### HARVEST THANKSIVING TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

# October 25, 2020 - Year A Proper 25 A Call to Intentional Discipleship Keep the Faith & Bear the Fruit of the Spirit

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

OT Lesson Deuteronomy 8:7 - 18 Robert Gregory

**Refrain** "The seed that falls on good ground will, Psalm 65

yield a fruitful harvest."

2 Corinthians 9: 6 - 15 Rhena Williams **Epistle** 

Luke 17: 11 - 19 Gospel

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#### SOLEMN EUCHARIST AND SERMON 8:00 a.m.

Processional 708 Come ye thankful people come Canticle Give Glory to God Church See pg 3

O.T. Lesson Deuteronomy 8:7 - 18 Sandra Watson

BCP page 547 **Chanted** All stand Psalm 65

2 Corinthians 9: 6-15 Dorothy McKenzie Epistle

Gradual (Sequence) Praise God for the harvest See pg 4

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Offertory Anthem Thou Visitest the Earth Choir

Praise God from whom all blessings flow - pg. 6 Doxology

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

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- 3. Click on Live and you are on.

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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

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Pentecost XXI

### **Faith Formation**

### Did You know?

The Harvest service provides an opportunity for worshippers to thank God for all the things God has provided for them and others in the world. Since the middle of the 19<sup>th</sup> century, many Christian Churches celebrate Harvest festival at a time of the year which is appropriate for them. At this festival, the church is decorated with harvest produce, which traditionally would be distributed to the poor and needy after the service. (Michael Keene, *Introducing Christianity*, 1998).

### **Ouote for Reflection**

"A thankful heart is one of the primary identifying characteristics of a believer. It stands in stark contrast to pride, selfishness, and worry. And it helps fortify the believer's trust in the Lord and reliance of His provision, even in the toughest times. No matter how choppy the seas become, a believer's heart is buoyed by constant praise and gratefulness to the Lord." (John MacArthur, n.d.)

### **Question for Reflection**

- What has God provided for you recently, for which you are still yet to give God thanks?
- Identify one tenth of your time, abilities, and resources that you are using for the ministry of the church.

# **Intentional Discipleship Prayer of the Diocese**

Heavenly Father, we thank you that you have awakened Your Church to hear again, the call of our Saviour Jesus Christ to come to Him and learn from Him. Grant that as we say "Yes" to discipleship, your Holy Spirit will enable us so completely to commit all areas of our lives to His service, that in our personal, family and church lives, our work, recreational and social lives, we would act as Jesus would have acted if He were in our place; in His name and for His sake we pray. **Amen.** 

# **Up Coming Events**

- Christ the King Cathedral Sunday, November 22, 2020
- Patronal Festival December 6, 2020
- Annual Gift-Days Thanksgiving for God's gifts, December 13 –20.

**Birthdays for this week:** Mar gret McPher son, Cassandra Blythe, Gerald Dunlop, Cardia Rigg and Audley Davidson 25/10, Rev. Vivette Jennings, Rev. Paul Sharpe, Rev. Richard Tucker, Josh Pratt 26/10, Rev. Prince Taylor Younge 27/10, Rev. Paul Bogle, Dwane Anderson, Minion Wright, Melanie Tapper and Denise Kitson 28/10, Violet Mahfood 29/10, Rev. Mark Jones, Rhena Williams and Robert Thomson 30/10, Nigel Elliott, Hope Codlin and Dana Harris 31/10.

**Condolence is extended to** the family of Rev. Gladstone Fisher, Grace Phillips also to Pauline Fraser on the passing of her sister Miriam Cameron.

### SICK AND SHUT - IN

Ernle Gordon (Pries	t) Marguerite Newland	Christine McDonald
Alton Tulloch (Priest	t) Ivy Walters	Garland Morrison
Egbert Robertson (Pries	t) Lois Owen	Ilene Thomas
Heron Wright	Keith Robertson	Pauline Fraser

We welcome items that are non-perishable for our Tuesday Charity Ministry on November 3, 2020.

Harvest Supper has been postponed for this year due to the pandemic.

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.

A Service of Appreciation for the retired Suffragan Bishop of Kingston, Rt. Rev. Dr. Robert Thompson will be held of Sunday, November 15, 2020 at St. Luke's Church, Cross Roads at 11:30 a.m. The service will be virtual and you are invited to participate through a virtual link which will be supplied later.

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 Oct. 25 - 31**

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 - St. Simon & St. Jude

Friday 9:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Readings for November 1, 2020: Revelation 7: 9 - 17, Psalm 34: 1-10, 22, 1 John 3: 1 - 3, Matthew 5: 1 - 12.

**Leader:** We present before your altar, O God, the soil of the earth. In the beginning your Word commanded that she bring "forth vegetation: plants yielding seed, and fruit with the seed in it".

**Celebrant:** O God who made the heavens and the earth; we thank you for the gift of Mother Earth. From her, humanity was created and from her, we receive "plants yielding seed of every kind, and trees of every kind bearing fruit with the seed in it. From the earth came all living creatures of every kind: cattle and creeping things and wild animals of the earth of every kind".

### **Congregational Response:**

All we can do is nothing worth unless God blesses the deed; Vainly we hope for the harvest-tide till God gives life to the seed; Yet, nearer and nearer draws the time, the time that shall surely be. When the earth shall be filled with the glory of God as the waters cover the sea.

**ACT OF PENITENCE** Pg 123

THE ABSOLUTION

The Greeting of Peace

Offertory Anthem: Thou Visitest the Earth Maurice Green

The Doxology (All stand)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

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The Lord's prayer Buju Banton (See fly sheet)

Agnus Dei Buju Banton (See fly sheet)

**During Communion** 608, Come let's share, 546

The Recessional 714 In this our beauteous Island

# Order of Service

**Procession: 708** Come ye thankful people come

**Seasonal Sentence** .... Harvest Festival

President: Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit

Alleluia! Alleluia!

