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**ST. ANDREW PARISH CHURCH**

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**INTENTION FOR THE YEAR:**

**Proclaiming and Sharing The Good News of Jesus Christ  
In A Challenging Culture**

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**The Rector is out of office on Mondays**

All four Gospels present Jesus as “the Anointed One” who had come to demonstrate by word and action “good news to the poor, proclaim liberty to the captives, new sight to the blind, to set the down trodden free and to proclaim the Lord’s time of jubilee (Luke 4:16 - 22)”. This constitutes the **mission** of Jesus and the divine prescription and action for healing, restoration and wholeness. At the center of humanity, dislocation and alienation from God, creation and self is the heart, which is the nerve of decision making, emotion, thought, will and conviction. It is from head that we love; it is from the heart that we make decisions; it is from the heart that we give of self.

The heart reflects whether we are in good or poor emotional health. Do we have a caring heart, a heart of love, a heart of compassion, a soft heart or a patient heart for the Lord? These descriptions of our hearts also indicate our spiritual health, according to the book of Revelation. Do we have a warm heart, a cold heart, a luke-warm heart or a heart of fire? It is the desires of the heart that distorts our relationship with God and everyone else. The general confession of Morning and Evening Prayer of the 1662 Book of Common Prayer states in part, “We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own heart” (BCP page 43& 59). Jesus emphasized that “it is from within the heart that evil intentions come...” (Mark 7: 21) and He proceeded to list twelve devices of the human heart that disconnect us from God, as God remains available to us. The attitude of the heart reflects its condition and intention; it is a broken and contrite heart which will always attract God’s attention. Matthew 5:8 asserts, “Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God”, in other words, the humble, penitent and contrite heart enables us to experience the love, forgiveness, patience and compassion of the heart of God. Do we desire healing of the heart?

The crucified Lord is the Wounded Healer, the one who heals us of our infirmities by forgiving our sins and transgressions. Healing is described as the miracle of God’s Grace. It is God who meets us at our point of need, through Jesus Christ, by the anointing of the Holy Spirit, to make healing a life transforming encounter. The therapeutic team is the Triune God of Father, Son and Holy Spirit working for the healing of our hearts to make us whole in body, mind and spirit.

We extend a warm welcome to all visitors worshipping with us today, especially The Jamaica institution of Engineers.

*Sirrano +*

**Focus September:- “The Ministry of Healing and Anointing”**

**Holiness, holiness is what I long for**

1. Holiness, holiness is what I long for  
Holiness is what I need  
Holiness, holiness is what You  
want from me.

**Cho:**

So, take my heart and form it  
Take my mind and transform it  
Take my will and conform it  
To Yours, to Yours, oh, Lord

**This is my desire to honor you**

This is my desire  
to honor you  
Lord, with all my heart  
I worship you  
All I have within me  
I give You praise  
All that I adore is in you

2. Faithfulness, faithfulness is  
what I long for  
Faithfulness is what I need  
Faithfulness, faithfulness is  
What. You want from me

3. Brokenness, brokenness is  
what I long for  
Brokenness is what I need  
Brokenness, brokenness is what  
You want from me.

Lord I give you my heart  
I give you my soul  
I live for you alone  
Every breath that I take  
Every moment I'm awake  
Lord have Your way in me

**Thanks, thanks I give you thanks**

Thanks, thanks I give you thanks  
for all you've done  
I am so blessed my soul is at rest  
Oh lord I give you thanks

Thanks, thanks we give you thanks  
for all you've done  
we are so blessed our souls are at rest  
Oh lord we give you thanks

**Lord, You are more precious than silver**

1. Lord, You are more precious than silver;  
Lord, You are more costly than gold;  
Lord, You are more beautiful than diamonds;  
And nothing I desire compares with You.

2. Lord, Your love is wide as the ocean.  
Lord, Your love is deep as the sea.  
Lord, Your love encompasses the nations,  
And that is all I want to live in me.

3. Lord, Your light is shining within us;  
Lord, Your light drives darkness away.  
Lord, Your light is guiding us onwards,  
Preparing us for the coming wedding day.

