# The Cathedral Church of Saint Michael and All Angels

welcomes you to the celebration of

# The Holy Eucharist On

Sunday October 20, 2024 The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost

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



"To be a guiding light of Christ's grace, justice, freedom and love".

# The Cathedral Church of Saint Michael and All Angels

The Diocese of Barbados

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Sunday October 20, 2024
The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 24
7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist
President and Preacher:
The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist
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Broad Street Men's and Women's Designer Wear in
attendance
11:30 A.M. ~ Holy Baptism

Lay Eucharistic Minister: Mrs. Judy King



ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Welcome

Opening **Hymn** ~ 424

Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us o'er the world's tempestuous sea; guard us, guide us, keep us, feed us, for we have no help but thee; yet possessing every blessing, if our God our Father be.

Saviour, breathe forgiveness o'er us: all our weakness thou dost know;

thou didst tread this earth before us, thou didst feel its keenest woe; lone and dreary, faint and weary, through the desert thou didst go.

Spirit of our God, descending, fill our hearts with heavenly joy, love with every passion blending, pleasure that can never cloy: thus provided, pardoned, guided, nothing can our peace destroy.

Words: James Weldon Edmeston (1791-1867)

Opening Sentence "General"

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

#### THE INVOCATION

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PRESIDENT: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy

Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia!

# **ALL:**

And blessed be His Kingdom, now and forever. Amen. Alleluia! Alleluia!

#### **ALL:**

Blessed Lord and Father, we have assembled in your Name and in fellowship with one another. Enable us by your grace to offer the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; to proclaim and respond to your holy word. Teach us to pray for your world and your Church. Grant that we, confessing our sins, may worthily offer to you our souls and bodies as a living sacrifice and eat and

drink of your spiritual food in this Holy Sacrament. Amen.

#### **COLLECT FOR PURITY**

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#### **ALL:**

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### THE KYRIES

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Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

#### **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS**

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Glory to God in the highest,

and peace to His people on earth.

Lord God, heavenly King,

almighty God and Father,

we worship you, we give you thanks,

we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take away the sin of the world:

have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father:

receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One; you alone are the Lord: you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. *Amen*.

The Collects: Proper 24 Page 180

Let us pray.

Almighty and everlasting God, in Christ you have revealed your glory among the nations: Preserve the works of your mercy, that your Church throughout the world may persevere with steadfast faith in the confession of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

(Please sit)

#### THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Job 38:1-7

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

9:00 A.M. ~ Mrs. Margaret Fraser-Morrison

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

The LORD answered Job out of the whirlwind:

"Who is this that darkens counsel by words without knowledge?

Gird up your loins like a man,

I will question you, and you shall declare to me.

"Where were you when I laid the foundation of the earth?

Tell me, if you have understanding.

Who determined its measurements—surely you know!

Or who stretched the line upon it?

On what were its bases sunk, or who laid its cornerstone

when the morning stars sang together and all the heavenly beings shouted for joy?

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

**ALL:** Thanks be to God.

**Psalm 104:1-9, 25, 37b** *Benedic, anima mea* Page 602

- 1 Bless the LORD, O my soul; \*
  O LORD my God, how excellent is your greatness!
  you are clothed with majesty and splendour.
- 2 You wrap yourself with light as with a cloak \* and spread out the heavens like a curtain.
- 3 You lay the beams of your chambers in the waters above; \*you make the clouds your chariot; you ride on the wings of the wind.
- 4 You make the winds your messengers \* and flames of fire your servants.
- 5 You have set the earth upon its foundations, \* so that it never shall move at any time.
- 6 You covered it with the Deep as with a mantle; \* the waters stood higher than the mountains.
- 7 At your rebuke they fled; \* at the voice of your thunder they hastened away.
- 8 They went up into the hills and down to the valleys beneath, \*
  to the places you had appointed for them.

- 9 You set the limits that they should not pass; \* they shall not again cover the earth.
- 25 O LORD, how manifold are your works! \* in wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures.

37b Hallelujah!

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

**Second Lesson: Hebrews 5:1-10** 

Lectors: 7:00 A.M. ~ Mr. Victor Small

9:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Leesha Lashley, Broad Street Men's & Women's Designer Wear

A reading from the Word of God written in the Letter to the Hebrews, the fifth chapter, beginning at the first verse.

Every high priest chosen from among mortals is put in charge of things pertaining to God on their behalf, to offer gifts and sacrifices for sins. He is able to deal gently with the ignorant and wayward, since he himself is subject to weakness; and because of this he must offer sacrifice for his own sins as well as for those of the people. And one does not presume to take this honor, but takes it only when called by God, just as Aaron was.

