



# HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL

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## PARISH BULLETIN

*Come and worship with us!*

**CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST**

**SATURDAYS: 5:00 PM | SUNDAY MORNING: 6:00AM & 8:00AM**

**FAMILY SERVICE**

**FOURTH SUNDAY OF THE MONTH: 11:00AM**



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OF TRINIDAD  
AND TOBAGO



— HOLY TRINITY —  
**CATHEDRAL**  
— TRINBAGO —

**203<sup>RD</sup>**

*Anniversary*

OF THE DEDICATION OF  
THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH OF  
**THE HOLY TRINITY**

— PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD —



FAITH ♦ WORSHIP ♦ HERITAGE ♦ COMMUNITY

HONOURING OUR PAST ♦ CELEBRATING OUR PRESENT ♦ INSPIRING OUR FUTURE

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## THE PREPARATION

### **INTROIT HYMN: CPWI # 372 *Now thank you all our God***

Now thank we all our God,  
with heart and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things hath done,  
in whom his world rejoices;  
who from our mother's arms  
hath blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love,  
and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God  
through all our life be near us,  
with ever joyful hearts  
and blessed peace to cheer us;

and keep us in his grace,  
and guide us when perplexed,  
and free us from all ills  
in this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God  
the Father now be given,  
the Son, and him who reigns  
with them in highest heaven,  
the one eternal God,  
whom earth and heaven adore,  
for thus it was, is now,  
and shall be evermore.

**OPENING SENTENCES:** Behold, the dwelling of God is with men. He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people, and God Himself will be with them. *Revelation 21: 3*

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

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

**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.

### **LITANY OF PENITENCE:**

**Most holy and merciful Father:** We confess to you and to one another, and to the whole communion of saints in heaven and on earth, that we have sinned by our own fault in thought, word, and deed; by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

Leader We have not loved you with our whole heart, and mind, and strength. We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves. We have not loved ourselves as we ought. We have not forgiven others, as we desire to be forgiven. We have not forgiven ourselves as we have been forgiven. **Have mercy on us, Lord.**

We have been deaf to your call to serve, as Christ served us. We have not been true to the mind of Christ. We have grieved your Holy Spirit, **Have mercy on us, Lord.**

We confess to you, Lord, all our past unfaithfulness: the pride, hypocrisy, and impatience of our lives, **We confess to you, Lord.**

Our self-indulgent appetites and ways, and our exploitation of other people, **We confess to you, Lord.**

Our anger at our own frustration, and our envy of those more fortunate than ourselves, **We confess to you, Lord.**

Our intemperate love of worldly goods and comforts, and our dishonesty in daily life and work, **We confess to you, Lord.**

Our negligence in prayer and worship, and our failure to commend the faith that is in us, **We confess to you, Lord.**

Accept our repentance, Lord, for the wrongs we have done: for our blindness to human need and suffering, and our indifference to injustice and cruelty, **Accept our repentance, Lord.**

For all false judgements, for uncharitable thoughts toward our neighbours, and for our prejudice and contempt towards those who differ from us, **Accept our repentance, Lord.**

For our waste and pollution of your creation, and our lack of concern for those who come after us, **Accept our repentance, Lord.**

Restore us, good Lord, and let your anger depart from us; **Favourably hear us, for your mercy is great.**

Accomplish in us the work of your salvation, **That we may show forth your glory in the world.**

By the cross and passion of your Son our Lord, **Bring us with all your saints to the joy of His resurrection.**

*The priest, stands, and facing the people, says:*

Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who desires not the death of sinners, but rather that they may turn from their wickedness and live, has given power and commandment to His ministers to declare and pronounce to His people, being penitent, the absolution and remission of their sins. He pardons and absolves all those who truly repent, and with sincere hearts believe His holy Gospel.

