

St. Philip Parish Church



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WELCOME: We welcome you to St. Philip this morning as we celebrate the **Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost:** Readings are for Proper 16C.

A warm welcome is extended to all who are visiting for the first time. We extend a special welcome to our organist Bro Damanie Beckles who is back from his break.

The members of the St. Philip's Parish Church consider it a privilege to have you worship with us and sincerely hope you enjoy your visit. It is our desire ***to be an agent that ensures God's love and help reach all.***

ORDER OF SERVICE

Introit Hymn 33

Again the Lord's own day is here,
the day to Christian people dear,
as, week by week, it bids them tell
how Jesus rose from death and hell.

For by his flock their Lord declared
his resurrection should be shared;
and we who trust in him to save
with him are risen from the grave.

We, one and all, of him possessed,
are with exceeding treasures blessed;
for all he did, and all he bare,
he gives us as our own to share.

Eternal glory, rest on high,
a blessed immortality,
true peace and gladness, and a throne,
are all his gifts, and all our own.

And therefore unto thee we sing,
O Lord of peace, Eternal King;
thy love we praise, thy name adore,
both on this day and evermore.

Saluation–

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*

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

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

Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.

Gloria In Excelsis

**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.**

Collect– Proper 16

Grant, O merciful God, that your Church, being gathered together in unity by your Holy Spirit, may show forth your power among all peoples, to the glory 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**

Collect- Saint Bartholomew

Almighty and everlasting God, who gave to your apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and to preach your Word: Grant that your Church may love and receive that Word in whom he believed and faithfully preach what he taught; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**

First lesson: A reading from the word of God written in the 1st Chapter of the Book of the Prophet Jeremiah beginning at the 4th verse. (Jeremiah 1:4-10)

Now the word of the Lord came to me saying, ‘Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.’ Then I said, ‘Ah, Lord God! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy.’ But the Lord said to me, ‘Do not say, “I am only a boy”; for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you. Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the Lord.’ Then the Lord put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the Lord said to me,

‘Now I have put my words in your mouth. See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant.’

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Psalm 71:1-6

- 1 In you, O LORD, have I taken refuge; *
 let me never be ashamed.
- 2 In your righteousness, deliver me and set me free;
 * incline your ear to me and save me.
- 3 Be my strong rock, a castle to keep me safe; *
 you are my crag and my stronghold.
- 4 Deliver me, my God, from the hand of the wicked,*
 from the clutches of the evildoer and the
 oppressor.
- 5 For you are my hope, O LORD God, *
 my confidence since I was young.
- 6 I have been sustained by you ever since I was born;
 from my mother's womb you have been my
 strength; * my praise shall be always of you.

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: A reading from the word of God written in the 12th chapter of the Letter to the Hebrews beginning at the 18th verse. (Hebrews 12:18-29)

You have not come to something that can be touched, a blazing fire, and darkness, and gloom, and a tempest, and the sound of a trumpet, and a voice whose words made the hearers beg that not another word be spoken to them. (For they could not endure the order that was given, ‘If even an animal touches the mountain, it shall be stoned to death.’ Indeed, so terrifying was the sight that Moses said, ‘I tremble with fear.’) But you have come to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to innumerable angels in festal gathering, and to the assembly of the firstborn who are enrolled in heaven, and to God the judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood that speaks a better word than the blood of Abel. See that you do not refuse the one who is speaking; for if they did not escape when they refused the one who warned them on earth, how much less will we escape if we reject the one who warns from heaven! At that time his voice shook the earth; but now he has promised, ‘Yet once more I will shake not only the earth but also the heaven.’ This phrase ‘Yet once more’ indicates the removal of what is shaken—that is, created things—so that what cannot be shaken may remain. Therefore, since we are receiving a kingdom that cannot be shaken, let us give thanks, by which we offer to God an acceptable worship with reverence and awe; for indeed our God is a consuming fire.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God

Gradual Hymn 409

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
be all else but naught to me, save that thou art;
be thou my best thought in the day and the night,
both waking and sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word,
be thou ever with me, and I with thee, Lord;
be thou my great Father, and I thy true son;
be thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one.

Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight;
be thou my whole armour, be thou my true might;
be thou my soul's shelter, be thou my strong tower:
O raise thou me heavenward, great Power of my power.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise;
be thou mine inheritance now and always;
be thou and thou only the first in my heart;
O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, thou heaven's bright Sun,
O grant me its joys after victory is won;
great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

The Holy Gospel

The Lord be with you

And also with you.

