

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

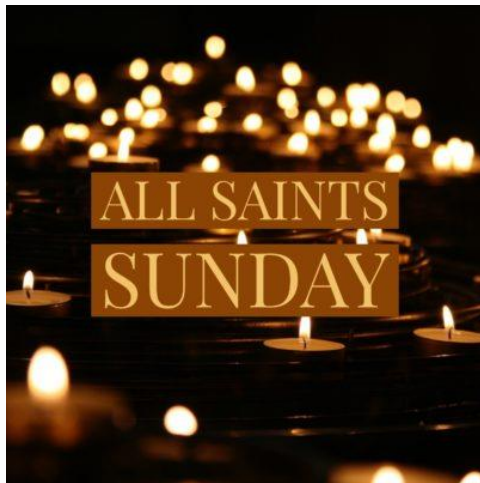
welcomes you to the celebration of

The Holy Eucharist

On

Sunday November 3, 2024

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 November 3, 2024
All Saints' Sunday: Year B
7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist
President and Preacher:
The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

9:00 A.M. ~ Sung Eucharist
President: The Rev'd Canon George Knight
Preacher: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

Lay Eucharistic Minister: Mrs. Valdine Browne



ORDER OF WORSHIP

THE PREPARATION

Organ Prelude

Welcome

Opening **Hymn ~ 823**

Who are these like stars appearing,
these, before God's throne who stand?
Each a golden crown is wearing:
who are all this glorious band?
Alleluia, hark! They sing,
praising loud their heavenly King.

Who are these in dazzling brightness,
clothed in God's own righteousness,
these, whose robes of purest whiteness
shall their lustre still possess,
still untouched by time's rude hand?
Whence came all this glorious band?

These are they who have contended
for their Saviour's honour long,
wrestling on till life was ended,
following not the sinful throng;
these, who well the fight sustained,
triumph by the Lamb have gained.

These are they whose hearts were riven,
sore with woe and anguish tried,
who in prayer full oft have striven
with the God they glorified;
now, their painful conflict o'er,
God has bid them weep no more.

These, the Almighty contemplating,
did as priests before him stand,
soul and body always waiting
day and night at his command:
new in God's most holy place
blest they stand before his face.

*Words: Heinrich Theobald Schenck (1656-1727),
From Wer sind die vor Gottes Throne, Germany;
Translation: Frances Elizabeth Cox (1812-1897), alt.*

Opening Sentence “**Major Saints**”

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You are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and also members of the household of God, built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the cornerstone.

Ephesians 2:19-20

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 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: “**All Saints**”

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Let us pray.

Almighty God, you have knit together your elect in one communion and fellowship in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord: Give us grace so to follow your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living, that we may come to those ineffable joys that you have prepared for those who truly love you; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns, one God, in glory everlasting. *Amen.*

(Please sit)

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

First Lesson: Isaiah 25:6-9

Lectors: **7:00 A.M. ~ Ms. Mary Haynes, S.C.**

9:00 A.M. ~ Mr. Stephen White

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

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will make for
all peoples
a feast of rich food, a feast of well-aged wines,
of rich food filled with marrow, of well-aged
wines strained clear.

And he will destroy on this mountain
the shroud that is cast over all peoples,
the sheet that is spread over all nations;
he will swallow up death forever.

Then the Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from all
faces,
and the disgrace of his people he will take away
from all the earth,
for the LORD has spoken.

It will be said on that day,
Lo, this is our God; we have waited for him, so
that he might save us.
This is the LORD for whom we have waited;
let us be glad and rejoice in his salvation.

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 24 *Domini est terra*

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1 The earth is the LORD's and all that is in it, *
the world and all who dwell therein.

2 For it is he who founded it upon the seas *
and made it firm upon the rivers of the deep.

- 3 "Who can ascend the hill of the LORD? *
and who can stand in his holy place?"
- 4 "Those who have clean hands and a pure heart, *
who have not pledged themselves to falsehood,
nor sworn by what is a fraud.
- 5 They shall receive a blessing from the LORD *
and a just reward from the God of their
salvation."
- 6 Such is the generation of those who seek him, *
of those who seek your face, O God of Jacob.
- 7 Lift up your heads, O gates;
lift them high, O everlasting doors; *
and the King of glory shall come in.
- 8 "Who is this King of glory?" *
"The LORD, strong and mighty,
the LORD, mighty in battle."
- 9 Lift up your heads, O gates;
lift them high, O everlasting doors; *
and the King of glory shall come in.
- 10 "Who is he, this King of glory?" *
"He is the LORD of hosts,
He is the King of glory."

