

**TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
OCTOBER 24, 2021 - Year B Proper 25

**A Call to Intentional Discipleship,  
Living the life of Faith in challenging times**

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

Procession 384 Praise to the Lord the almighty  
First Lesson Job 42: 1 - 6, 10 - 17 The Hon. Ms Justice Hillary Phillips  
Psalm 34:1 - 8 BCP page 508 **Chanted**  
Epistle Hebrews 7: 23 - 28 The Hon. Mr Justice Patrick Brooks  
Acclamation Ale, Ale, Ale - luia  
Gospel Mark 10: 46 - 52  
Sermon The Rev. Christine M. Gooden-Benguche  
The Creed 561  
Intercession Form H page 120  
Offertory Courage brothers do not stumble  
During Communion He is here hallelujah, 456 My hope is built...  
Recessional 220 God of freedom, God of Justice

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

**<https://www.facebook.com/sapcjamaica>**

**The 8 a.m. service can also be viewed on Youtube.**

**Youth, let's fellowship** virtually! Come and participate on Saturdays from 4:00-5:30 pm. Meeting ID 86575522116 and passcode 038110.

**The Bazaar Committee** is having a Sale of household furniture, appliances, and other items on Friday and Saturday, October 29 & 30 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 pm at the Church Hall, Ellesmere Road.

**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.**

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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,  
Living the life of Faith in these challenging times**

**CLERGY**

Rector The Very Revd. Canon Sirrano Kitson, D. Min.

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Supplementary Clergy

Revd. Fr. Claude Campbell

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

**Faith Formation and Christian Education**

**Did you know?**

The mission of the Church is concerned both with the evangelizing of our land as well as the work of the Church abroad. In addition to supplying the needs of their own congregations, all members of the Church deem it their duty to help in the expansion of the Church in spreading the Gospel far and wide. (Canon VIII, article 4)

**Quote for Reflection**

“In Matthew 28:18-20 the Great Commission is perfectly clear about the task of missions. “And Jesus came and said to them, ‘All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.’” Jesus said to go to the nations, win them and baptize them, make disciples of them, and teach them everything he commanded us. No part of that is optional. There is not an easier Great Commission for the hard places, hard heart, or hard heads.”

Theology and Practice of Mission: God, the Church, and the Nations – Bruce Riley Ashford

**Question for Reflection**

In what ways are you contributing to the growth of the Kingdom of God through the gifts that God has blessed you with?

**Food For The Soul**

“Every Christian has a vocation. We are called to share in the ministry of Jesus Christ *in and through* the world. In the Sacrament of Baptism this call is incarnated, giving us both a clear identity in the world and a sense of purpose about what our lives are ultimately for. Sharing in the ministry of Jesus Christ involves living in the world as an expression of the holiness we see in him - a holiness expressed through his compassion, his concern for justice (righteousness), and through his healing and reconciling presence in the world. The relationship he offers to us - when entered into with seriousness results in those qualities we see in him being expressed through us, sometimes even despite ourselves. We cannot, therefore, limit this expression to a particular profession or a particular role or a particular job.”  
*Invitation to Holiness (James C. Fenhagen)*

**Readings for Oct. 31, 2021: Joel 2:21 - 27, Psalm 126, 1 Timothy 2:1 - 7, Matthew 6: 25 - 33.**

**Birthdays for this week:** Maydene Ritchie-Campbell, Evelyn Roach, Clive Tapper and Barbara Johnson 24/10, Cassandra Blythe, Cardia Rigg and Audley Davidson 25/10, Rev. Vivette Jennings, Rev. Paul Sharpe, Rev. Richard Tucker and Josh Pratt 26/10, Rev. Prince Taylor Younge and Margaret McPherson 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.

**The Thanksgiving service** for Richard John Hopkin will be held on Wednesday October 27.

**Harvest Celebration will be on Sunday, October 31st at 8:00 a.m.**

**Tuesday Charity** - We welcome items that are non-perishable for this Ministry for November 2nd. We thank those who have been contributing.

**The SAPC Sunday School** is scheduled to resume on the 2nd Sunday in November, **via Zoom**. In order to give instructions, parents and guardians are asked to immediately send their email addresses, contact numbers, the name and date of birth of their child/children/ward to, Mrs. Jacqueline Mighty, at [sapcsundayschool2021@gmail.com](mailto:sapcsundayschool2021@gmail.com).

**The following are programmes hosted by the Diocese:**

- Diocesan Sunday School 10:00 a.m. (www.youtube.com)
- Think on These Things. Radio Jamaica Broadcast at 4:45 p.m.

