

Psalm 8

Comment: “How majestic is your name in all the earth!”

The psalmist glorifies the Lord, sovereign of the earth and the magnificent heavens, who has made human life to have mastery over all other earthly creatures.

Second Reading: **2 Corinthians 13:11-13**

Comment: “Paul’s farewell to the church at Corinth.”

In this passage, **Paul closes his painful letter to the Corinthians with final admonitions and words of peace and love.** There have been disagreements between Paul and his new converts. They have shown tendencies to set themselves up as superior in faith and practice to others. But Paul ends on a hopeful note, and his last words have become part of our liturgies—a way of stating the three forms of presence of the divine graciousness.

The Holy Gospel: **Matthew 28:16-20**

Comment: “Living in the community of the Trinity”

In our gospel reading, **Jesus makes his last appearance to his disciples and gives them their mission to baptize and teach through all the world.** These words end Matthew’s gospel. His mention of doubt on the part of some of the disciples reminds us that faith has never been an easy matter. But the closing charge is an authoritative commission to bring others to faith in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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 via CIBC First Caribbean International Bank, Bridgetown Branch, Account #2719302, Transit #09606.



SICK: Please remember the sick and injured of our parish and wider community, especially Margaret Browne, Elsie Brunson, Colleen Byer, Courtney Carrington, Darwin Clarke, Alice P. Hall, Jonathan Holder, Marcia Hoyte, Selina Jones, Helena Lyte, Jeffrey Mascoll, Blair Murray, Marlene Moore, Clyde Outram, Veronica Sandals (USA), Sylvester “Blues” Sargeant, Sheila Sealy, Phyllis Springer, Winifred Trotman, Ernesta Yarde and George Yearwood.



BEREAVEMENT: We extend sincere condolences to the families the late Ms. Ismay Cave, mother of Mrs. Monica Bynoe (Canada); .the late Mr. Carlyle “Mickey” Kellman, brother of Mrs. Margo Crichlow; the late Miss. Serrial Reece, daughter of Mrs. Coleen Corbin. May the departed rest in peace. “Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.” (*Matthew 5:4*)

DEACONS’ CUPBOARD: Members are reminded to support the Deacons’ Cupboard ministry, through which the Cathedral is able to provide relief to persons in need of food. Please remember to bring non-perishable food items for the cupboard. Place all gifts in the basket at the West Door. Please help those in need. Thank you.

THANK YOU: Heartfelt thanks to all those members who have made donations to the Deacons' Cupboard, especially the members of the Guild of Health and St. Raphael.

VACATION: The Rev'd Canon George Knight will be on holiday from June 1 to June 30, 2023. The Dean, Assistant Priest, PCC and congregation take this opportunity to extend best wishes to Canon Knight for an enjoyable and refreshing vacation.

FAITH AND ACTION WEEK: The Diocese will mark Faith and Action Week from Sunday, June 4, 2023 to Saturday, June 10, 2023. During this period members are asked to demonstrate their Christian faith by loving deeds in the community. The SMCFA will sponsor activities to mark this week in the Cathedral and in The City. Please play your part in this significant moment in the life of the Church.

SMCFA: The St. Michael Centre for Faith and Action will observe its sixth (6th) Anniversary next Sunday, June 11, 2023 with Evensong in the Cathedral at 6:00 p.m. The preacher will be Senator The Rev'd Canon Dr. John Rogers, Rector of St. George and Rural Dean of St. John. All are welcome.

LECTIONARY: Members are asked to note that the Cycle of Readings for Pentecost will continue next Sunday with Proper 5, Year A, page 675, in the Book of Common Prayer. The Liturgical colour is Green.

LOOKING AHEAD: The Barbados Mothers' Union will celebrate its 110th Anniversary on Sunday, June 25, 2023 at 4:00 p.m., in the Cathedral, at a service of Choral Evensong. The Worldwide President Mrs. Sheran Harper, will be in attendance. There will also be the presentation of awards.