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: Revelation 21:1-6a

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

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

A reading from the Word of God written in the Revelation to John, the twenty-first chapter, beginning at the first verse.

I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,

"See, the home of God is among mortals.
He will dwell with them as their God;
they will be his peoples,
and God himself will be with them;
he will wipe every tear from their eyes.
Death will be no more;
mourning and crying and pain will be no more,
for the first things have passed away."

And the one who was seated on the throne said, "See, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this, for these words are trustworthy and true." Then he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end."

LECTOR: The Word of the Lord.

ALL: **Thanks be to God.**

(Please stand, as able)

The Gradual **Hymn ~ 825**

For all thy saints, O Lord,
who strove in thee to live,

who followed thee, obeyed, adored,
our grateful hymn receive.

For all thy saints, O Lord,
who strove in thee to die,
who counted thee their great reward,
accept our thankful cry.
O Lord, thy name we bless,
and humbly pray that we
may follow them in holiness
who lived and died in thee.

Thine earthly members fit
to join thy saints above,
in one communion ever knit,
one fellowship of love.

All praise to thee, O Lord,
the Father and the Son
and Holy Spirit, God adored
while endless ages run.

Words: Richard Mant (1764-1848), alt.

The Holy Gospel: John 11:32-44

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 John, the
eleventh chapter, beginning at the thirty-second verse.

ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour.

When Mary came where Jesus was and saw him, she knelt at his feet and said to him, "Lord, if you had been here, my brother would not have died." When Jesus saw her weeping, and the Jews who came with her also weeping, he was greatly disturbed in spirit and deeply moved. He said, "Where have you laid him?" They said to him, "Lord, come and see." Jesus began to weep. So the Jews said, "See how he loved him!" But some of them said, "Could not he who opened the eyes of the blind man have kept this man from dying?"

Then Jesus, again greatly disturbed, came to the tomb. It was a cave, and a stone was lying against it. Jesus said, "Take away the stone." Martha, the sister of the dead man, said to him, "Lord, already there is a stench because he has been dead four days." Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed, you would see the glory of God?" So they took away the stone. And Jesus looked upward and said, "Father, I thank you for having heard me. I knew that you always hear me, but I have said this for the sake of the crowd standing here, so that they may believe that you sent me." When he had said this, he cried with a loud voice, "Lazarus, come out!" The dead man came out, his hands and feet bound with strips of cloth, and his face wrapped in a cloth. Jesus said to them, "Unbind him, and let him go."

GOSPELLER: The Gospel of Christ.

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord.

The Sermon: The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn

(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*

THE PRAYERS

INTERCESSION FORM “H”

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Intercessors:

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

9:00 A.M. ~ Dr. Sherlock Bradshaw

The Bidding: **The Rev'd Stephanie-Ann Wedderburn**

(Please sit or kneel as able)

LEADER:

Lord, we pray for your Church and for the world

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

Silence

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

LEADER:

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

Silence

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

LEADER:

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

Silence

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

LEADER:

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, especially Susanne, Pearl, Markeita, Alicia, Elvis, Marcia, Marie, Debra, David and Leo, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as He loves us.

Silence

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

LEADER:

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

Silence

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

LEADER:

We commend to your mercy all who have died, especially, Ms. Elsie Brunson, Ms. Jene P. Brereton, Mr. Harvey Browne, Sir Henry deBoulay Forde, Dr. Sir Keith Hunte, and Mrs. Evelyn McCollin; and all whose anniversary of death falls at this time. We pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

LEADER: Lord, in your mercy,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

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.*



THE MINISTRY OF THE SACRAMENT

The Offertory **Hymn ~ 690**

Jerusalem the golden,
with milk and honey blest,
beneath thy contemplation
sink heart and voice opprest.
I know not, O, I know not
what joys await us there,
what radiancy of glory,
what bliss beyond compare.

They stand, those halls of Sion,
all jubilant with song,
and bright with many an angel,
and all the martyr throng;
the Prince is ever with them,
the daylight is serene,
the pastures of the blessed
are decked in glorious sheen.

There is the throne of David;
and there, from care released,
the shout of them that triumph,
the song of them that feast;
and they, who with their Leader

have conquered in the fight,
for ever and for ever
are clad in robes of white.

O sweet and blessed country,
the home of God's elect!
O sweet and blessed country
that eager hearts expect!
Jesu, in mercy bring us
to that dear land of rest;
who art, with God the Father
and Spirit, ever blest.

*Words: Bernard of Cluny (fl c1200), from Urbs Syon aurea, Latin;
Translation: John Mason Neale (1818-1866), and Editors of Hymns Ancient and Modern.
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THE OFFERTORY PRAYER "B"

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PRESIDENT AND PEOPLE:

Father, we offer you these gifts which you have given us: this bread, this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and our work, to become through your Holy Spirit a reasonable, holy, and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of your love; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

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PRESIDENT: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

PRESIDENT: Lift up your hearts.