A reading from the Holy Gospel According to Luke, the 13th chapter, beginning at the 10th verse (Luke 13:10-17)

Glory to Christ our Saviour

Now Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, 'Woman, you are set free from your ailment.' When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, 'There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the sabbath day.' But the Lord answered him and said, 'You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger, and lead it away to give it water? And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?' When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

The Gospel of Christ

Praise to Christ our Lord

SERMON

THE APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ,
His only Son, our Lord.
He was conceived by the power of the
Holy Spirit and
born of the Virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried.
He descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again.
He ascended into heaven, and is seated
at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again to judge
the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen**

PRAYERS FOR THE PEOPLE FORM H

LEADER

Let us pray for the 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, 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, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

LEADER Lord in your mercy

ALL Hear our prayer.

PRESIDENT: Lord, hear the prayers of your people; and what we have asked faithfully, grant that we may obtain effectually, to the glory of your Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

ACT OF PENITENCE

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.

PRESIDENT: Let us therefore confess our sins

CONFESSION FORM B

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

THE ABSOLUTION

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

THE GREETING OF PEACE FORM A

PRESIDENT

We are the body of Christ. By the one Spirit we were all baptized into one Body, and have all been made to drink of the one Spirit.

ALL

Let us then pursue the things that make for peace and build up the common life.

PRESIDENT

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

ALL: And also with you.

LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH

Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me
Let there be peace on earth
The peace that was meant to be
With God as our Father
Children all are we
Let us walk with each other
In peace and harmony

Let peace begin with me
Let this be the moment now
With every step I take
Let this be my solemn vow
To take each moment and live
Each moment in peace eternally
Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me

Offertory Hymn 799

Ye holy angels bright,
who wait at God's right hand,
or through the realms of light
fly at your Lord's command,
assist our song,
for else the theme
too high doth seem
for mortal tongue.

Ye blessèd souls at rest,
who ran this earthly race,
and now, from sin released,
behold the Saviour's face,
his praises sound,
as in his light
with sweet delight
ye do abound.

Ye saints who toil below,
adore your heavenly King,
and onward as ye go
some joyful anthems sing;
take what he gives
and praise him still,
through good and ill,
who ever lives.

My soul, bear thou thy part,
triumph in God above,
and with a well-tuned heart
sing thou the songs of love.
Let all thy days
till life shall end,
whate'er he send,
be filled with praise

HOLY EUCHARIST

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRESIDENT Father,

ALL

We offer to 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

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:

Proper Preface

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.

Eucharistic Prayer E

PRESIDENT

Sovereign Lord and Father,
To you be glory and praise for ever.
In your boundless wisdom
you brought creation into being;
In your great love you fashioned
us in your image;
In your tender compassion
you sent your Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour,
to share our human nature;
in the power of the Holy Spirit,
He overcame the power of sin and death
and brought your people to new birth
as first fruits of your new creation.

On the night that He was betrayed
He took bread,
and when He had given thanks to you.
He broke it and gave it to his disciples
and said: "Take this, and eat it:

This is my Body which is given For you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.”

And after supper
He took the cup of wine:
and when He had given thanks,
He gave it to them and said:
“Drink this, all of you:
This is my Blood of the New Covenant,
which is shed for you and for many
for the forgiveness of sins.
Whenever you drink it,
do this for the remembrance of me.”

PRESIDENT

Therefore. Father, according to the command of your
dearly beloved Son

ALL

We remember His death

We proclaim His resurrection

We await His coming in glory

PRESIDENT

And we offer you. Father,
our sacrifice of thanks and praise.
Send your Holy Spirit on these gifts of
bread and wine that they may become
the Body and Blood of your Son,
Jesus, our Lord and Redeemer.
As we partake of this holy food of new
and unending life, may your Holy Spirit
establish us as a royal priesthood

with the Blessed Virgin Mary, St. N-
and all your sons and daughters who share
in your eternal inheritance;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
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

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

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 Invitation Form 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

**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**

HYMNS FOR THE EUCHARIST

HYMN: 599

Jesu, gentlest Saviour,
thou art in us now,
fill us with thy goodness,
till our hearts o'erflow.

Multiply our graces,
chiefly love and fear,
and, dear Lord, the chiefest,
grace to persevere.

Oh, how can we thank thee
for a gift like this,
gift that truly maketh
heaven's eternal bliss!

Ah! When wilt thou always
make our hearts thy home?
We must wait for heaven;
then the day will come.

HYMN: 606

Lord, accept the alms we offer,
tokens of our love to thee;
out of grateful hearts we render
this our act of charity;
even though full well we know
all we have to thee we owe.

Use them, Father, to thy glory,
teach us fully how to give,
for his sake who leaving heaven
gave us all that we might live:
all we have could not suffice
to repay his sacrifice.

