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INTENTION FOR THE YEAR:

God has called and equipped us for Ministry in His Kingdom

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The Rector's Message

Nov. 10, 2013

Dear people of God,

This week I share with you a reflection on Prayer written by former Rector, Bishop Herman Spence.

“When I have a task to do, I first pray to God as though everything depended on Him, and then I set to work as though everything depended on me.” I believe that was said by St. Ignatius Loyola, who caught the heart of the Gospel: God's grace and our response. The constant beat of the Christian life is prayer and effort, worship and work, withdrawal and return.

To pray to God and then to set to work is not necessarily the order in time, but it is the very texture of life. As Christian people we are not given a set of rules which we are to keep or a way of life which we are to live by our own strength: we do not make ourselves Christians by the way we live and thereby win God's blessing. God gives Himself to us and, when we let His power work in us, we become what we are meant to be.

Prayer, even the most personal prayer, is never private. We always pray as members of Christ's Body, the Church. When you pray, think of yourself as one of a great company of people. Say both “my Father” and “our Father”. Your own conversation with God must be quite personal, but that does not mean you are praying in private, that in your prayer to God you are isolated from other people. You pray with the Church. Such prayer sustains and strengthens us; it takes me out of myself and brings me into the fellowship of those who know God as the Lord of Life.

In worship and prayer we open the way for God to work His will in us. Prayer is not only calling on God to help me when I am in great trouble, although I do and should turn to Him when I am in great trouble; prayer is not the final resort when I have done my best and still need help: prayer is the beginning and continuing fact of my life. ”

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors, worshipping with us today.

Sirrano+

Chorus

As we are gathered, Jesus is here:
One with each other, Jesus is here;
Joined by the Spirit, built up in love
Part of the body, the Church of God.
As we are gathered Jesus is here;
One with each other Jesus is here

PRESIDENT: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
Alleluia! Alleluia!

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

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.

Canticle: Glory be to God the Father

1. Glory be to God the Father,
Glory be to God the Son,
Glory be to God the Spirit,
God almighty, Three in One!
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
While eternal ages run!
2. Glory be to Him who loved us,
Washed us from each spot and stain!
Glory be to Him who bought us,
Made us kings with Him to reign!
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
To the Lamb that once was slain!
3. Glory to the King of angels,
Glory to the church's King,
Glory to the King of nations!
Heaven and earth, your praises bring;
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
To the King of Glory bring!
4. "Glory, blessing, praise eternal!"
Thus the choir of angels sings;
"Honor, riches, power, dominion!"
Thus its praise creation brings;
Glory, glory, glory, glory,
Glory to the King of kings!

The Collect for the day (BCP page 181, Proper 27)

The Twenty-Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

Leader: We give thanks for Christians in other countries, especially where there is suffering, danger and persecution; those sent out as missionaries, Christians in our country, this diocese; John Archbishop, Howard Diocesan Bishop, Robert and Leon Suffragans, Sirrano, David, Larius, Andrea and all church workers.

Lord show us your way

All: Teach us your path.

Leader: Strengthen your people for their witness and work in the world. Fill your ministers with your Spirit that they may faithfully preach the gospel and administer your holy sacraments. Unite us in the truth that all who confess your name, may live together in love and proclaim your glory in all the world.

Lord show us your way

All: Teach us your path.

Leader: Guide with your wisdom and power the leaders of the nations of the world, so that everyone may live in peace and mutual trust, sharing with justice the resources of the earth. Give wisdom to those in authority in this land, for Patrick, Governor General; Portia, Prime Minister; Andrew, Leader of the Parliamentary Opposition; Members of Parliament and Senate.

Lord show us your way

All: Teach us your path.

Leader: Give to all peoples a desire for righteousness, peace, unselfishness, compassion, and fairness with the will to work together in trust, to seek the common good and to share with justice the resources of the earth.

Lord show us your way

All: Teach us your path.

Leader: Send out the light and truth of your gospel and bring people everywhere to know and love you. Enable those who minister

among us to commend your truth by their example and teaching. May we gladly receive and obey your word. We commend to your keeping, Father, ourselves and each other, our families, our neighbours, and our friends. Enable us by your Spirit to live in love for you and for one another.

Lord show us your way

All: Teach us your path.

Leader: Comfort and heal, merciful Lord, all who are in sorrow, need, sickness, the lonely; the unloved; the persecuted, those who grieve or in any other trouble. Give them a firm trust in your goodness; help those who minister to and care for them and bring us all into the joy of your salvation.

Lord show us your way

All: Teach us your path.