ALL: We lift them up to the Lord.

PRESIDENT: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

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

PRESIDENT:

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Father almighty, everlasting God: *(Go to page 129)*

For in the saints you have given us an example of godly living; that rejoicing in their fellowship, we may run with perseverance the race that is set before us, and with them receive the crown of glory. *(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, as able)

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING “A”

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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 ~ 511 & 695

Blest are the pure in heart,
for they shall see our God;
the secret of the Lord is theirs,
their soul is Christ's abode.

The Lord, who left the heavens
our life and peace to bring,
to dwell in lowliness with men,
their pattern and their King.

Still to the lowly soul
he doth himself impart,
and for his dwelling and his throne
chooseth the pure in heart.

Lord, we thy presence seek;
may ours this blessing be;

give us a pure and lowly heart,
a temple meet for thee.

Words: John Keble (1792-1866), with others

Hymn ~ 695

O what their joy and their glory must be,
those endless sabbaths the blessed ones see;
crown for the valiant, to weary ones rest;
God shall be all, and in all ever blest.

*What are the Monarch, his court, and his throne?
What are the peace and the joy that they own?
O that the blest ones, who in it have share,
all that they feel could as fully declare.

Truly Jerusalem name we that shore,
vision of peace, that brings joy evermore.
Wish and fulfilment can severed be ne'er,
nor the thing prayed for come short of the prayer.

There, where no troubles distraction can bring,
we the sweet anthems of Sion shall sing,
while for thy grace, Lord, their voices of praise
thy blessed people eternally raise.

*There dawns no sabbath, no sabbath is o'er,
those sabbath-keepers have one evermore;
one and unending is that triumph-song
which to the angels and us shall belong.

Now in the meanwhile, with hearts raised on high,

we for that country must yearn and must sigh;
seeking Jerusalem, dear native land,
through our long exile on Babylon's strand.

Low before him with our praises we fall,
of whom, and in whom, and through whom are all:
of whom, the Father; and in whom, the Son;
through whom, the Spirit, with them ever One.

*Words: Pierre Abélard (1079-1142),
From O quanta qualia sunt illa Sabbata, Latin;
Translation: John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt*

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 “*Saints’ Days*” Page 152

God give you grace to share in the inheritance of His Saints in glory; 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 ~ 819

For all the saints who from their labours rest,
who thee by faith before the world confessed,
thy name, O Jesu, be for ever blest.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

Thou wast their rock, their fortress, and their might;
thou, Lord, their Captain in the well-fought fight;
thou in the darkness still their one true light.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

O may thy soldiers, faithful, true, and bold,
fight as the saints who nobly fought of old,
and win, with them, the victor's crown of gold.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

O blest communion, fellowship divine!
We feebly struggle, they in glory shine;
yet all are one in thee, for all are thine.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

*And when the strife is fierce, the warfare long,
steals on the ear the distant triumph-song,
and hearts are brave again, and arms are strong.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

*The golden evening brightens in the west;
soon, soon to faithful warriors comes their rest;
sweet is the calm of paradise the blest.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

*But lo, there breaks a yet more glorious day;
the saints triumphant rise in bright array;
the King of glory passes on his way.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

*From earth's wide bounds, from ocean's farthest coast,
through gates of pearl streams in the countless host,
singing to Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

Words: William Walsham How (1823-1897)

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

***“We are all called to be saints to inspire each other in
faith, hope and service.”***



**Sunday November 3, 2024
All Saints' Sunday: Year B**

First Reading: Isaiah 25:6-9

Comment: *“The banquet of the Lord”*

This Hebrew scripture lesson is a **prophetic hymn envisioning the day of the Lord's salvation.** The prophet

uses a rich banquet as an image for the time of festival. It takes place on the mountain of the Lord's temple, Mount Zion, where heaven and earth figuratively meet. This great feast will be for all people, and even the power of death will be overcome.

Psalm: 24

As pilgrims go up to God's holy place for worship, they cleanse themselves and praise the just Lord, who has created all things.

Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-6a

Comment: *"A new heaven and a new earth"*

In this lesson, John the Seer has **a vision of the renewal of all creation, and of the new Jerusalem as the city in which God will abide with redeemed humanity.** The old order has passed away and death is no more, neither pain nor the causes of distress and sadness. Christ is victorious, the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end of all things.