## **Draw me close to You**

1. Draw me close to You

Never let me go

I lay it all down again

To hear You say that I'm Your friend

You are my desire

And no one else will do

'Cause nothing else can take Your place

To feel the warmth of Your embrace

Help me find a way

Bring me back to You

You're all I want

You're all I've ever needed

You're all I want

Help me know You are near

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Repeat verse and Chorus

## **"Jesus, Name Above All Names"**

1. Jesus, name above all names

Beautiful Savior, glorious Lord.

Emmanuel, God is with us.

Blessed Redeemer, Living word.

2. Jesus, name above all names

Beautiful Savior, glorious Lord.

Emmanuel, God is with us.

Blessed Redeemer, Living word.

Emmanuel, God is with us.

Blessed Redeemer, Living word.

## **Such love, pure as the whitest snow**

1. Such love, pure as the whitest snow

Such love, weeps for the shame I know

Such love, paying the debt I owe

O Jesus, such love

3. Such love, springs from eternity

Such love, streaming through history

Such love, fountain of life to me

O Jesus, such love

2. Such love, stilling my  
restlessness

Such love, filling my emptiness

Such love, showing me holiness

O Jesus, such love.

## **Give Me Oil in My Lamp**

1. Give me oil in my lamp keep it burning,

Give me oil in my lamp, I pray.

Give me oil in my lamp keep it burning,

Keep it burning till the break of day.

**CHORUS:** Sing Hosanna, sing Hosanna  
Sing Hosanna to the King of kings  
Sing Hosanna, sing Hosanna,  
Sing Hosanna to the King

2. Give me love in my heart keep me growing,
3. Give me joy in my heart keep me laughing,
4. Give me peace in the world keep it turning,

**I just want to follow Jesus,**

1. You may be young and think  
the world is at your feet  
Perhaps you live from day to day;  
But I confess that I have met  
Lord Jesus Christ  
And know that He's the only way.

**Chorus**

I just want to follow Jesus,  
Follow each and every day  
And I want to praise and serve him  
As I walk the narrow way  
Where he leads me I will follow,  
From the start until the end:  
I will stay with him forever,  
He's my nearest, dearest friend.

2. I'm growing older, wiser,  
seeing things more clear  
And value this great friend I've made  
That's why I try to show him  
off to my friends  
And tell them of the rice he's paid.

**Chorus**

3. Life has more meaning now  
that I've known Jesus Christ,  
I've got the strength to cope with all  
His spirit is my guide, whenever I am afraid,  
And I will always heed his call.

**Chorus**

4. I consecrate my life to serving Jesus Christ,  
I've made this pledge, to God indeed.  
I put my trust in him and seek to do his will  
He satisfies my every need.

**Chorus**

5. If you have not as yet given your life to him,  
I beg of you, do not delay;  
I call on to put your faith in Jesus Christ  
And join with these words to say

**Chorus**

**SICK AND SHUT - IN**

Jean Jones  
Grace Gowe  
Heron Wright  
Diane Quarless  
Deloris Ottey

Verona Rambana  
Lloyd James  
Charles Henry  
Atheline Mantock  
Myrtle Smith

## Faith Formation and Christian Education

### Did You know?

The Baptismal Font is placed close to an entrance, especially at the west door, (or at a central point from which it may be seen from any entrance), so that the moment we step into the church, upon seeing it, we are reminded that we are children of God by virtue of our baptism.

### Quote for Reflection

" Be your beautiful self. Develop your inner resources. Everything you need you already have inside you. If you're a little uncomfortable with what you see, uneasy with the restlessness that you feel inside, and can't quite trust your inner voice- that's God's way of trying to speak through you, to stir you up to move forward. Listen carefully. Choose your direction wisely. Don't be afraid to ask for help if you're not fully equipped. We're beautiful when we strive to reach a greater potential within ourselves. But we're most beautiful, when we help someone else reach theirs." (Rita Said, 2016).

### ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK (September 18 - 24)

Monday	5:30 p.m.	Bible Study
Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist - St. Matthew the Apostle
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist - Sick and Shut-In (Clergy)
	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
	3:00 p.m.	Altar Guild
	4:00 p.m.	Youth Fellowship

**Wish List for the Church Office - A filing cabinet.**

### Activities for September

**Sunday Sept. 25 10:30 a.m. Service of Healing and Anointing**

## PARISH NEWS

**Birthdays for this week:** Yvonne Sterrett 18/09, Alcie Daley, Kimberlee Scott and Pearlita Thomson 19/09, Pauline Davis and Annette Johnson 20/09, Shanique Barnes and Gwen Waugh 21/09, Bruce James 22/09, Aston Daley, Lola Murphy, Daryan Pallas and Berl Francis 23/09, Vincent Lawrence, Sophia Gray-Goode and Stephen Greig 24/09.

**Congratulations to Keith and Gloria Ramsay** who will celebrate 58 yrs. of marriage on Tuesday the 20th.

**Confirmation classes** will continue on Wednesday September 21, 2016.

**Regional M.U Service** will take place today, Sunday Sept. 18, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Port Maria, St. Mary.

***Sunday School choir practice*** have resumed on Saturday, September 17, 2016 from 2:30 - 4:30 PM. We encourage all children to come out and participate as this year we want to build the voice choir alongside the instruments."

The B.S.A. will meet on Saturday 24th, in the Conference Room at 10:00 a.m. Dr. Hope will be the Presenter.

**Moreton Park Cottages** present their annual Lunch Time Fish Fry and B-B-Q, Friday October 7, contribution \$1,100. Serving noon to 3:00 p.m.

**Harvest Thanksgiving** - Sunday October 23, 2016.

**Harvest Supper** - Friday November 18, 2016.

**S.A.S is inviting** applicants for the post of Executive Director. Interested persons please call 926-6692 or email [saintandrewsettlement@gmail.com](mailto:saintandrewsettlement@gmail.com).

**"MEN PERFORM FOR CHRIST" October 02, 5.00pm. at St. Andrew Parish Church. Contribution is \$1,200 per person.** Tickets are available at the Church Office and from any Rally Coordinator. Take a friend or more than one. Let us fill the church on October 02.

You will be entertained by some of the **BEST** male performers in Jamaica - Andrews SDA Men's Chorale, JCF Men's Chorale, Michael Sean Harris, Mario Evon, Warren Harris, Comdr. John McFarlane, Kevin Williams, Dwight Richards, Dominic Cobran, Rev. Leslie Mowatt, St. Andrew Panners & Drummers, Hanif Lallo, Canon Kitson, Audley Davidson **and more.**

## EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 18, 2016 - Proper 20 - Year C  
**The Ministry of Healing and Anointing**

### 6:30 a.m.

### HOLY EUCHARIST

Old Testament  
Psalm 79: 1 - 9  
(BCP page 572)  
Epistle  
Gospel  
Prayer of Intercession

Jeremiah 8: 18 - 9: 1 Patrick Lynch  
**Refrain:** (All sit) *“Help us O God for the glory of your name “*  
1 Timothy 2: 1 - 7 Hilary Phillips  
Luke 16: 1 - 13  
Form H (page 120)

### 8:00 a.m.

### SUNG EUCHARIST AND SERMON

*(Corporate for the Women’s Working Committee)*

Processional  
Old Testament  
Psalm 79: 1 - 9  
(BCP page 572)  
Epistle  
Gradual  
Gospel  
Sermon  
Creed  
Prayer of Intercession  
Offertory Hymn  
During Communion  
Recessional

529  
Jeremiah 8: 18 - 9: 1 Matthew West  
**Refrain:** (All sit) *“Help us O God for the glory of your name “*  
1 Timothy 2: 1 - 7 Gary Walters  
Holiness is what I long for (page 3)  
Luke 16: 1 - 13  
Form H (page 120)  
This is my desire, Thanks, Thanks I give you thanks  
499 & pages 3 & 4. [ 612]  
I just want to follow Jesus (page 5)

### 10:30 a.m.

### MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON

Processional  
Jubilate  
Psalm 79: 1 - 9  
(BCP page 572)  
Old Testament  
Benedictus  
Second Reading  
Hymn  
Sermon  
Hymn  
Recessional

345  
BCP page 37  
**Refrain:** (All sit) *“Help us O God for the glory of your name “*  
Jeremiah 8: 18 - 9: 1  
BCP page 40  
Luke 16: 1 - 13  
508  
Sis Andrea Taylor  
398  
479

### 6:00 p.m.

### HOLY EUCHARIST