Silence May be kept

Grant us Lord God, a vision of our land as your love would make it: a land where the weak are protected, and none go hungry or poor; a land where the benefits of civilized life are shared, and everyone can enjoy them; a land where different races and cultures live in tolerance and mutual respect; a land where peace is built with justice, and justice is guided by love. And give us the inspiration and courage to build it, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SICK AND SHUT - IN

**Bp Don Taylor
Hermine Richards
Michael King
John Reader
Myrtle Smith**

**Marjory Reeson
Elaine Small
Daphne Dobson
Ellen Rob**

Did You Know?

Did you know that the headgear worn by the bishop is called a MITRE, it symbolizes the tongues of fire that fell on the day of Pentecost in the upper room – Acts 2

QUOTE FOR REFLECTION

“One thing Jesus asks of me: that I lean on Him; that in Him and only in Him I put complete trust; that I surrender myself to Him unreservedly...Even if we feel like a boat without compass on high seas, we are to commit ourselves fully to Him, without trying to control His actions”.

- *Mother Theresa*

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Monday	5:30 p.m.	Bible Study
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	5:30 p.m.	Home for Girls
	5:30 p.m.	St. Andrew Settlement
	5:30 p.m.	CFFC
Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	4:30 p.m.	St. Andrew Care Centre
	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
Thursday	5:30 p.m.	SAPC Choir Rehearsal
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Saturday	11:00 a.m.	Little Brothers
	2:00 p.m.	Alleluia Choir Rehearsal
	2:00 p.m.	Servers Guild
	5:00 p.m.	Youth Fellowship

PARISH NEWS

Birthdays for this week: Brian Goldson Jr. and Shirley Whervin 10/11, Muriel Silvera, Vernon Saunders and Anthony Williams 12/11, Winsome Hall, Hepburn Wint and Minke Newman 13/11, Carol Hamilton and Roger Goldson 14/11, Shirley Tyndall, Velma Davis, Annie Mantle and Desland McKenzie 15/11.

The funeral service for Ruby Lue Lim the mother of Paul Lue Lim,, will be on Tuesday Nov. 12, at 1:00p.m. and for Nellie Rowe on Friday Nov. 15, at 12:30 p.m.

Our Harvest Supper will be next Friday November 15, at 16 Ellesmere Road. We still need your help/contributions in all areas, ticket, stall etc. Please speak to anyone on the supper committee.

The Sunday School Teachers and the Executive of the Friends of the St. Andrew Parish Church Sunday Schools are inviting all parents and guardians of students of the Sunday School to a special Parents Teachers Meeting on Sunday, November 24, 2013 after the 8:00 a.m. service. Refreshment will be provided.

The Friends of the St. Andrew Parish Church Sunday Schools annual Christmas Cake & Pudding sale is on every Sunday from November 3 - December 22, 2013. Please give your full support as the proceeds are in aid of the Sunday Schools of St. Andrew Parish Church, St. Clements' and St. Thomas' Missions - 1lb puddings -\$1,200; 2lb puddings - \$2,400 and 40 oz. cake -\$1,800. Place your orders early!

Mission 2013: "Proclaiming the King, Building the Kingdom." Nov. 24 - 29, 2013 at the church of St. Margaret's Liguanea. Each one bring one. Contact Pearl Pottinger your Mission 2013 Rep. for additional information.

St. Andrew's Day service will be on Nov 30, at 9:00 a.m.

The Girl's Home is in need of mentors. Interested persons may contact the church office.

The church is seeking an **Event Planner** to undertake the fundraising activities of the church.

THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

6:30 a.m. November 10, 2013 Proper 27 Year C

Old Testament: Job 19: 23 - 27 Kelvin Roberts
Psalm 17:1 - 7 **Refrain:** *(All sit)* “Keep me as the apple of your
BCP, page 485 eye, hide me under the shadow of your wings.”
Epistle 2 Thessalonians 2: 13 - 3:5 Gail Lue Lim
Gospel Luke 20: 27, 34 - 38
Prayers of Intercession

8:00 a.m. SUNG EUCHARIST AND SERMON

Processional 364
Old Testament: Job 19: 23 - 27 Frank James
Psalm 17:1 - 8 BCP page 485 *(All stand)*
Epistle 2 Thessalonians 2: 13 - 3:5 Roni Miller-Brown
Gradual 437
Gospel Luke 20: 27, 34 - 38
Sermon Revd. Dr. Kuck
Prayers of Intercession
Offertory 740
During Communion 599, 615 626, 612.
Recessional 564

10:30 a.m. Contemporary Service

**6:00 p.m. Joint Fellowship Group Service
Conducted by**