The Holy Gospel: John 11:32-44

Comment: *"The raising of Lazarus"*

In our gospel lesson, **Jesus raises Lazarus from the dead.** Arriving in Bethany after the death of his friend Lazarus, Jesus encounters first Lazarus's sister Martha and then his sister Mary. Neither of the sisters fully comprehend Jesus' power over death. Deeply affected, Jesus weeps. So that they and others might believe more deeply in God, Jesus summons Lazarus to come forth from his tomb.

DIOCESAN NEWS

Diocese of Barbados 200th 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’s 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.

November

1. Here is an updated 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 Festival – 9,175.00

Additional Cards – 2, 475.00

Additional Gifts – 8,500.00

Grand Total – **\$36,475.00**

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.

2. DOATION CARDS

Please note that Cards are still available for members to solicit donations from family, friends and well-wishers to support the Cathedral. Your continued generosity and kind cooperation would be greatly appreciated.

3. T-20 Hymns: Saturday, November 23 at 5:00 P.M. Admission \$20.00

BIRTHDAYS: Congratulations to all those persons celebrating birthdays this week **November 3 - 9, 2024.**

- 4 Ms. Susanne Ifill
Ms. Pearl N. Collymore
Ms. Markeita G. Griffith
- 5 Ms. Alicia A. White
- 6 Mr. Elvis DaC. Haynes
Ms. Marcia A. Ifill
Mrs. Marie U. Kelly-Clarke
Mrs. Debra Skeete-Aldonza
- 7 Mr. David O. Best
- 9 Mr. Leo A. Taylor



May God bless and strengthen you all.



SICK: Please remember the sick or injured of our Parish and wider community, especially Margaret Browne, Colleen Byer, Courtney Carrington, Clarissa 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 Northern 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.

FLEA MARKET: Please note that Ms. Armel Marshall will be coordinating a Flea Market on **Saturday, November 9, 2024**, starting at 8:00 A.M. Donations of salt fish, as opposed to salt fish bits, are required to make fish cakes. Cash donations are required to purchase pudding and souse for sale on the day. Members are asked to inform Ms. Marshall about their contributions at Tel: 438-2695 or at the Office.

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



- Dr. Sir. Keith Hunte, Retired Principal, UWI, Cave Hill Campus
- Mrs. Ena Layne nee Alleyne
- Ms. Elsie Brunson, (Shut-in)
- Ms. Gene Patricia Brereton
- Mr. Harvey Browne (St. Mary Church)
Sir Henry deBoulay Forde, KA, BCH, S.C.
former Attorney-General of Barbados.
- Mrs. Evelyn McCollin (St. Jude)

May you know the blessedness of those who mourn.

Sunday, November 3, 2024

All Saints' Sunday: Year B

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M ~ Sung Eucharist

6:00 P.M. ~ 10th Anniversary Voices for Lupus Concert

(Hosted by The Hope Foundation, Admission \$50.00)

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Wednesday, November 6, 2024

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

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Sunday, November 10, 2024

The Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost – Proper 27

Remembrance Sunday

7:00 A.M. ~ Holy Eucharist

9:00 A.M ~ Holy Eucharist

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**Daily Book of Common Prayer Readings
November 3 to 9, 2024 – Proper 26**

Day	Morning Readings	Evening Readings
The Twenty-Fourth Sunday After Pentecost <i>All Saints Sunday</i>	Psalms 24, 29 Ecclesiasticus 36:1-17 Matthew 18:21-35	Psalms 8, 84 Nehemiah 5:1-19 1 Corinthians 12:27—13:13
Monday	Psalms 56, 57, [58] Ecclesiasticus 38:24-34 Luke 12:49-59	Psalms 64, 65 Nehemiah 6:1-19 Revelation 14:1-13
Tuesday	Psalms 61, 62 Ecclesiasticus 43:1-22 Luke 13:1-9	Psalm 68:1-20(21-23)24-36 Nehemiah 12:27-31a, 42b-47 Revelation 14:14—15:8
Wednesday	Psalm 72 Ecclesiasticus 43:23-33 Luke 13:10-17	Psalm 119:73-96 Nehemiah 13:4-22 Revelation 16:1-11
Thursday	Psalms [70], 71 Ecclesiasticus 44:1-15 Luke 13:18-30	Psalm 74 Ezra 7:(1-10) 11-26 Revelation 16:12-21
Friday	Psalm 69:1-23(24-30)31-38 Ecclesiasticus 50:1, 11-24 Luke 13:31-35	Psalm 73 Ezra 7:27-28; 8:21-36 Revelation 17:1-18
Saturday	Psalms 75, 76 Ecclesiasticus 51:1-12 Luke 14:1-11	Psalms 23, 27 Ezra 9:1-15 Revelation 18:1-14 <i>Collect for Proper</i> 27

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