So also Christ did not glorify himself in becoming a high priest, but was appointed by the one who said to him,

> "You are my Son, today I have begotten you"; as he says also in another place, "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek."

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered; and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him, having been designated by God a high priest according to the order of Melchizedek.

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

(Please stand, as able)

The Gradual Hymn ~ 196

The head that once was crowned with thorns is crowned with glory now:
 a royal diadem adorns
 the mighty Victor's brow.

The highest place that heaven affords is his, is his by right, the King of kings, and Lord of lords, and heaven's eternal Light.

the joy of all who dwell above, the joy of all below, to whom he manifests his love, and grants his name to know.

To them the cross, with all its shame, with all its grace, is given: their name an everlasting name, their joy the joy of heaven.

They suffer with their Lord below, they reign with him above; their profit and their joy to know the mystery of his love.

The cross he bore is life and health, though shame and death to him; his people's hope, his people's wealth, their everlasting theme.

Words: Thomas Kelly (1769-1854/5)

The Holy Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

Gospellers:

7:00 A.M. ~ The Rev'd Stephanie Ann Wedderburn 9:00 A.M. ~ The Rev'd Canon George Knight

GOSPELLER: The Lord be with you. **ALL:** And also with you.

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

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

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, came forward to Jesus and said to him, "Teacher, we want you to do for us whatever we ask of you." And he said to them, "What is it you want me to do for you?" And they said to him, "Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory." But Jesus said to them, "You do not know what you are asking. Are you able to drink the cup that I drink, or be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with?" They replied, "We are able." Then Jesus said to them, "The cup that I drink you will drink; and with the baptism with which

I am baptized, you will be baptized; but to sit at my right hand or at my left is not mine to grant, but it is for those for whom it has been prepared."

When the ten heard this, they began to be angry with James and John. So Jesus called them and said to them, "You know that among the Gentiles those whom they recognize as their rulers lord it over them, and their great ones are tyrants over them. But it is not so among you; but whoever wishes to become great among you must be your servant, and whoever wishes to be first among you must be slave of all. For the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give his life a ransom for many."

GOSPELLER: The Gospel of Christ.

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord.

The Sermon:

7:00 A.M.~ The Rev'd Stephanie Ann Wedderburn 9:00 A.M.~The Very Rev'd Dr. Jeffrey D. Gibson

(Please stand, as able)

The Nicene Creed

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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

#### THE PRAYERS

#### **Intercessors:**

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

9:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Sandra Fields

The Bidding: The Rev'd Stephanie Ann Wedderburn

(Please sit or kneel as able)

#### **INTERCESSION FORM "B"**

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#### 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.

### **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.

# **ACT OF PENITENCE "A"**

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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.

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 as able)

### THE GREETING OF 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 love shared among us"

Let there be love shared among us

Let there be love in our eyes
May now your love sweep this nation
Cause us O Lord to arise
Give us a fresh understanding
Of neighbourly love that is real
Let there be love shared among us
Let there be love.



# Welcome and Greetings: Broad Street Men's and Women's Designer Wear



#### THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

# The Offertory **Hymn ~ 413**

Guide me, O thou great Redeemer, pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak, but thou art mighty, hold me with thy powerful hand:

bread of heaven,
feed me now and evermore.

Open now the crystal fountain whence the healing stream doth flow; let the fiery cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through: strong deliverer, be thou still my strength and shield.

When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;

# death of death, and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side: songs and praises I will ever give to thee.

WORDS: William Williams (1717-1791, from *Arglwydd arwain trwy'r anialwch*, Welch, alt.; William Williams (1717-1791), and Peter Williams (1722-1796)

#### 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: (*Go to page 131*)

Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who on the first day of the week overcame death and the grave, and by His glorious resurrection opened to us the way of everlasting life.

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, as able)

# THE GREAT THANKSGIVING "A" Page 131

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

(All baptized members of the Church, as inspired, may come to the altar and receive Holy Communion)

#### The Invitation "B"

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#### 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

(Communicants are invited to kneel at the Altar Rail, as able)

# Communion **Hymns** ~ **536** & **593**

O Master, let me walk with thee in lowly paths of service free. Tell me thy secret; help me bear the strain of toil, the fret of care.

Help me the slow of heart to move by some clear, winning word of love. Teach me the wayward feet to stay, and guide them in the homeward way.

Teach me thy patience: still with thee in closer, dearer company, in work that keeps faith sweet and strong, in trust that triumphs over wrong;

In hope that sends a shining ray far down the future's broadening way, in peace that only thou canst give, with thee, O Master, let me live.

Words: Washington Gladden (1836-1918), 1879

### Hymn ~ 593

I am not worthy, Holy Lord, that thou shouldst come to me; speak but the word; one gracious word can set the sinner free.