Now the priest upon the altar
doth present the bread and wine,
to become, in wondrous manner,
for our souls the food divine:
soul and body by thee fed,
praise we give for daily bread.

With our alms and our oblations
take, O Lord, our prayers of love;
make thy church in fullest concord
serve as one, below, above;
and in fellowship complete
reach at last thy mercy-seat.

HYMN: 604

Let us enter into covenant with Christ,
celebrating the eucharist of love.
Take a little bread and wine,
Lift up the chalice of the King.

Refrain:

Alleluia! It's a sign of love!

Alleluia! It's a sign of peace!

Alleluia! It's the mystery of faith!

Alleluia! Amen!

Take the body and the blood of Christ,
in divine revelation of his love.
Be transformed, O my people, from your sins,
and eat and drink and live!

Refrain

He is lifted to the throne on high
and will come again to rule all the world.
The saints who sleep in Christ shall rise,
Rejoice, O Zion, and be glad!

Refrain

Jesus Christ is the Lamb of God
who takes away the sins of the world.
'He who comes to me
I shall not turn away'.

Refrain

Come, you faithful, to the paradise of God,
to the marriage feast of the Lamb.
Eat manna from the tree of life;
you are washed in the blood of Christ!

Refrain

Children's Hymn (Blessing)- 645

Do no sinful action,
speak no angry word:
ye belong to Jesus,
children of the Lord.

Christ is kind and gentle,
Christ is pure and true;
and his little children
must be holy too.

There's a wicked spirit
watching round you still,
and he tries to tempt you
to all harm and ill.

But ye must not hear him,
though 'tis hard for you
to resist the evil,
and the good to do.

For ye promised truly,
in your infant days,
to renounce him wholly,
and forsake his ways.

Ye are new-born Christians,
ye must learn to fight
with the bad within you,
and to do the right.

Christ is your own Master;
he is good and true,
and his little children
must be holy too.

Post Communion

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

The peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God and His Son Jesus Christ our Lord, and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

ALL Amen.

NOTICES

Recessional Hymn 310

Glorious things of thee are spoken,
Zion, city of our God;
he whose word cannot be broken
formed thee for his own abode.
On the Rock of Ages founded,

what can shake thy sure repose?
with salvation's walls surrounded,
thou mayest smile at all thy foes.

See, the streams of living waters,
springing from eternal love,
well supply thy sons and daughters,
and all fear of want remove.
who can faint while such a river
ever flows their thirst to assuage;
grace, which like the Lord the Giver,
never fails from age to age?

Round each habitation hovering,
see the cloud and fire appear,
for a glory and a covering-
showing that the Lord is near.
Thus they march, the pillar leading,
light by night and shade by day;
daily on the manna feeding
which he gives them when they pray.

Saviour, since of Zion's city,
I, through grace, a member am,
let the world deride or pity,
I will glory in thy name.
Fading is the world's best pleasure,
all it's boasted pomp and show;
solid joys and lasting treasure
none but Zion's children know.

NOTICES

WELCOME to all who are visiting for the first time or returning after a long time.

**Welcome friends on this day
Yes we are glad you have joined us
Take your place fill your hearts
With Christ love which surrounds us
Glory to God may you live and grow
In his love forever
Welcome friends on this day
We are glad you have joined us**

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS (Aug 24-30) to Shenese Mayers (26).

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY GREETINGS (Aug 24-30) to: Patrick & Barbara Sealy (26)

CONGRATULATIONS to our Rector, **Rev Canon Trevor O'Neale** as he celebrates **32 years to the Diaconate today, Sunday, August 24, 2025.** Let us continue to pray for him in his ministry.

CONGRATULATIONS to:

- **Bro Rishon Small-Sealy** who graduated from the Barbados Community College with an Associate Degree in Applied Science: Computer Studies with credit (GPA 3.506);
- **Sis Keanna Barrow** who has been accepted to the Black Rock Football Club Residential Academy at High Mowing School in New Hampshire USA.

Let us pray for God's guidance and protection them as they take the next step in their educational journey.

HOUSEBOUND AND SICK: Please remember the sick in your prayers and where possible give them a call: **Ometa Collymore (QEH C12), Melanie Haggins (UK)**, Claristine Olton, Hensley Robinson, Miranda Clarke; Neville Ward, Wilma Estwick, Erskine Batson, Carmen Franklin, Camille Wilson, Eugene Norville, Michael Gittens, Iolanthe Manifold, Kellman Parris, Dafton Mayers, Corletta White, Myrna McCarthy, Geneva McCarthy, Glenville Davis, Kayrene Forde, Marlene Mottley, Keith Alleyne and Myrtle Inniss.

