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"What are you discussing with each other while you walk along?")

INTENTION FOR THE YEAR:
Using Our Spiritual Gifts and Abilities to Evangelize

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The Rector is out of office on Mondays.

**MESSAGE FROM
THE RT. REV. HOWARD K. GREGORY, STD, DD
BISHOP OF JAMAICA AND THE CAYMAN ISLANDS**

My dear Young People;

I send you warm Christian greetings as you celebrate Children's Sunday today, May 4, under the Theme "Yes! I am special!!"

In many families, each child becomes the focus of attention on the occasion of the annual celebration of his or her birthday. It is often a time when gifts are received, there is the birthday cake, or it may just be the singing of the birthday song for the individual. As a Church, we are unable to do this for every child, and so we have decided to set aside one Sunday each year when we pay special attention to our children, and focus attention on matters that relate to their care, support, and growth as individual and as members of the Church and children of God. Today being observed as Children's Sunday is, therefore, your special day.

Your Theme for this year is very appropriate, and as Christians, your main focus should be that you are special in God's sight and nothing or anyone can take that away.

By the Sacrament of Baptism, God unites us with Christ, adopts us as His children and makes us members of Christ's body, the Church, and inheritors of the Kingdom of God.

I greet you all. I celebrate this special day with you and send you my warm greetings and God's richest blessings.

Sincerely yours in Christ

+Rt. Rev. Howard Gregory

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors worshipping with us today. Special welcome to Fr. Louis Hurst and guest choir on our Deanery Exchange Sunday.

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

Hymn: As we are gathered

May 4, 2014

Opening Sentence

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

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

The 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 : God's Paschal Lamb (Pascha Nostrum)

1. God's Paschal Lamb is sacrificed for us;
Therefore with joy we keep the Easter feast;
forsaking sin, we share the bread of truth.
Alleluia, Alleluia!
2. Now Christ is raised and will not die again;
death has no more dominion over him;
Through him we die to sin and live to God.
Alleluia, Alleluia!
3. In Christ we see the first fruits of the dead:
though Adam's sin had doomed all flesh die,
in Christ's new life shall all be made alive.
Alleluia, Alleluia!

(Sine Nomine)

THE PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION - May 4, 2014
The Third Sunday of Easter

Leader: Lord, we pray that we may know you in the break of day, in the breaking of hearts, and in the breaking of bread. Help us to know that you are risen indeed, and that you are with us in the holy communion. May your church ever proclaim your presence, and know that you travel with us on the road we go. Teach us, Lord, to abide in you, that we may know you abide in us. We pray for the church, its mission and for the clergy, for John Archbishop, Howard Diocesan Bishop, Robert and Leon Suffragans, Sirrano, David, Larius, Andrea and all church workers. *Lord abide in us,*

ALL: and we will abide in you.

Leader: We pray for our nation, for Patrick, Governor General, Portia, Prime Minister and Andrew, Leader of the Parliamentary Opposition, all members of Parliament and Senators, that they may serve justice and promote the welfare and dignity of our people. *Lord abide in us,*

ALL: and we will abide in you.

Leader: We pray today for all who travel by land, sea or air, for those who are leaving places of pain and sorrow, for those whose lives may be in danger, for refugees and homeless people, and for all who have to care of them, and all emergency workers, *Lord abide in us,*

ALL: and we will abide in you.

Leader: We give thanks that you come to us. Make us aware of our presence in our homes. Help us to be aware of you as our hearts burn within us. Help us to see you, O Christ, in everyone we meet. We pray for the lonely, for all who feel rejected, for the outcasts of society. *Lord abide in us,*

ALL: and we will abide in you.

Leader: We pray for the broken-hearted, for those whose hopes have died, for all who are confused by the pain and sickness of our world. We remember all who travel by lonely paths, for all who live alone, for the financially distressed and for the despondent in spirit. We pray for the elderly, for all who are in care facilities, for all who cannot cope on their own, we pray for the sick..... *Lord abide in us,*

ALL: and we will abide in you.

Leader: We pray for all who have been killed in road accidents, for all who have come to an untimely end. We pray that you will protect us in our journey, until we share with the saints in your kingdom. We remember those who have died.....*Lord abide in us,*

ALL: and we will abide in you.

Silence may be kept

All: Abide with us Lord, throughout this day. Abide with us in our journeying and in our homes. Abide with us in our seeking and in our longings. Abide with us now and to eternity, Jesus, risen Lord, who lives and reigns with the father and the Holy Spirit in glory for ever. Amen.

SICK AND SHUT - IN

Aldington Findlay	Fay Jenkinson
Kathleen Neysmith	Olive Lawrence
Eulalee Vernon	Lena McDonald
Ivy Walters	Ida Small

Did You Know?