Therefore we beseech Him to grant us true repentance and His Holy Spirit, that those things may please Him which we do on this day, and that the rest of our life hereafter may be pure and holy, so that at the last we may come to His eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

**THE GLORIA:**

**Glory to God in the highest, and peace to His people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One; you alone are the Lord: you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

**THE COLLECT FOR THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEDICATION OF A CHURCH:** Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: we give you thanks for the fellowship of those who have worshipped in this place, and we pray that all who seek you here may find you, and be filled with your joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD**

*(The congregation sits for the readings)*

**THE FIRST READING: GENESIS 28:10-17 A reading from the word of God written in Genesis**

Jacob left Beer-sheba and went toward Haran. He came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the LORD stood beside him and said, "I am the LORD, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you

until I have done what I have promised you." Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, "Surely the LORD is in this place-- and I did not know it!" And he was afraid, and said, "How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven."

Reader: The Word of the Lord

**All: Thanks be to God**

**PSALM 84: 1-6**

**BCP, 578**

- 1 How dear to me is your dwelling, O LORD of hosts! \* My soul has a desire and longing for the courts of the LORD; my heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.
- 2 The sparrow has found her a house and the swallow a nest where she may lay her young; \* by the side of your altars, O LORD of hosts, my King and my God.
- 3 Happy are they who dwell in your house! \* they will always be praising you.
- 4 Happy are the people whose strength is in you! \* whose hearts are set on the pilgrims' way.
- 5 Those who go through the desolate valley will find it a place of springs, \* for the early rains have covered it with pools of water.
- 6 They will climb from height to height, \* and the God of gods will reveal himself in Zion.

**THE EPISTLE: 1 PETER 2:1-5, 9-10 A reading from the word of God written in First Peter**

Rid yourselves, therefore, of all malice, and all guile, insincerity, envy, and all slander. Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation— if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good. Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvellous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

**All: Thanks be to God**

*The congregation stands for the sequence hymn*

***Sequence Hymn: CPWI # 729 Christ is our cornerstone***

Christ is our cornerstone,  
on him alone we build;  
with his true saints alone  
the courts of heaven are filled:  
on his great love  
our hopes we place  
of present grace  
and joys above.

O then with hymns of praise  
these hallowed courts shall ring;  
our voices we will raise  
the Three in One to sing;  
and thus proclaim  
in joyful song,

both loud and long,  
that glorious name.

Here, gracious God, do thou  
for evermore draw nigh;  
accept each faithful vow,  
and mark each suppliant sigh;  
in copious shower  
on all who pray  
each holy day  
thy blessings pour.

Here may we gain from heaven  
the grace which we implore;  
and may that grace, once given,

be with us evermore,  
until that day  
when all the blest

to endless rest  
are called away.

**GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: THE ALLELUIA CHORUS**

*ALL stand for the Gospel*

**THE GOSPEL: JOHN 20:19-23**

**THE DEACON OF THE MASS**

Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who were selling and buying in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who sold doves. He said to them, "It is written, 'My house shall be called a house of prayer'; but you are making it a den of robbers." The blind and the lame came to him in the temple, and he cured them. But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the amazing things that he did, and heard the children crying out in the temple, "Hosanna to the Son of David," they became angry and said to him, "Do you hear what these are saying?" Jesus said to them, "Yes; have you never read, 'Out of the mouths of infants and nursing babies you have prepared praise for yourself'?"

Reader: The Gospel of Christ

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

**THE SERMON**

*Everyone stand*

**THE BAPTISMAL VOWS**

**BCP, 275**

QUESTION: Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept Him as your Saviour?

ANSWER: **I turn and accept Him.**

QUESTION: Do you put your whole trust in His grace and love?

ANSWER: **I so put my trust.**

QUESTION: Do you promise to love God and obey Him as your Lord?

ANSWER: **I promise.**

QUESTION: Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness?

ANSWER: **I do.**

QUESTION: Do you renounce injustice and all the evil powers of the world?

ANSWER: **I do.**

QUESTION: Do you reject sin so as to live in the freedom of God's children?

ANSWER: **I do.**

**THE PROFESSION OF FAITH**

**BCP, 275**

QUESTION: DO YOU BELIEVE IN GOD THE FATHER?

ANSWER: **I believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

QUESTION: DO YOU BELIEVE IN JESUS CHRIST THE SON OF GOD?

ANSWER: **I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again, He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

QUESTION: DO YOU BELIEVE IN THE HOLY SPIRIT?