BIRTHDAYS: Congratulations to all those celebrating birthdays this week:

June 4-10, 2023

Ms. Etheline C. E. Smith ~ 5

Ms. Angela J Kirton ~ 6

Mr. Stephen A. Smith ~ 6

Mr. Marva L. Atherley ~ 9

Ms. Eudora A. Yearwood ~ 9



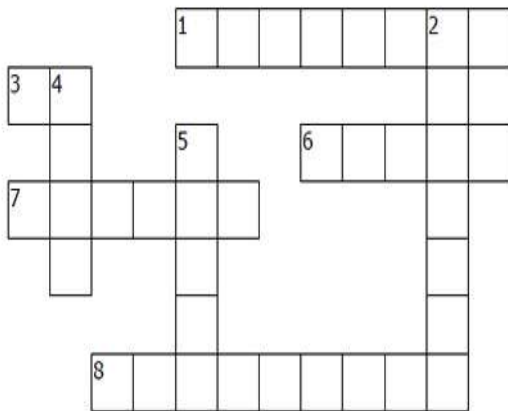
**Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings
(June 4-10 , 2023)**

Day	Morning Readings	Evening Readings
<i>The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday</i>	<i>Psalms 146, 147 Ecclesiasticus 43:1-12 (27-33) Ephesians 4:1-16</i>	<i>Psalms 111, 112, 113 Job 38:1-11; 42:1-5 John 1:1-18</i>
<i>Monday</i>	<i>Psalms 41, 52 Deuteronomy 11:13-19 2 Corinthians 5:11—6:2</i>	<i>Psalm 44 Ecclesiastes 2:1-15 Luke 17:1-10</i>
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Psalm 45 Deuteronomy 12:1-12 2 Corinthians 6:3-13 (14—7:1)</i>	<i>Psalms 47, 48 Ecclesiastes 2:16-26 Luke 17:11-19</i>
<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Psalm 119:49-72 Deuteronomy 13:1-11 2 Corinthians 7:2-16</i>	<i>Psalms 49, {53} Ecclesiastes 3:1-15 Luke 17:20-37</i>
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Psalm 50 Deuteronomy 16:18-20; 17:14-20 2 Corinthians 8:1-16</i>	<i>Psalms {59, 60} or 8, 84 Ecclesiastes 3:16—4:3 Luke 18:1-8</i>
<i>Friday</i>	<i>Psalms 40, 54 Deuteronomy 26:1-11 2 Corinthians 8:16-24</i>	<i>Psalm 51 Ecclesiastes 5:1-7 Luke 18:9-14</i>
<i>Saturday</i>	<i>Psalm 55 Deuteronomy 29:2-15 2 Corinthians 9:1-15</i>	<i>Psalms 138, 139:1-17 (18-23) Ecclesiastes 5:8-20 Luke 18:15-30 Collect for Proper 5</i>

The Great Commission

Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age." Matthew 28:19-20 (NIV)

Based on Matthew 28:18-20



ACROSS

1. Giving instructions to a group of students
3. The opposite of stop
6. The planet on which we live
7. The place where God lives
8. Followers of Jesus

DOWN

2. Groups of people living in a certain area; countries
4. To follow the commands, rules, or guidance
5. The Son of God

EARTH
JESUS

TEACHING
DISCIPLES

GO
OBEY

HEAVEN
NATIONS

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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Sunday, June 4, 2023

The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday -

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

President: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

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

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

President and Preacher:

The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

9:30 A.M. – Sunday School



Wednesday, June 7, 2023

10:00 A.M. ~ A Public Service of Healing

The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson



The Second Sunday after Pentecost:

June 11, 2023

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist

9:30 A.M. ~ Sunday School

6:00 P.M. ~ Choral Evensong:

**6th Anniversary of The St. Michael Centre for Faith and
Action (SMCFA).**



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of
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New York City**
Claudia Dumschat (Director of Music)

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