**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.**

**Kindly note that electronic transfers 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. 24 - 30**

The Church is open **Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.**

Oct. 26th	Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist - St. James
Oct. 27th	Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
Oct. 29th	Friday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist -Sts. Simon & Jude

**SICK AND SHUT - IN**

Alton Tulloch	(Priest)	Lola Neckles	Laurence ‘Billy’ Perkins
Peter Mullings	(Priest)	Stanley Thompson	Ilene Henry
Egbert Robertson	(Priest)	Heron Wright	Linda Mahon
Ralph ‘Jim’ Parkes	(Priest)	Gwen Waugh	Richard Neckles

**Recessional: 220** God of freedom, God of Justice

1. God of freedom, God of justice,  
you whose love is strong as death,  
you who saw the dark of prison,  
you who knew the price of faith  
touch our world of sad oppression  
with your Spirit's healing breath.

2. Rid the earth of torture's terror,  
you whose hands were nailed to wood;  
hear the cries of pain and protest,  
God who shed the tears and blood  
move in us the power of pity,  
restless for the common good.

3. Make in us a captive conscience  
quick to hear, to act, to plead;  
make us truly sisters, brothers,  
of whatever race or creed  
teach us to be fully human,  
open to each other's needs.

DEACON: The Lord be with you

**ALL: And also with you**

DEACON: Go in peace and serve the Lord.

**ALL: In the name of Christ. Amen.**

Organ Postlude

**Processional: 384** Praise to the Lord the almighty

1. Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!  
O my soul, praise Him, for He is thy health and salvation!  
All ye who hear, now to His temple draw near;  
joining Him in glad adoration.

2. Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,  
Shelters thee gently from harm or when fainting sustaineth!  
Hast thou not seen how thy heart's wishes have been  
Granted in what He ordaineth?

3. Praise to the Lord, who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;  
Surely His goodness and mercy shall daily attend thee;  
Ponder anew what the Almighty can do,  
If to the end he befriend thee.

4. Praise to the Lord, oh, let all that is in me adore Him!  
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before Him;  
Let the Amen sound from His people again,  
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

## THE LITURGY

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

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

**ALL: Blessed Lord and Father, we have assembled in your Name  
and in fellowship with one another. Enable us by your grace to  
offer the sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; to proclaim and  
respond to your holy word. Teach us to pray for your world and  
your Church. Grant that we, confessing our sins, may worthily  
offer to you our souls and bodies as a living sacrifice and eat and  
drink of your spiritual food in this Holy Sacrament. Amen.**

## 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.

**Kyrie** (*Tune: I Heard the Voice of The Rastaman*)

1. Lord have mercy, have mercy pon wi soul Lord have mercy pon fi wi soul, fi wi soul Lord have mercy pon fi wi soul	2. Christ have mercy, have mercy pon wi soul Christ have mercy pon fi wi soul, fi wi soul Christ have mercy pon fi wi soul
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3. Lord have mercy,  
have mercy pon wi soul  
Lord have mercy pon  
fi wi soul, fi wi soul  
Lord have mercy pon fi wi soul

**Gloria in Excelsis** (*Tune: Don't You Trouble Zion*)

*Refrain:*

*Glory to Massa Gad Oh!*  
*Glory to Massa Gad Oh!*  
*And peace to God's people,*  
*God's people pon di earth*  
*Glory to God on high!*

1. Lord God heav'nly king  
Mighty God and Father  
We worship you  
Praise and thanks to you. **R**

2. Lord Jesus Christ  
Son and Lamb of God  
All sin you remove,  
Have mercy and hear wi cry. **R**

3. You are the Holy One  
You are Lord, most High  
With the Holy Spirit,  
Glory be to you. **R**

**The Collect**

Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

4. When the last trumpet's voice shall sound,  
O may I then in him be found!  
Clothed in his righteousness alone,  
faultless to stand before his throne! **R**

**POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

**ALL**

**Almighty Father, we thank you for feeding us  
with the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ.  
May we who share His Body, live His risen life;  
we who drink His cup, bring life to others;  
we upon whom your Spirit shines, give light to the world.  
Help us to continue in faithful witness to your Word,  
so we and all your children shall be free,  
and the whole earth live to praise your Name,  
through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**THE BLESSING**

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. **The Honorable Mr Justice Bryan Sykes, OJ, CD, Chief Justice**
2. **The Honourable Mr Delroy Chuck, QC, MP, Minister of Justice**
3. **Mr Alexander Williams, President, Jamaica Bar Association**

**The National Anthem**

Eternal Father, Bless our Land,  
Guard us with thy mighty hand,  
Keep us free from evil powers,  
Beour light through countless hours,  
To our leaders, great defender,  
Grant true wisdom from above,  
Justice, truth be ours forever,  
Jamaica, land we love,  
Jamaica, Jamaica,  
Jamaica, land we love.