ANSWER: **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.**

MINISTER: This is the faith of the Church.

**ALL: This is our faith. We believe and trust in one God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (Alleluia! Alleluia!)**

**INTERCESSORY PRAYERS: LITANY OF THANKSGIVING**

**BCP, 84**

**We Pray For:**

**THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION:** The Right Reverend & Right Honourable Dame Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury and The Diocese of Zanzibar, The Anglican Church of Tanzania.

**LITANY OF THANKSGIVING:**

**BCP, 84**

Let us give thanks to God our Father for all his gifts so freely bestowed upon us.

For the beauty and wonder of creation,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For all that is gracious in the lives of men and women, revealing the image of Christ,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For our daily food, for our homes and families and friends,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For minds to think and hearts to love,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For health, strength, and skill to work, and for leisure to rest and play,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For those who are brave and courageous, patient in suffering and faithful in adversity,

**We thank you, Lord.**

For all who pursue peace, justice, and truth,

**We thank you, Lord.**

Today we give thanks especially for our 203<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of Dedication

**We thank you, Lord.**

For the communion of saints, in all times and places,

**We thank you, Lord.**

Above all, we give you thanks for the great mercies and promises given to us in Christ Jesus our Lord;

To him be praise and glory, with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

**PRAYER FOR RESTORATION:** O Lord, God of heaven, how great and awesome You are. You keep your covenant of love with those who love you and obey your commands. Let your ear be attentive and your eyes open to hear the cry of your servants, day and night, for the restoration of this Cathedral Church. Gracious Lord, give us success by granting us favour with international donors, corporate entities, government officials, citizens and all persons of faith and good will as we gather the resources needed for the complete work of restoration. Help us to also strive for full restoration by encouraging one another, being of one mind and living in peace. Guide every aspect of this process so that soon your beloved community will congregate in your house of prayer as a new creation in true righteousness and holiness. May your kingdom come and your will be done in us. **Amen**

**LAYING ON OF HANDS AND ANOINTING - HYMNS: CPWI # 840, 494, 253, 407, 476, 491**

**The Greeting of Peace**

**Form A**

**BCP, 124**

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.**

***PEACE: Let there be peace on earth***

Let there be peace on earth

And let it begin with me

With God as our Father

Let There Be Peace on Earth

Children all are we

The peace that was meant to be

Let us walk with each other

In perfect harmony.  
Let peace begin with me  
Let this be the moment now.

With ev'ry step I take  
Let this be my solemn vow  
To take each moment and live  
Each moment in peace eternally  
Let there be peace on earth

### THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERINGS

#### *The Offertory Hymn: CPWI # 327 Lord of the church, we pray for our renewing*

Lord of the church, we pray for our renewing:  
Christ over all, our undivided aim.  
Fire of the Spirit, burn for our enduring,  
wind of the Spirit, fan the living flame!  
We turn to Christ amid our fear and failing,  
the will that lacks the courage to be free,  
the weary labours, all but unavailing,  
to bring us nearer what a church should be.

Lord of the church, we seek a Father's blessing,  
a true repentance and a faith restored,  
a swift obedience and a new possessing,  
filled with the Holy Spirit of the Lord!

#### *CPWI # 845 Give thanks with a grateful heart*

Give thanks with a grateful heart,  
give thanks to the Holy One;  
give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his  
Son. (Repeat)

We turn to Christ from all our restless striving,  
unnumbered voices with a single prayer:  
the living water for our souls' reviving,  
in Christ to live, and love and serve and care.

Lord of the church, we long for our uniting,  
true to one calling, by one vision stirred;  
one cross proclaiming and one creed reciting,  
one in the truth of Jesus and his word.  
So lead us on; till toil and trouble ended,  
one church triumphant one new song shall sing,  
to praise his glory, risen and ascended,  
Christ over all, the everlasting king!

