

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 18, 2023 - Year A

Living in the Spirit in a culture of diversity

MISSIONARY MONTH

6:30 a.m.

HOLY EUCHARIST

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| O. T. Lesson | Genesis 18:1 - 15 | Robert Gregory |
| Psalms 116:1, 10 - 17 | Refrain: (all sit) “I love the Lord, because he has inclined His ear to me and heard my supplication.” | |
| BCP page 623 | | |
| Epistle | Romans 5:1 - 8 | Jennifer Goodison |
| Gospel | Matthew 9: 35 - 10:8 | |
| Prayer of Intercession | BCP Form D page 111 | |

8:00 a.m.

SOLEMN EUCHARIST AND SERMON

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| Processional | 246 All hail the power of Jesus’ name |
| O.T Lesson | Genesis 18:1 - 15 Ethan James |
| Psalms 116:1, 10 - 17 | Refrain: (all sit) “I love the Lord, because he has inclined His ear to me and heard my supplication.” |
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| Epistle | Romans 5:1 - 8 Janelle Jackson |
| Gradual | 519 The servant King |
| Gospel | Matthew 9: 35 - 10:8 |
| Sermon | Sister Andrea Taylor-Smith |
| Sunday School Creed | |
| Intercession | Form D page 111 |
| Offertory | Father Abraham - see insert |
| During Communion | I love you Lord, Thuma Mina see insert |
| After Com. | You are Holy |
| Recessional | 412 Faith of our Fathers |

For the Mission of The Church

O God, you have made of one blood all the peoples of the earth, and sent your blessed Son to preach peace to those who are far off and to those who are near: Grant that people everywhere may seek after you and find you; bring the nations into your fold; pour out your Spirit upon all flesh, and hasten the coming of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

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

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

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

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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 in the Spirit in a culture of diversity***

CLERGY

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| Rector/Curate | The Very Revd. Canon Sirrano Kitson, D. Min. |
| Assistant Curate | Revd. Fr. Bertram Gayle |
| Supplementary Clergy | Revd. Fr. Claude Campbell |
| Church Army | Sister Andrea Taylor-Smith |

Wardens

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| Rector’s Warden |
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| People’s Warden |
| Miss Lisa Campbell |
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| (PeoplesWardenSTAPC@yahoo.com) |

Administration

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| Office Administrator & Ops. Officer |
| Mrs. Merle Thomas |
| Administrative Assistant |
| Mrs. Hortense James |
| Verger - Miss Ann Morrison |

The Rector is out of Office on Mondays

Faith Formation and Christian Education

Did you know ?

Each year, the Church celebrates the nativity (i.e. birth) of three people: Jesus, the Virgin Mary (Jesus’ mother), and John the Baptist. The feast for John’s nativity is Saturday of this week. The unique celebrations of these individuals’ births stem from their significant roles in fulfilling God’s mission in and through Jesus Christ.

Quote for reflection

“Mission begins with a kind of explosion of joy. The news that the rejected and crucified Jesus is alive is something that cannot possibly be suppressed. It must be told. Who could be silent about such a fact? The mission of the Church in the pages of the New Testament is like the fallout from a vast explosion, a radioactive fallout which is not lethal but life-giving.”

— *Lesslie Newbigin*

Question for reflection

- To what extent have I grasped the profound significance of my birth and the role I am meant to play in God's mission?

Monday Bible Study is at 5:30 p.m, Meeting ID 854 9239 9132
 Passcode 367264. **Birthday Groups and All Fellowship Groups** are invited to join the Bible Study group. Theme “Baptism as the gateway to Holy Communion.

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Readings for June 25, 2023: Genesis 21:8 - 21, Psalm 86:1 - 10, 16 - 17, Romans 6:1b - 11, Matthew 10:24 - 39.

PARISH NEWS

We welcome all visitors to our worship and fellowship

Birthdays for this week: Archdeacon Winston Thomas 18/6, Vivienne Thompson 19/06, Edward Zacca Jr. 20/06, Barbara Dicks, Rhonda Adams-Goodison and Natalie Fennell-Lee 21/06, Yvonne Wallace-Lawrence, Roberta Hemans and June Spence 22/06, Doreen Campbell and Simone Foote 23/06, Evelyn Schloss and Cynthia O’Sullivan 24/06.

Wedding Anniversary– Congratulations to Tony and Joy Patel on the 16th, to Albert and Jackie Mighty on the 18th and Hector and Marjorie Hamilton on the 22nd.

Condolence is extended to the family of Cyril Bridge and to Annette Wilson on the passing of her father, George Wilson.

Flowers at the foot of the Altar are in loving memory of Pearl Hylton-Griffiths (Mother) and Minnette A. McLean (Grandmother) from Dudley McLean II.

Music Camp 2023 will be held July 10 - 21, Monday through Friday at Christ Church, Vineyard Town. Cost is \$14,000.

Confirmation Class continues on Wednesdays. Juniors at 6:30-7:30 ID:81077690144 Passcode ConfirmJu and the Seniors 6:30-7:30 ID 72347897500 Passcode ConfirmAd.

Confirmation: The Rite of Confirmation will be administered here on July 9th at 10:30 a.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.

