

FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT

April 6, 2025 Lectionary Year C

We are Baptised to Proclaim the Goodness & Grace of God

6:30 a.m.

HOLY EUCHARIST

O. T. Lesson	Isaiah 43:16 - 21	Gail Lue Lim
Psalm 126	Refrain: (all sit) "The Lord has done great things	
BCP page 643	for us, therefore we rejoice."	
Epistle	Philippians 3:4b - 14	Marcia Palmer
Gospel	John 12:1 - 8	
Prayer of Intercession	BCP Form H	page 120

8:00 a.m.

SOLEMN EUCHARIST AND SERMON (Corporate for the Church Committee)

Processional	143 Praise to the Holiest in the height	
O. T. Lesson	Isaiah 43:16 - 21	Alfred McPherson
Psalm 126	BCP page 643	Chanted (all stand)
Epistle	Philippians 3:4b - 14	Suzanne Harris-Henry
Acclamation	Bless thy word unto our hearts ...	
Gospel	John 12:1 - 8	
Sermon	Sasha Wright	
The Creed	BCP page 104	
Intercession	BCP Form H	page 120
Offertory Hymn	496 And can it be that I should gain	
During Communion	589, 600, 418	
Meditation Prayer	BCP page 76-77	
Recessional	134 Lift high the cross	

5:00 p.m.

Evening Service & Praise

For Lent: Reconciliation and Renewal

Almighty and merciful God, in your goodness, look with compassion on us as we seek to be transformed and changed by turning away from sin with contrite and penitent hearts, to live in holiness and according to your will and bear the fruit of the Spirit, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour and Redeemer. 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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St. Thomas - Majesty Gardens 10:30 a.m. and St. Clement's - Kencot 10:30 a.m.



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Faith Formation and Christian Education

Did you know ?

We are saved from the power of sin (self-centeredness) by the action of God in Jesus Christ who has set us free from the power of evil, and sin. “All of this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given to us the ministry of reconciliation, that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation.” But God shows his love for us in that while we are yet sinners Christ died for us. (1 Cor. 5:17 – 19; also Romans 5:8.

Quote for Reflection

“The centerpiece of this growth in faith is the ever-constant cycle of death and resurrection. While a confrontation with physical death may be part of our story, there is the ongoing challenge of our deep desires and their limitless reach toward truth, beauty, and love combined with our very partial success in satisfying such desires. God comes to us, over and over again, with an experienced fulfillment of these desires even and especially when we ourselves can’t reach up to them. Our sins, our wounds, our social realities, and our mere creatureliness curtail our flourishing. Yet God provides such flourishing in ever surprising ways and through various and serendipitous means. Gradually we move from contract thinking – God will give us what we want if we do things right - to covenant love – an adventure of trust in relationship to the divine.” *Transformed Lives by Cynthia Crysdale*

Questions for reflection

- Which spiritual discipline is helping me to live a transformed life?
- What fruit of the Spirit enables me to bear witness to the love of God in Christ Jesus?

Passion/Palm Sunday the liturgical colour is red.

A Book Written by Alvaro Casserly named “**Jamaica 50 yrs of Progress**” is now on sale at a cost of \$5,000.

Readings for April 13, 2025: Isaiah 50: 4 - 9; Psalm 31:9 - 16 ; Philippians 2:5 - 11; Luke 22:14 - 23 or Luke 23:1 - 49.

PARISH NEWS

We welcome all visitors to our worship and fellowship

Birthdays for this week : Lilith Jean Ottey and Patrick Casserly 06/04; Fr. David “Tony” Reid 07/04, Nona Lindo and Nicole Urquart-Edwards 08/04, Joyce Coke, and Jordan Seaton 09/04, Stacey James 10/04, Rev. Ralph “Jim” Parkes 11/04, and Clive Tapper 12/04.

Condolence is extended to the family of Rev. Claudette Johnson.

Wedding Anniversary to Clive and Melanie Tapper on their 56th on the 12th of April.

The Women’s Auxiliary will be having their annual ‘**Fish Fry**’ on Friday, April 25, from 11am - 2:30pm.

The synod of the church will be from 22 - 25 April. The theme will be “New wine skin, conveying Hope and Channel of Healing”. Pray for the Synod of the church, BCP page 79 no. 15.

Stations of the Cross will be held during Holy Week. The service starts at 5:30pm.

Bun forms are available at the back of the church.

We welcome items that are non-perishable and toiletries for our next Dorcas Basket. Bun and cheese are required for the 6th of May.

Lenten Bible Study for St. Andrew Parish Church will be on Tuesdays at 5:30 p.m. Meeting ID: 831 4674 5733 Passcode: 450711

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK April 6 - April 12

April 8	Tuesday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
April 9	Wednesday	6:30 a.m.	Holy Eucharist
April 11	Friday	9:00 a.m.	Holy Eucharist

WE PRAY ESPECIALLY FOR...

Percival Lynch	(Priest)	William Reeson	Pearl Stern
Calvin Murray		Pearlita Thomson	Christine McDonald
Margaret Newman		Hyacinth Elliott	Elaine Baker
Delano Fields		Flavia Dickson	Hope Codlin