EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 26, 2020 - Year A Proper 12

A Call to Intentional Discipleship Keep the Faith & Bear the Fruit of the Spirit

6:30 a.m. **HOLY EUCHARIST**

OT Lesson Genesis 29:15 - 28 Carl Bruce

Psalm 105: 1-11, 45b **Refrain** "Make known the marvelous works of the Lord among the people, Alleluia" (BCP page 635)

Epistle Romans 8:26 - 39 Rhena Williams

Gospel Matthew 13: 31 - 33, 44 - 52

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SOLEMN EUCHARIST AND SERMON 8:00 a.m.

Processional 251 Hail to the Lord's Anointed Genesis 29:15 - 28 Alwyn Smith OT Lesson Psalm 105: 1-11, 45b BCP page 635 Chanted **Epistle** Romans 8:26 - 39 Sophia Goode Gradual (Sequence) 397 Lord, thy word abideth, Matthew 13: 31 - 33, 44 - 52 Gospel Sermon Revd. Deacon Claude Campbell

The Apostles' Creed 561

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466 Father, I place into your hands Offertory Hymn

During Communion 851, 490

347 The Church of God a kingdom is, Recessional

Connecting to the streaming link for 8:00 a.m. Service

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Chapel of Ease:

St. Thomas - Maiesty Gardens 10:30 a.m. and St. Clement's - Kencot 10:30 a.m.



INTENTION FOR THE YEAR: A Call to Intentional Discipleship, Keep the Faith & Bear the Fruit of the Spirit

CLERGY

Rector/Curate Revd. Canon Sirrano Kitson, D. Min.

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The Rector is out of Office on Mondays

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Are we being changed through the work of the Holy Spirit? There are many of us who wrestle with our imperfections and desire a change in our thought processes and attitude. Jesus said in Matthew 18 and verse 3, "unless you change and become...you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." This change takes place within the heart of the soul; the center of emotion, intellect and will. However it takes time for the Holy Spirit to penetrate the toughened tissues of our souls before it can reach the cell of the soul. "This transformation happens as we spend time in God's presence, allowing him to reshape our hearts. So take time! Listen to him tell you who he is and how much he loves you. Admit the things inside you that are far from perfect. Give him the time and space he needs to do it. As you grow confident in his love, your heart will expand to begin to love others the way he does. You will be different." Change maybe uncomfortable for some of us, however the work of the Holy Spirit's presence is for us to be changed and transformed.

This is a gradual process of change (conversion) that requires our time, conscious participation and discipline. As you sit in God's company, the Lord will mold you into the likeness of his Son's heart, "the one who died for us while we were still his enemies." (Romans 5:8) It is the Holy Spirit living inside us who will heal our souls, scarred by sin and sinful actions and enable us to bear the Spirit's fruit of forgiving-love, joy in thanksgiving, peace in kindness and patience in attitude. Growing in the Spirit towards Christ's likeness is an adventure. Are you a committed disciple for this journey of faith? Take the step of faith, put your trust in the Lord and you will see miracles happen in your life.

As a Church we are learning to adopt to the new normal which requires that we incorporate in our prayers a more deliberate awareness of the Holy Spirit's presence in our lives. It is through the posture of praying and praising that the heart of our soul is inspired by the Holy Spirit's presence, as we are renewed to shine as Christ's light in the world and witness to God's saving grace and His abundant blessings and love.

We extend a warm welcome to all our visitors who are worshipping with us today and to those who are viewing online.

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Pentecost VIII

Birthdays for this week: Rev. Veront Satchell 26/07, Demitri Smith-Wint, William Ashby and Lesly-Anne Owen 27/07, Lynford Collins, Marva Greig and Norman Davis 28/07, Maureen Allen and David Goldson 29/07, Sis. Alvarine Roberts (Sis. Gem) and Christine Dickson-Edwards 31/07, John Aarons and Yvonne Hinds-Martin 01/08.