*And now let the weak say, 'I am strong, '  
let the poor say, 'I am rich, '  
because of what the Lord has done for us; give  
thanks. (Repeat)*

#### *Refrain:*

**ABSOLUTELY NO MOVING AROUND OR IDLE CHATTER AT THIS TIME. SILENCE AND REVERENCE ARE REQUIRED AS THIS IS THE MOST SACRED TIME OF OUR WORSHIP**

#### **Offertory Prayer: Form B**

*Everyone stands*

**BCP, 126**

**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.**

**THE DOXOLOGY: 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.**

### THE EUCHARIST

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: For your blessings on this house of prayer, where we are stirred to faithful witness, and are built by your Spirit into a temple made without hands, even the body of your Son, Jesus Christ. 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:

### THE SANCTUS

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might; heaven and earth are full of your glory, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

### Form C

BCP, 137

PRESIDENT: We give thanks to you Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets: and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son. For in these last days you sent Him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In Him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In Him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life. For, on the night that he was betrayed He took bread, and when He had given thanks to you, He broke it and gave it to His disciples and said: "Take this, and eat it: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." And after supper He took the cup of wine: and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

PRESIDENT: Therefore, Father, according to His command;

**ALL We remember His death, We proclaim His resurrection, We await His coming in glory.**

PRESIDENT: And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the sacrament of the Body of Christ and His Blood of the New Covenant. Unite us to your Son in His sacrifice that we, made acceptable in Him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation: By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, Almighty Father, now and ever.

**PEOPLE: Amen.**

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

*Everyone stands*

**ALL: Our Father in heaven hallowed be your Name; your kingdom come; your will be done on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen.**

### 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 AGNUS DEI

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: grant us peace.**

PRESIDENT: The Gifts of God for the People of God.

**ALL: Our souls will feast and be satisfied and we will sing glad songs of praise to Him**

**Communion Hymns: CPWI # 627 *We pray thee, heavenly Father***

We pray thee, heavenly Father,  
to hear us in thy love,  
and pour upon thy children  
the unction from above;  
that so in love abiding,  
from all defilement free,  
we may in pureness offer  
our eucharist to thee.

And thou, creator Spirit,  
look on us, we are thine;  
renew in us thy graces,  
upon our darkness shine;  
that, with thy benediction  
upon our souls outpoured,  
we may receive in gladness  
the body of the Lord.

Be thou our guide and helper,  
O Jesus Christ, we pray;  
so may we well approach thee,  
if thou wilt be the Way:  
thou, very Truth, hast promised  
to help us in our strife,  
food of the weary pilgrim,  
eternal source of life.

O Trinity of Persons,  
O Unity most high,  
on thee alone relying  
thy servants would draw nigh:  
unworthy in our weakness,  
on thee our hope is stayed,  
and blessed by thy forgiveness  
we will not be afraid.

**CPWI # 571 *And now, O Father, mindful of the love***

And now, O Father, mindful of the love  
that bought us, once for all, on Calvary's tree,  
and having with us him that pleads above,  
we here present, we here spread forth to thee  
that only offering perfect in thine eyes,  
the one true, pure, immortal sacrifice.

And then for those, our dearest and our best,  
by this prevailing presence we appeal;  
O fold them closer to thy mercy's breast,  
O do thine utmost for their souls' true weal;  
from tainting mischief keep them white and dear,  
and crown thy gifts with strength to persevere.

Look, Father, look on his anointed face,  
and only look on us as found in him;  
look not on our misusings of thy grace,  
our prayer so languid, and our faith so dim;  
for lo! Between our sins and their reward  
we set the passion of thy Son our Lord.

And so we come; O draw us to thy feet,  
most patient Saviour, who canst love us still;  
and by this food, so awful and so sweet,  
deliver us from every touch of ill:  
in thine own service make us glad and free,  
and grant us never more to part with thee.

**ABSOLUTELY NO MOVING AROUND OR IDLE CHATTER AT THIS TIME. SILENCE AND REVERENCE ARE REQUIRED AS THIS IS THE MOST SACRED TIME OF OUR WORSHIP**

**The Post Communion Prayer:**

*Everyone stands*

BCP, 148

**Eternal God and Heavenly Father, we thank you for feeding us with the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Send us now into the world in peace and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you, and all persons in you, with gladness and singleness of heart, through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**The Blessing:** The spirit of truth lead you into all truth, give you grace to confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, and to proclaim the word and works of God; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. **ALL: Amen.**

**Closing Hymn: CPWI # 387 To God be the glory! Great things he hath done**

To God be the glory! Great things he hath done;  
so loved he the world that he gave us his Son;  
who yielded his life an atonement for sin,  
and opened the life gate that all may go in.