I am not worthy; cold and bare

the lodging of my soul; how canst thou deign to enter there? Lord, speak, and make me whole.

I am not worthy; yet, my God, how can I say thee nay; thee, who didst give thy flesh and blood my ransom-price to pay?

O come! In this sweet morning hour feed me with food divine; and fill with all thy love and power this wavering heart of mine.

Words: Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877

# **THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER "A"** Page 147

#### **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 "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*.

#### ~~~Notices and Announcements~~~

# The Recessional **Hymn ~ 550**

I danced in the morning when the world was begun, and I danced in the moon and the stars and the sun, and I came down from heaven and I danced on the earth, at Bethlehem I had my birth

# Refrain:

Dance, then, wherever you may be, I am the Lord of the Dance, said he, and I'll lead you all, wherever you may be, and I'll lead you all in the Dance, said he.

I danced for the scribe and the Pharisee, but they would not dance and they wouldn't follow me; I danced for the fishermen, for James and John - they came with me and the Dance went on:

# Refrain

I danced on the Sabbath and I cured the lame:
the holy people said it was a shame.
They whipped and they stripped

and they hung me on high, and they left me there on a cross to die:

# Refrain

I danced on a Friday
when the sky turned black it's hard to dance
with the devil on your back.
They buried my body
and they thought I'd gone;
but I am the Dance,
and I still go on:

# Refrain

They cut me down and I leapt up high;
I am the life that'll never, never die;
I'll live in you if you'll live in me I am the Lord of the Dance, said he.

Refrain

Words: Sydney Carter (1915-2004). Words© 1963 Stainer & Bell Ltd.

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 and 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.



# THEME FOR THE WEEK

"Suffering is a safe prediction for every human life.
What counts is how we deal with it."



Sunday October 20, 2024

The Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 24

First Reading: Job 38:1-7

**Comment:** "God speaks from the Whirlwind"

Now God appears to Job out of the whirlwind and demands to know whether he is wise enough to question the Creator of the heavens and earth. The challenge seems almost brutal. Job, out of all his distress, had complained about the unfairness of life. He is now forced to recognise how little he understands the way of the world and of God. More importantly for him, however, he at last has a direct relationship with the Lord.

Psalm: 104:1-9, 25, 37b

The psalm describes the wonders of the world created and renewed by the Lord's Spirit.

**Second Reading: Hebrews 5:1-10** 

Comment: "Through suffering Christ becomes the source of salvation"

In this New Testament lesson, we hear how through obedience and suffering Christ reached the perfection of his destiny and was designated by God to be the eternal high priest. The high priesthood of Jesus is the great theme of the Letter to the Hebrews. Like the high priests of the old covenant, Christ is chosen from among human beings and so has sympathy with human weakness. But he is the Son and has now been named high priest forever. He succeeds Melchizedek, a royal and priestly figure from antiquity, and has been made the source of salvation for all who trust in him.

# The Holy Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

**Comment:** "Warnings to ambitious disciples"

In the gospel story, Jesus' followers still expect that his way will quickly lead to a state of glory in which they want special places. Jesus tells them of a different path of discipleship. First Jesus and then his disciples must experience the cup of sorrow and the baptism of death. They are not to live and act like worldly rulers. They must lead in servanthood. Their example is Jesus, who as the Son of Man serves and gives his life.

## **DIOCESAN NEWS**

Diocese of Barbados 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration ~ St. Michael Deanery Celebrations:

## November 2024

- Saturday 9 ~ Health Fair Church Village Green
- Wednesday 13 ~ 6:00 P.M. Cultural Show
- The Bajan-Guyanese Connection, St. Paul Church Centre
- Sunday 17 ~ 6:00 P.M. Choral Evensong The Church of St. Mary

#### **CATHEDRAL NEWS**

BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATIONS - CATHEDRAL REVITALIZATION 2024 and BEYOND: Mission – Ministry - Maintenance - Money.

Here is the report on the status of the special Patronal Festival Gift Card appeal:

Gift Cards: 7:00 A. M. – \$6,420.00

9:00 A. M. – \$8,400.00

Other - \$1,505.00

Sub-Total – \$16,325.00

Prior to last Sunday - \$ 9,175.00

Additional Cards – \$2,075.00

Grand Total - **\$27,575.00** 

Sincere thanks to all who have made personal contributions, and also to persons who have solicited the support of family, friends, and well-wishers of the Cathedral.

Please note that about fifty (50) Cards are still available for use; the appeal will continue until the cards are exhausted. Thanks, again for everyone's generosity and kind

cooperation.

#### **October**

# 1. Selection of T-20 Hymns:

Thanks to all who submitted their selection of Hymns. An occasion is being planned for parishioners, family and friends to come together to sing.