CONDOLENCES are extended to the family of the late:

- **Hensley Eastmond** whose funeral service will be held on Friday, August 28, 2025, at 3:00 pm.

Organist and Choir are requested.

FEAST DAYS:

- **Monday, August 24, 2025**, we celebrate the **Feast Day of St. Bartholomew, the Apostle**. Please pray for Priest-in-charge, Rev. Canon Wayne Isaac and the congregation of St. Bartholomew.
- **Thursday August 28, 2025**, is the **Feast of St. Augustine**, Please pray for Priest-in-Charge Rev. Yolanda Clarke and the congregation of St. Augustine.

ANNUAL FAIR 2025: Tickets are available for the Annual Fair which is planned for **October 4, 2025, from 12:00 Noon - 8:00 PM**. Please see Sis Maulta Franklin and Sis Valerie Marshall after the service to collect your tickets. Tickets are \$5:00 each . Children under 5 years will be free. Volunteers are needed to assist with the sale of tickets at Emerald City Supermarket and Sky Mall. Thank you for your continued support.

CONCERT: St. Christopher Anglican Church Choir & Friends present **“Come Let Us Join Our Cheerful Sounds”**: a presentation of Choral & Organ music. It takes place on Sunday, August 31, 2025, at 4:30 pm. Donation \$30.00. Bro Damanie Beckles is one of the featured performers.

BARBADOS POLICE BAND CONCERT: The Barbados Diocesan Mothers’ Union invites you to their Barbados Police Service Band Concert, under the Patronage of the **Rt Rev. Michael Maxwell, Bishop of Barbados and Mrs Maxwell** on August 31, 2025, at Prince Cave Hall, Station Hill, St Michael beginning at 4:30 pm. Admission is \$40. Tickets are available from Sis. Joyce Sealy.

WORLD COUNCIL OF CHURCHES: There will be a Regional Pre Conference Gathering to commemorate the 1700th Anniversary of the First Ecumenical Council of Nicaea on Friday, September 19, 2025. To register please follow the link below:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/xdxM5dxCRg6MW4WHoAWjzg#/registration>

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION will be administered via the *Common Cup*. However, the option of *intinction* remains available. Children and young adults may participate in the following ways:

- Only the **host** will be administered to children aged **3–15**, unless they are confirmed or have received parental permission to partake of both kinds. *Infants and toddlers* (those under 3 years) may receive Communion only **from their parents**, and **not directly from the minister**.

- Those aged **16 and older** are welcome to receive **of both kinds**. Please note that “both kinds” currently refers to the reception of the consecrated **bread and wine via intinction**.

If you are comfortable and physically able, you may **kneel or stand** at the altar when receiving Communion or a blessing. Should you experience any mobility challenges, kindly inform the Ushers so that the Sacrament may be brought to you.

Call to Ministry

Ministries	Leaders	Meeting Times
Altar Servers	Sis Alicia Headley	3 rd Sat -4:00pm
Bereavement Group	Sis Jean-Ann Murrell	Quarterly-6:30 pm
Choir		Fri-4:00 pm
Church Army	Sis Marcia Clarke	3 rd Sat. -9:30 am
Flower Guild	Sis. Jackie Franklin	Quarterly
Health Guild	Sis. Lolita Bushell	1 st Sat -4:00pm
Men's Ministry		
M & E	Sis. Joan Small-White	2 nd Sat -3:00 pm
Mothers' Union	Sis Joyce Sealy	2 nd Sat 9:30am
CFH	Sis Lyn-Marie Franklin	Sun 8:00 am
Ushers' Guild	Sis Shelley Blades	3 rd Sat -4:30 pm

Lay Eucharistic Ministers/Lay Readers/Chalice Assistants

Sonia Gill	Ralph McCarthy
Alicia Headley	Hilford Murrell
Jeanette Holder	Amarel Robinson
Jocelyn King	Edwin Tudor
Doreen Knight	June Ward
	Harold Weir

DAILY READINGS:

Mon	Psalm 10	Jeremiah 7:1-15	Hebrews 3:7-4:11
Tue	Psalm 10	Jeremiah 7:16-26	Revelation 3:7-13
Wed	Psalm 10	Jeremiah 7:27-34	Luke 6:6-11
Thu	Psalm 81:1, 10-16	Jeremiah 11:1-17	1 Peter 3:8-12
Fri	Psalm 81:1, 10-16	Jeremiah 12:1-13	1 Peter 4:7-11
Sat	Psalm 81:1, 10-16	Jeremiah 2:1-3, 14-22	Matthew 20:20-28