Congratulations to Alwyn and Yvette Smith who will be celebrating their 47th wedding anniversary on the 28th of July.

Flowers at the foot of the altar are in loving memory of George Bullock, given by his family.

Condolence is extended to the family of Lloyd James, his funeral service will be held on Friday July 31st at 12:00 noon. To Sis. Andrea Taylor-Smith on the passing of her sister Hyacinth Harris in Canada, also to the family of Jean Morgan.

SICK AND SHUT - IN

Ernle Gordon (Prie	st) Juliet Gordon	Peter Cuthbert
Egbert Robertson (Prie	st) Horace Marsh	Dawn Seaton
Alton Tulloch (Pries	st) Merriel O'Brien`	Daja Samuels
Heron Wright	Ellonia Gordon	Verona Solomon

Kindly inform the Church Office when you become aware of members who are ill at home, in hospital, or absent from Church for a while.

We express thanks to our members who continue to give sacrificially to ensure that the ministry and mission of the church are sustained as we continue to witness and minister in these challenging times.

Please note electronic transfer to the Church's Account can be made through members banking facility. (St. Andrew Parish Church, NCB Half-Way-Tree A/C # 301045077).

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK July 26 - August 1 The Church is open Monday to Friday

between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. for prayer

Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist - Mary and Martha of Bethany
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist - Emancipation Day
Sunday	7:00 a.m.	SAPC Choir Rehearsal

Readings for August 2, 2020 : Genesis 32: 22 - 31, Psalm 17: 1 - 7, 16, Romans 9: 1 - 5, Matthew 14: 13 - 21.

MASS SETTING BASED ON HYMN TUNES

Lord have mercy (North Coates)

Lord, have mercy on us, hear our humble plea, Lord, have mercy on us, set our spirits free

Christ have mercy on us, hear us as we pray Christ have mercy on us, take our sin away

Lord have mercy on us, hear our humble plea Lord have mercy on us, set our spirits free

Glory to God on High (Darwall's 148th)

Glory to God on high and peace to all on earth. We worship you, we give you thanks, our heavenly King We give you praise, Almighty God and Father blessed in glory bright.

Our Saviour, Jesus Christ, the Father's only son The sacrificial lamb, who saves the world from sin, Have mercy Lord. Beside the Father's hand enthroned, now hear our prayer.

You only are the Lord. You only are most high. You only are the holy one, Lord Jesus Christ And now you reign With Father and with Spirit one in glorious light

Holy, most holy all holy Lord (Slane)

Holy, most holy all holy Lord In power and wisdom forever adored. The earth and the heavens are full of your pow'r, our joyful hosannas re-echo above

Blessed, most blessed, all blessed is he, whose life makes us whole, and whose death sets us free: Who comes in the name of the father of light let endless hosannas resounds in the height

The Lord's Prayer (Kum ba ya)

Father God in heaven, Lord most high: hear your children's prayer, Lord most high: hallowed be your name, Lord most high O Lord, hear our prayer.

2 May your kingdom come here on earth; may your will be done here on earth, as it is in heaven so on earth O Lord, hear our prayer.

Give us daily bread. Day by day And forgive our sins. Day by day. As we too forgive. day by day. O Lord hear our prayer

Lead us in your way. Make us strong When temptations come. Make us strong Save us from all sins. Keep us strong. O Lord hear our prayer

All things come from you. All are yours. Kingdom, Glory, Power. All are yours. Take our lives and gifts. All are yours. O Lord hear our prayer.

O Lamb of God (Repton)

O Lamb of God, come and cleanse our hearts and take our sin away. O Lamb of God, your grace impart and let our guilty fear depart, have mercy Lord we pray, have mercy Lord we pray

O Lamb of God, our lives restore, our guilty souls release, Into our lives your spirit pour and let us live forevermore In perfect heav'nly peace, In perfect heav'nly peace