**Refrain:**

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord!  
Let the earth hear his voice;  
praise the Lord, praise the Lord!  
Let the people rejoice:  
O come to the Father,  
through Jesus the Son  
and give him the glory;  
great things he hath done!*

O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood!  
To every believer the promise of God;  
the vilest offender who truly believes,  
that moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

**Refrain**

Great things he hath taught us, great things he hath done,  
and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
but purer, and higher, and greater will be  
our wonder, our rapture, when Jesus we see.

**Refrain**

## NOTICES AND REMINDERS

### +HOLY TRINITY CATHEDRAL 203<sup>RD</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF DEDICATION AND PATRONAL FESTIVAL CELEBRATIONS:

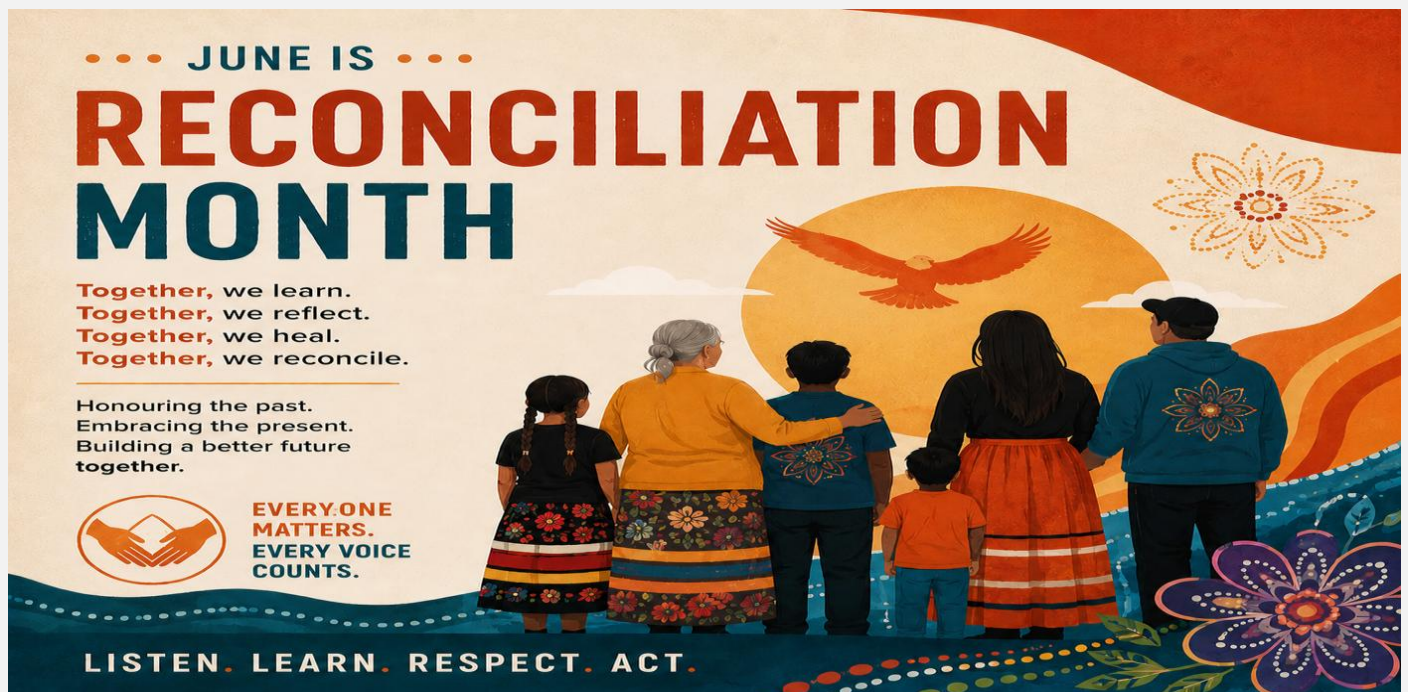
Monday May 25<sup>th</sup> – Sunday May 31<sup>st</sup> 2026 | Bring your \$203 Thanksgiving Offering