Teach us true respect for all,  
Stir response to duty's call,  
Strengthen us the weak to cherish,  
Give us vision lest we perish,  
Knowledge send us Heavenly Father,  
Grant true wisdom from above,  
Justice, truth be ours forever,  
Jamaica, land we love,  
Jamaica, Jamaica,

**Agnus Dei (Tune: Roll Jordan Roll)**

Oh Lamb of God, oh Lamb of God  
You take away the sin of the world  
Have mercy pon wi soul. (*Repeat*)

Oh Lamb of God, oh Lamb of God  
You take away the sin of the world  
Grant us peace

**THE COMMUNION**

**THE INVITATION**

**COMMUNION HYMNS:**

He is here, Hallelujah!  
He is here, Amen!  
He is here, Holy, Holy  
I will bless His name again  
He is here, listen closely  
Hear Him calling out your name  
He is here, you can touch Him  
You will never be the same

**Hymn 456**

My hope is built on nothing less  
than Jesus' blood and righteousness.  
no merit of my own I claim,  
but wholly lean on Jesus' name.

**Refrain**

***On Christ the solid rock I stand,  
all other ground is sinking sand;  
all other ground is sinking sand.***

2. When weary in this earthly race,  
I rest on his unchanging grace.  
in every wild and stormy gale,  
my anchor holds and will not fail. **R**

3. His vow, his covenant, and blood  
are my defence against the flood.  
when earthly hopes are swept away  
he will uphold me on that day. **R**

**First Lesson** Job 42: 1 - 6, 10 - 17

The Honourable Ms Justice Hillary Phillips, Judge of Appeal (ret'd)

**Psalm 31: 1-8 Chanted**

1. I will bless the Lord at all times;\* his praise shall ever be in my mouth.
2. I will glory in the Lord;\* let the humble hear and rejoice.
3. Proclaim with me the greatness of the Lord;\* let us exalt his name together.
4. I sought the Lord, and he answered me\* and delivered me out of all my terror.
5. Look upon him and be radiant,\* and let not your faces be ashamed.
6. I called in my affliction and the Lord heard me \* and saved me from all my troubles.
7. The angel of the Lord encompasses those who fear him,\* and he will deliver them.
8. Taste and see that the Lord is good;\* happy are they who trust in him!

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now and shall be forever. Amen.

**Epistle** Hebrews 7: 23 - 28 The Honourable Mr Justice Patrick Brooks,  
President of the Court of Appeal

**Gospel Acclamation**

Ale-ale-ale Alleluia  
Ale-ale-ale Alleluia  
Ale-ale-ale Alleluia, Alleluia

PRESEDENT: The Lord be with you.

**ALL: And also with you.**

A Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark 10: 46 - 52

**ALL: Glory to Christ our Saviour.**

READER: The Gospel of Christ

**ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord.**

**THE SERMON:** Bishop, The Rev. Christine M. Gooden-Benguiche,  
President of the Methodist Church in the Caribbean and the Americas,  
Jamaica District.

**The Creed** Hymn 561

1. We believe in God the Father,  
God almighty, by whose plan  
Earth and heaven sprang to being,  
All created things began.  
We believe in Christ the Saviour,  
Son of God in human frame,  
virgin-born, the child of Mary  
upon whom the Spirit came.

2. Christ, who on the cross forsaken,  
like a lamb to slaughter led,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
he descended to the dead.  
We believe in Jesus risen,  
heaven's king to rule and reign,  
to the Father's side ascended  
till as judge he comes again.

3. We believe in God the Spirit,  
in one church, below, above:  
saints of God in one communion,  
one in holiness and love.  
So by faith, our sins forgiven,  
Christ our Saviour, Lord and friend,  
we shall rise with him in glory  
to the life that knows no end.

**Prayer of Intercession - Form H**

**LEADER:** Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

We pray for all God's ministers of Word and Sacrament, for our Bishops, Howard (Archbishop), Leon (Suffragan Bishop), Harold and Robert (ret'd Bishops), Serrano, Craig, Claude, Bertram, Andrea and all other clergy and church workers. Grant Almighty God that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

*Silence*

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

**LEADER:** Guide the people of this land through those you have appointed to govern us. We pray for Patrick (Governor General), Andrew (the Prime Minister), Mark (the leader of the Parliamentary Opposition), all members of the House of Representatives and all members of the Judiciary. We pray that we will allow you to guide us in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honour one another and serve the common good.