# 2. Laity Sunday:

Further to our celebration last Sunday, parishioners are encouraged to sign up for the ministry or organization of their choice. Please remember, according to the Catechism, among other things, "according to the gifts given them," lay persons are "to carry on Christ's work of reconciliation in the world, and to take their place in the

life, worship, and governance of the Church." (#79 CPWI, BCP, page 402)

#### WELCOME

**BIRTHDAYS:** Congratulations to all those persons celebrating birthdays this week **October 20 to 26**, 2024.

- 19 Ms. Cheryl A. Ifill
- 20 Ms. Gia Tianne Ifill
- 21 Ms. Cyrilene P. Forde Mrs. Nadine Cox-Proute
- 23 Ms. Gloria JackmanMrs. Orpah N. Medford
- 25 Ms. Jeanette J. M. Hinds
- 26 Ms. Glencora Daniel



May God bless and strengthen you all.

**SICK:** Please remember the sick or injured of our Parish and wider community, especially Margaret Browne, Elsie Brunson, Colleen Byer, Courtney Carrington, Darwin

Clarke, Heather Howard-Downes, Alice P. Hall, Jonathan Holder, Marcia Hoyte, Selina Jones, Jeffrey Mascoll, Marlene Moore, Blair Murray, Clyde Outram, Sylvester (Blues) Sargeant, Sheila Sealy, Claudette Sealy, Phyllis Springer, Winifred Trotman, Ernesta Yarde and George Yearwood.

**BALCONY REPAIRS:** The Balcony repairs have been completed. The Cathedral has spent \$34,521.97 on materials

and the Barbados Diocesan Trustees have met the labour costs. The cost for the sanding, staining and additional works (\$18,374.00); and one more payment of \$7,000.00 to the supplier of the materials are outstanding. Sincere thanks to all who have made financial contributions. Further donations towards this work would be appreciated.

#### PERSONS WISHING TO SPONSOR FUTURE EVENTS:

Donations can be made through online payments to St. Michael's Cathedral, CIBC First Caribbean International Bank, Bridgetown Branch, Account # 2719302; Transit # 09606. All donations are appreciated.

**DEACON'S CUPBOARD:** An appeal is being made for your kind donations of food supplies and toiletries for the cupboard. Whatever supplies can be donated would be greatly appreciated and would go a long way in helping those less fortunate.



**BEREAVEMENT:** We extend sincere condolences to the families of the late:

- Dr. Sir. Keith Hunte, Retired Principal, UWI, Cave Hill Campus
- Ms. Elsie Brunson, (Shut-In)
- Ms. Gene Patricia Brereton
- Sir Henry de B. Forde, K.C. former Attorney General of Barbados.
- Mr. St. Clair Howell, Q.C., retired Attorney-At- Law.

May you know the blessedness of those who mourn.

# Sunday, October 20, 2024 The Twenty-Second Sunday After Pentecost: Proper 24

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

Broad Street Men's and Women's Designer Wear in attendance

11:30 A.M. Holy Baptism



Wednesday, October 23, 2024 10:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist



Sunday, October 27, 2024 The Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost: Youth Sunday

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



Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings October 20 – 26, 2024 – Proper 24		
Day	Morning Readings	<b>Evening Readings</b>
The Twenty- Second Sunday After Pentecost	Psalms 148, 149, 150, Ecclesiasticus 4:1-10, Matthew 16:13-20	Psalms 114, 115, Jeremiah 29:1, 4- 14, 1 Corinthians 10:1-13
Monday	Psalm 25 Ecclesiasticus 4:20— 5:7 Luke 9:51-62	Psalms 9, 15 Jeremiah 44:1-14 Revelation 7:1-8
Tuesday	Psalms 26, 28 Ecclesiasticus 6:5-17 Luke 10:1-16	Psalms 36, 39 Lamentations 1:1- 5(6-9)10-12 Revelation 7:9-17
Wednesday	Psalm 119:145-168 Jeremiah 11:18-23 Matthew 10:16-22	Psalms 122, 125 Isaiah 65:17-25 Hebrews 12:12-24
Thursday	Psalm 37:1-18 Ecclesiasticus 10:1- 18 Luke 10:25-37	Psalm 37:19-42 Ezra 1:1-11 Revelation 9:1-12
Friday	Psalm 31 Ecclesiasticus 11:2- 10 Luke 10:38-42	Psalm 35 Esra 3:1-13 Revelation 9:13-21
Saturday	Psalms 30, 32 Ecclesiasticus 15:9- 20 Luke 11:1-13	Psalms 42, 43 Ezra 4:7, 11-24 Revelation 10:1-11 Collect for Proper 25

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# **SERMON NOTES**

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



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