Technically, only Jesus was really resurrected, all others who came back from the dead in the Bible were resuscitated because all died natural deaths later on. As the Anglican Bishop and scholar N.T. Wright said, “The meaning of ‘resurrection’ as ‘life after “life after death”’ cannot be overemphasized, not the least because much modern writing continues to use ‘resurrection’ as a virtual synonym for ‘life after death’ in the popular sense...”

Quote for Reflection

When Jesus’s disciples asked him to teach them to pray, he told them to ask their heavenly Father, “Give us this day our daily bread.” I wonder whether this simple injunction caught them by surprise, for one would think it would be simpler to pray for enough sustenance for the week or even for a lifetime. If enough provision for one day is good, provision for two days is better. Then we wouldn’t have to come back, asking for more. But this is precisely the nature of God’s provision. We live in bite-sized portions of time and must seek God for strength for the day, one day at a time. We must depend upon God each day that we live.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & FAITH
FOUNDATOIN COMMITTEE

SCHEDULE OF SERVICE: MAY 2014

MAY 18, 2014 - Sunday School/Youth Service

6:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
8:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
10:30 a.m. Morning Prayer
6:00 p.m. Confirmation

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Monday	5:30 p.m.	Bible Study
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	4:00 p.m.	Mothers' Union
	5:30 p.m.	Moreton Park Cottages
Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
	5:15 p.m.	Women's Auxiliary
	5:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
	5:30 p.m.	Property & Building Committee
	5:30 p.m.	Reception Committee
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.	Server's Guild
	2:00 p.m.	Alleluia Choir Rehearsal
	5:00 p.m.	Youth Fellowship

PARISH NEWS

November 30, 2014 will be the beginning of our 350th Anniversary Celebrations.

Birthdays for this week: Fabian Young and Olga Geoghagen 04/05, Gail Lue Lim 05/05, Michael Lawe and Vincent Powell 06/05 Yvonne Hall 07/05, Israel Thomas 08/05, Blossom Williams, Barbara Briggs and Brandon Mighty 09/05 and Andron Findley 10/05.

Condolence is extended to the family of Derrick Dyer. His funeral service will be on Tuesday May 6th, at 1:00 p.m. The funeral service for Merton Wright's brother Neville Fletcher will be on Thursday May 8th, at 11a.m. To Dr. Jones and Donna Evelyn on the passing of a relative.

The next STAPC Legal Advisory Service will be on Saturday, May 10th from 10:00-12:00 noon. There is no registration fee and the advice is free.

The Alpha Course begins on Wednesday June 4th at 5:30 p.m. in the Old Court House. Theme "Life Worth Living" Make it a date.

The 144th Annual Synod of the Diocese of Jamaica and the Cayman islands was held with the theme "Affirm the Past, Engage the Present and Envision The Future".

The Diocese has established a fund to assist Rev. Vivette Jennings. Contributions may be sent to Church House by way of Cheques written to "Diocesan Church Fund - Jennings Relief"

Second collection envelopes for May are available at the back.

Little Brother's Ministry - Volunteers are badly needed for this ministry. Kindly contact Minke Newman.

Please remember to take your non-perishable items for the Dorcas basket/ Tuesday charity.

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

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

May 4, 2014 - Year A

6:30 a.m.

HOLY EUCHARIST

First Reading	Acts 2: 14a, 36 - 47	Clarence Walker
Psalm 116: 10 - 17 (BCP page 624)	Refrain: (All sit) <i>"I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living. Alleluia, Alleluia"</i>	
Second Reading	1 Peter 1: 17 - 23	Demetri Wint
Gospel	Luke 24: 13 - 35	
Prayer of Intercession		

8:00 a.m.

SUNG EUCHARIST AND SERMON

Processional	180	
First Reading	Acts 2: 14a, 36 - 47	Colin Dailey
Psalm 116: 10 - 17 (BCP page 624)	Refrain: (All sit) <i>"I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living. Alleluia, Alleluia"</i>	
Second Reading	1 Peter 1: 17 - 23	Monique McIntosh
Gradual	174	<i>(Children leave for S.S)</i>
Gospel	Luke 24: 13 - 35	
Sermon	Rev. Fr. Louis Hurst	
The Apostles' Creed	Hymn 561 CPWI	
Prayer of Intercession		
Offertory Hymn	529	
During Communion	569, 252, 253, 575,	
For the Children	668	
2nd Collection	175	
Recessional	183	

10:30 a.m.

MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON

Processional	180	
Venite	BCP page 36	
Psalm 116: 10 - 17	BCP page 624	
Old Testament	Acts 2: 14a, 36 - 47	
Benedictus	BCP page 40	
Gospel	Luke 24: 13 - 35	
Hymn	174	
Sermon		
Offertory	529	
Recessional	183	

6:00 p.m.

HOLY EUCHARIST