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK June 18 - 24
The church is open from 9:00 5:00 during the week for prayers

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| June 20 | Tuesday | 9:00 a.m. | Holy Eucharist |
| June 21 | Wednesday | 6:30 a.m. | Holy Eucharist |
| June 23 | Friday | 9:00 a.m. | Holy Eucharist |

SICK AND SHUT - IN

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| Alton Tulloch | (Priest) | Linda Mahon | Beryl Gillies |
| Percival Lynch | (Priest) | Heron Wright | Veta Coke |
| Nancy Baugh | | Myrtle Young | Carroll Haughton |
| Jean King | | Carol Lawla | Donald Smalling |

Liturgy for Sundays after Pentecost

President: The hour is coming, and now is, when the true worshippers will worship the Father in Spirit and in truth, for such the Father seeks to worship Him. (John 4:23)

President: + Praise the Father, Son and Holy Spirit

All: Worthy of Praise forever and ever

President: Alleluia. Worship the Lord in the beauty of Holiness

All: Come let us adore the Lord. Alleluia

President: Alleluia The Lord has shown forth His glory

All: Come let us glorify the Lord. Alleluia

President: Alleluia. Our God shall reign forever.

All: Let us praise and exalt the Lord forever. Amen. Alleluia

The Collect For Purity

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.*

Creed

I believe in Jesus

I believe He is the Son of God

I believe He died and rose again

I believe He paid for us all

And I believe He is here now

Standing in our midst

Here With the power to heal now

And the grace to forgive

I believe in You, Lord

I believe You are the Son of God

I believe You died and rose again

I believe You paid for us all.

And I believe You're here now

Standing in our midst

Here With the power to heal now

And the grace to forgive.

The Collect for the Day

The Ministry of the Word

Baptism

The Book of Common Prayer defines baptism as "the Sacrament by which God unites us with Christ, adopts us as His children and makes us members of Christ's Body, the church, and inheritors of the kingdom of God" (pg 404).

The ancient form of initiation involved one rite with three elements: the water bath, the hand laying, and the anointing (Chrismation). The first communion then followed. Infants and children were included in all of these.

The Eastern Orthodox Churches have retained this single rite of initiation, with no separate service of Confirmation. In the Western Church, the Rite of Baptism initially followed the pattern outlined above.

According to the Didache (one of the oldest Christian documents), the form of Baptism is to be that which utilizes the Trinitarian formula; thus, water was to be poured "thrice upon the candidate's head in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit."

James White identifies within the baptismal liturgy what he calls "five New Testament metaphors of initiation." These metaphors are 1) Union with Jesus Christ, 2) Incorporation into the church, 3) New birth, 4) The forgiveness of sin, and 5) Reception of the Holy Spirit. Bible passages that speak to these include Rom 6:3-5, Gal 3:27-28, Jn 3:5, 1 Cor 6:11, and Acts 2:38.

Baptism initiates the reality of the new life given amid the present world. It provides participation in the community of the Holy Spirit. It is a sign of the Kingdom of God and of the life of the world to come. Through the gifts of faith, hope, and love, Baptism has a dynamic that embraces the whole of life, extends to all nations, and anticipates the day when every tongue will confess that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father.

Hymns for Third Sunday after Pentecost (18 June 2023)

Offertory: Father Abraham / Rejoice in the Lord Always

1. Father Abraham had many sons
Many sons had Father Abraham
I am one of them and so are you
So let's just praise the Lord
Right arm

2. Father Abraham had many sons
Many sons had Father Abraham
I am one of them and so are you
So let's just praise the Lord
Right arm, left arm

3. Right arm, left arm, right foot

4. Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot

5. Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, Chin up

6. Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, Chin up, turn around

7. Right arm, left arm, right foot, left foot, Chin up, turn around, sit down

Rejoice in the Lord always

Rejoice in the Lord always: again I say, Rejoice!
Rejoice in the Lord always: again I say, Rejoice!
Rejoice, rejoice, and again I say, Rejoice!
Rejoice, rejoice, and again I say, Rejoice!
Rejoice in the Lord always: again I say, Rejoice!
Rejoice in the Lord always: again I say, Rejoice!

**D.C
I Love You Lord**

I love You, Lord
And I lift my voice
To worship You
Oh, my soul, rejoice

Take joy, my King
In what You hear
May it be a sweet, sweet sound
In Your ear

Thuma Mina

Thuma mina.
Thuma mina,
thuma mina,
thuma mina,
Somandla.

Send me, Lord.

1. Send me, Lord.
Send me, Jesus,
send me, Jesus,
send me, Jesus,
send me, Lord.

2. Lead me, Lord.

3. Fill me, Lord.

PLEASE DON'T TAKE AWAY!

Hymn: For everyone born

1. For everyone born, a place at the table,
for everyone born, clean water and bread,
a shelter, a space, a safe place for growing,
for everyone born, a star overhead,

Refrain:

*And God will delight when we are creators
of justice and joy, compassion and peace:
yes, God will delight when we are creators
of justice, justice and joy!*

2. For woman and man, a place at the table,
revising the roles, deciding the share,
with wisdom and grace, dividing the power,
for woman and man, a system that's fair. **R.**

3. For young and for old, a place at the table,
a voice to be heard, a part in the song,
the hands of a child in hands that are wrinkled,
for young and for old, the right to belong, **R.**

4. For just and unjust, a place at the table,
abuser, abused, with need to forgive,
in anger, in hurt, a mindset of mercy,
for just and unjust, a new way to live. **R.**

5. For everyone born, a place at the table,