## **ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

#### August 16, 2020 - Year A Proper 15

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

#### 6:30 a.m.

8:00 a.m.

#### HOLY EUCHARIST

**OT** Lesson Psalm 133 (BCP page 648) Epistle Gospel Intercession

**Hilary Phillips** Genesis 45 : 1 - 15 Refrain "How good and pleasant it is when God's people live in unity. Alleluia" Romans 11 : 1-2a, 29 - 32 Marcia Palmer Matthew 15: 21 - 28 Form B. Page 107

#### SOLEMN EUCHARIST AND SERMON

Processional Come and go with me to my Father's house. Genesis 45: 1 - 15 **OT** Lesson Alana Henry **Refrain** "How good and pleasant it is when God's Psalm 133 people live in unity. Alleluia" (BCP page 648) Romans 11 : 1-2a, 29 - 32 Josh Pratt Epistle Gradual (Sequence) She Came to Jesus (Song of the Canaanite Woman) Gospel Matthew 15: 21 - 28 Sis. Andrea Taylor-Smith Sermon The Nicene Creed BCP Page 104 Form H page 120 Intercession 346 Summoned by the God who made us Offertory Hymn During Communion 622 Taste and see, We are one in the spirit. Take the Name of Jesus with you (See insert) Recessional

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

#### https://www.facebook.com/sapcjamaica.

- 1 Click on the link above
- 2. On the page that says St. Andrew Parish Church, scroll down until you see Live video.
- 3. Click on Live and you are on. If you receive the link via WhatsApp follow the same as above. You can also connect via computer. You do not need a Facebook account to get on

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#### Chapel of Ease: St. Thomas - Majesty 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

Assistant Clergy Supplementary Clergy Church Army

Rector/Curate Revd. Canon Sirrano Kitson, D. Min. Revd. Fr. Craig Mears Revd. Deacon Claude Campbell Sister Andrea Taylor-Smith

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The Rector is out of Office on Mondays

"Honour the Lord by leading people to become disciples of Jesus". A banner with these words was placed across the sanctuary of a church. It was a vivid reminder to the members of the church of their mission as they lived in the world; to lead and guide people to become disciples for the kingdom of God. This mandate for us poses many challenges, including the perception that the Christian faith has become more associated with emotional therapy: "soothes our sorrows, heals our wounds, and drives away our fears." The presentation of the crucified Saviour, who died for us; with His blood He has saved us, to God be the glory for what He has done. This life transforming power of the gospel remains the primary proclamation of the baptised disciple of Jesus. It has a power capable of changing the lives of men and women, as they come face to face with the person and presence of Jesus Christ as Saviour, the source of the **New** and **Abundant Life**.

The crucified Jesus who was raised from the dead, makes a claim on people's lives despite their concerns about bread and butter issues and the effort to get through each day. The gospel challenges us to ask the question, to whom do we belong? An assessment of our lives and work without any reference to God can only produce self-centred oriented lives. A relationship shared with Jesus takes us out of self-centred focus to encounter the God who is the source of lasting life, love, joy and peace. In this relationship God's very self is our experience and inheritance. Jesus commissioned His disciples and sent them out with a message of hope and healing which demanded a change of heart through repentance. (Mark 6:12)

We are never too old or too young to carry out the mission of sharing the Good News that Jesus came to give us **New Life**; the **Abundant Life** of God. Do we believe and practice this Good News? We have the opportunity through worship to be renewed by the Holy Eucharist so that we can help people to experience the **New Life**. The **New Life** in which they are no longer shackled to the immediate satisfaction of their perceived needs, and with hearts addicted to material things. It is the Holy Spirit that transforms our hearts and grant us the gift of the **New and Abundant Life**. Let us share this good news that the fullness of God's love and life is available to all.

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



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PARISH NEWS

**Birthdays for this week:** Marcia Palmer 16/08, Justin James and Sandra James 17/08, Uroy Morrison 19/08, Lucien Jones 20/08 and Rev. Franklyn Jackson, Kingsley Goodison, Lona Simmonds-Anderson and Cheryll Watson 22/08.

**Congratulations to** Vincent and Beverley Lawrence who will be celebrating their  $52^{nd}$  wedding anniversary on the 17th., also to Rex and Joyce James celebrating another anniversary on the 19th.

**The funeral service for** Merriel O'Brien will be on Wednesday 19th at 11 a.m. and for Clifford Strudwick on Friday, August 21 at 12:00 p.m. To view the service via Zoom, kindly contact strudwickclifford@gmail.com.

# SICK AND SHUT - IN

Alton Tulloch	(Priest)	Juliet Gordon	Nancy Baugh
Egbert Robertson	(Priest)	Horace Marsh	Dawn Seaton
Ernle Gordon	(Priest)	Daja Samuels	Leonard Green
Heron Wright		Verona Solomon	Myrtle Gordon

# 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 August 16 - 22 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
Friday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Sunday	7:00 a.m.	SAPC Choir Rehearsal

# Readings for August 23, 2020 : Exodus 1: 8 - 2:10, Psalm 124, Romans 12: 1 - 8, Matthew 16: 13 - 20.

# **Flysheet Pentecost Xi**

Processional Hymn: Come and go with me to my Father's house.

1. Come and go with me to my Father's house To my father's house, To my father's house. Come and go with me to my father's house. Where there's joy, joy, joy!

2. Peace and love abides in my father's house.In my father's house, In my father's house.In my father's house, in my father's house.Peace and love abides in my father's house.There is joy, joy, joy!

**3.** Prayer and happiness in my father's house. In my father's, in my father's house. Prayer and happiness in my father's house. There is joy, joy, joy! .

**4.** We will praise and sing in my father's house. In my father's house, in my father's house. We will praise and sing in my father's house. There is joy, joy, joy!

**Gradual: She Came to Jesus (Song of the Canaanite Woman)** Slane - Text by: Carolyn Winfrey Gillette

1. She came to Jesus from outside the fold Canaanite woman! Persistent and bold! Looking to Jesus, she wanted to see One who would help her and set her child free.

**2.** Claiming a blessing, a touch of God's grace, She knew God's love was not bounded by place. Jesus, you listened, debated - then healed For in her asking, her faith was revealed.

3. God, you still bless those who seek you in prayer.You welcome dreamers who faithfully dare.In Christ, now risen, your mercy extends:Those on the outside are welcomed as friends.

## During Communion: We are one in the Spirit

1. We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord We are one in the Spirit, we are one in the Lord And we pray that our unity will one day be restored And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love Yeah they'll know we are Christians by our love

2. We will work with each other, we will work side by side We will work with each other, we will work side by side And we'll guard each one's dignity and save each one's pride And they'll know we are Christians by our love, by our love Yeah, they'll know we are Christians by our love

#### Recessional: Take the name of Jesus with you

1. Take the name of Jesus with you, Child of sorrow and of woe; It will joy and comfort give you, Take it then where'er you go.

# Refrain:

Precious name! Oh, how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heav'n; Precious name! Oh, how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heav'n.

**2.** Take the name of Jesus ever, As a shield from every snare. If temptations round you gather, Breathe that holy name in prayer.

**3** Oh, the precious name of Jesus, How it thrills our souls with joy; When His loving arms receive us And His songs our tongues employ!

**4.** At the name of Jesus bowing, Falling prostrate at His feet, King of kings in heav'n we'll crown Him When our journey is complete.