All: And blessed be God's Kingdom, Now and forever. Amen.

Alleluia! Alleluia!

President: To God our Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer.

All: Alleluia! Alleluia! Amen.

President: This is the day to celebrate and give thanks for Harvest

All: To remember that we do not create the earth from which we

reap.

President: To give thanks to God for calling us to till the soil,

sow seeds, and care for the environment.

All: To remember that others share the toil that brings forth

Harvest.

President: And to give thanks to God for the fruits of the trees, the

produce of the earth, the flowers of the field, the fishes of

the sea, minds to think and hearts to love.

All: Bless us, O Lord, as we come together to worship you

and offer thanks. Amen.

All: O Lord God, you created us in your own image and made us stewards of the good earth, we marvel at the trust you place in us. Be with us, O Lord; help us to reclaim the image in which you made us and to renew the earth on which you placed and purify us through your Holy Spirit, that we may worthily love you, and glorify your Holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

# **Canticle: Give Glory to God Church**

1. Give glory to God church Give glory to God (Repeat) Sing praise to His name Emmanuel Sing praise to His name. (Repeat) **2.** Give glory to God, all Give glory to God. *Repeat* Sing praises to Him hallelujah Sing praises to Him. *Repeat* 

**3.** Give glory to God, world Give glory to God *Repeat* Proclaim Him the King, hosanna Proclaim Him the King. *Repeat* 

**4.** Give glory and honour To Jesus our King *Repeat* We hail You our King, hallelujah We hail You our King. *Repeat* 

PRESIDENT: Let us pray...

COLLECT FOR HARVEST (BCP pg 191)

#### THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

**First Reading:** Deuter on omy 8:7 - 18 Sandra Watson

Psalm 65: 9 - 14 (All stand)

**Epistle:** 2 Corinthians 9: 6 - 15 Dorothy Britton-McKenzie

**Gradual:** Praise God for the harvest - St. Denio

- 1. Praise God for the harvest of orchard and field, praise God for the people who gather their yield, the long hours of labour, the skills of a team, the patience of science, the power of machine.
- **2.** Praise God for the harvest that comes from afar, from market and harbour, the sea and the shore: foods packed and transported, and gathered and grown by God-given neighbours, unseen and unknown.
- **3.** Praise God for the harvest of science and skill, the urge to discover, create and fulfil: for dreams and inventions that promise to gain a future more hopeful, a world more humane.
- **4.** Praise God for the harvest of mercy and love from leaders and peoples who struggle and serve for fairness and kindness, that all may be led in freedom and safety, and all may be fed.

The Gospel Acclamation is sung before and after the Gospel

**Holy Gospel:** Luke 17: 11 - 19

Sermon: The Very Rev. Fr. Franklyn Jackson

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#### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

**President:** We shall pray for Christ's Catholic Church and for the mission and ministry of St. Andrew Parish Church. Lord in your mercy

All Hear our prayer

**President:** The Gifts of Light, Water and Soil, representing the three principal elements of creation will be presented.

The Choir leads the Congregational Response:

### **Congregational Response:**

That the earth may be filled with the glory of God as the waters cover the sea.

First Presenter: The Gift of Light.

**Leader:** We present before your altar O God, this gift of light. In the beginning your Word commanded, "let there be light" and there was light.

Celebrant: O Sovereign Lord in whom there is no darkness and from whom is the Light of Life; we thank you for the gift of light. From her you made the Sun to rule the day and the moon and stars to rule the night. The lights of the heavens have become for us "signs and seasons for days and years".

# **Congregational Response:**

That the earth may be filled with the glory of God as the waters cover the sea.

**Second Presenter:** The Gift of Water.

**Leader:** We present before your altar, O God, water. In the beginning your Word commanded "let the waters teem with swarms of living creatures and let birds fly above the earth".

Celebrant: Heavenly Father, we thank you for water, the symbol of life. From it you created the 'great sea monsters and every living creature that moves, of every kind, with which the waters swarm, and every winged bird of every kind'.

## **Congregational Response:**

That the earth may be filled with the glory of God as the waters cover the sea.

Third Presenter: The Gift of Soil.

# Flysheet for Oct. 25, 2020 Harvest Thanksgiving Pentecost XX

Our Father Adopted: Mark Myrie (Buju Banton)

1. Our father, who art in Zion *Hallowed, be thy name* 

**5.** And lead us not O lord, into temptation *Hallowed, be thy name* 

2. Thy Kingdom come on earth, they will be done on earth *Hallowed, be thy name* 

**6.** Deliver us O Lord, from every evil *Hallowed, be thy name* 

**3.** Give us this day O Lord, Our daily Bread. *Hallowed, be thy name* 

7. For thine the kingdom, the pow'r and glory *Hallowed, be thy name* 

4. Forgive our sins we pray, as we forgive others

Hallowed, be thy name

8. Amen, amen, amen; amen it shall be so *Hallowed, be thy name* 

**Lamb of God** Mark Myrie (Buju Banton)

Have mercy on me
Oh lamb of God I come
Have mercy on me
Oh lamb of God
Have mercy on me
Oh lamb of God I come

Have mercy on me
Oh lamb of God
In the face of my life, make haste
Through your love and savin' grace
I am on bended knees
Father I plead, I come.

# Come let's share in the banquet of the Lord

Come let's share in the banquet of the Lord In the blessed sacrament. **Repeat**Eat the bread and drink the wine Flesh and blood of the Lord divine Share His life, it is yours and mine, For we are one in His design