**All: Blessing and honour and glory and power  
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

PRESIDENT:

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

**The Lord's Prayer** (*Traditional Jamaican Revival*)

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

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

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

Forgive our sins we pray, as we forgive others  
**Hallowed, be thy name**

And lead us not o lord, into temptation  
**Hallowed, be thy name**

Deliver us o Lord, from every evil  
**Hallowed, be thy name**

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

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

**THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

PRESIDENT : We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**ALL: Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share  
in one bread.**

## THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

PRESIDENT: The Lord be with you.

**ALL:** **And also with you.**

PRESIDENT: Lift up your hearts.

**ALL:** **We lift them up to the Lord.**

PRESIDENT: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**ALL:** **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

PRESIDENT:

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Father almighty, everlasting God:

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

### Sanctus (Move satan move)

Holy, holy, holy, holy Lord  
Lord God of pow'r,  
pow'r and might  
Heav'n and earth are full, oh  
Of your glory  
Holy, holy, holy, holy Lord.

Blessed is He who comes  
In the precious name of the Lord  
Hosanna upon high,  
Hosanna upon high  
Blessed is He who comes.

PRESIDENT:

Holy and gracious Father....

**All:** **Christ has died. Alleluia Christ is risen. Alleluia  
Christ will come again Alleluia Amen, Amen, Amen.**

PRESEDENT:

Father, calling to mind .... In songs of everlasting Praise

*Silence*

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

**LEADER:** Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation. That we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honour and glory.

*Silence*

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

**LEADER:** Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as He loves us.

*Silence*

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

**LEADER:** Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit. We pray especially for the sick and shut in, Alton Tulloch (Priest), Peter Mullings (Priest), Egbert Robertson (Priest), Ralph 'Jim' Parkes (Priest), Laurence "Billy" Perkins, Ilene Henry, Linda Mahon, Richards Neckles, Gwen Waugh, Lola Neckles, Stanley Thompson, Heron Wright. Give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation.

*Silence*

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

**LEADER:** We commend to your mercy all who have died, that Your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom. We remember .....

*Silence*

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

**LEADER:** Heavenly Father, our times are in your hand: Look with favour, we pray, on your servants, as they celebrate their birthday this week, Maydene Ritchie-Campbell, Evelyn Roach, Barbara Johnson, Cassandra Blythe, Cardia Rigg, Audley Davidson and

Rev. Vivette Jennings, Rev. Paul Sharpe, Rev. Richard Tucker, Josh Pratt.  
Grant that *they* may grow in wisdom and grace, and strengthen their trust  
in your goodness all the days of their life.

**LEADER:** Lord in your mercy

**ALL:** **Hear our prayer.**

## ACT OF PENITENCE

PRESIDENT

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.  
If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins,  
and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

PRESIDENT

Let us therefore confess our sins.

**ALL: Most Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you  
in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we  
have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we  
have not loved our neighbours as ourselves; we have not loved our-  
selves as we ought. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the  
sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us, that  
we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of  
your Name. Amen.**

## THE ABSOLUTION

PRESIDENT

Almighty God, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all  
your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in  
life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**ALL: Amen.**

## THE GREETING OF PEACE

PRESIDENT

We are the body of Christ. By the one Spirit we were all baptized into one  
Body, and have all been made to drink of the one Spirit.

**ALL: Let us then pursue the things that make for peace and build up  
the common life.**

PRESIDENT; The peace of the Lord be always with you.

**ALL: And also with you.**

**Musical Selection:** The Prayer

Mr Joshua Page & Ms Jana-Lee Henry, Law Students UWI, Mona

**Offertory Hymn:** Courage brother do not stumble

1. Courage, brother! do not stumble,  
though your path be dark as night;  
there's a star to guide the humble:  
trust in God, and do the right.

2. Though the road be long and dreary,  
and its ending out of sight;  
foot it bravely; strong or weary,  
trust in God, and do the right,

3. Perish policy and cunning,  
perish all that fears the light!  
Whether losing, whether winning,  
trust in God, and do the right.

4. Some will hate thee, some will love thee,  
some will flatter, some will slight;  
cease them man, and look above thee?  
trust in God, and do the right.

5. Simple rule and safest guiding,  
inward peace, and inward might,  
star upon our path abiding,  
trust in God, and do the right.

## THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERINGS

PRESIDENT AND PEOPLE:

**Father, we offer you these gifts which you have given us; this bread,  
this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and  
our work, to become through your Holy Spirit a reasonable, holy,  
and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and  
Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of  
your love; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.**