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> May - Understanding our Anglican Identity: The Trinity & Mission at 5:30pm (Virtual Chapel)

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May - Vocations & Discernment Open House Day: 10:00AM at Holy Trinity Cathedral Chapel

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> May - Feast of Title & Family Day Celebration 9:00am Sing-a-long; 9:30am Sung Eucharist.

+PLEASE NOTE: There will be ONE SERVICE in the Parish on Sunday May 31, 2026 at 9:00am.





**PRE ORDER Lunch!** Diocesan Family Day

Good Food. Great Fellowship. One Family in Christ.

MENU 1	MENU 2
Vegetable Rice	Provision
Macaroni Salad	Macaroni Salad
Pink Beans	Lentil Peas
Green Salad	Green Salad
Meat of Choice	Meat of Choice

**MEATS** CHOOSE ONE

BBQ Chicken OR Fish OR Pork

★ Only the Chicken is BBQ

MEAL COSTS	Price
Menu 1 or 2 with BBQ Chicken	\$55
Menu 1 or 2 with Fish	\$60
Menu 1 or 2 with Pork	\$60

**PRE ORDER TODAY!**  
Help us serve you better. Place your order in advance.  
Thank you for your support! ♥

+ **DIOCESAN FAMILY DAY:** - Thursday June 4, 2026 @ Skinner Park, San Fernando from 9:30 am  
Theme: *'The Body of Christ: A Healing Church in a Hurting Society'*

**Preacher:** THE MOST REVEREND PHILIP WRIGHT, ARCHBISHOP OF THE PROVINCE OF THE WEST INDIES.

Persons are invited to pre order lunches for Diocesan Family Day: - Please contact Candice 785-4793 or Donna 767-7778 to order. Deadline: Wednesday May 27, 2026

Persons interest in attending Family Day and wants transportation please speak to Gwendolyn 757-2283. Deadline: Tuesday June 2, 2026.



# DIVINE OFFICE READINGS

DATE	MORNING	EVENING
SUNDAY 24 <sup>TH</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalm 118</li> <li>± Deuteronomy 16:9-12</li> <li>± John 4:19-26</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalm 145</li> <li>± Isaiah 11:1-9</li> <li>± Acts 4:18-21, 23-33</li> </ul>
MONDAY 25 <sup>TH</sup> <i>Bede, Priest, Monk, 735</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psalm 25</li> <li>• Proverbs 10:1-12</li> <li>• Matthew 12:22-32</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psalms 9,15</li> <li>• Deuteronomy 4:9-14</li> <li>• 1 Timothy 1:1-17</li> </ul>
TUESDAY 26 <sup>TH</sup> <i>Augustine, Archbishop of Canterbury, 605</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalms 26, 28</li> <li>± Proverbs 15:16-33</li> <li>± Matthew 12:33-42</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalms 36, 39</li> <li>± Deuteronomy 4:15-24</li> <li>± 1 Timothy 1:18—2:8</li> </ul>
WEDNESDAY 27 <sup>TH</sup> <i>Ember Day</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psalm 38</li> <li>• Proverbs 17:1-20</li> <li>• Matthew 12:43-50</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psalm 119:25-48</li> <li>• Deuteronomy 4:25-31</li> <li>• 1 Timothy 3:1-16</li> </ul>
THURSDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalm 37:1-18</li> <li>± Proverbs 21:30—22:6</li> <li>± Matthew 13:24-30</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalm 37:19-42</li> <li>± Deuteronomy 4:32-40</li> <li>± 1 Timothy 4:1-16</li> </ul>
FRIDAY 29 <sup>TH</sup> <i>Ember Day</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psalm 31</li> <li>• Proverbs 23:19-21,29—24:2</li> <li>• Matthew 13:31-35</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psalm 35</li> <li>• Deuteronomy 5:1-22</li> <li>• 1 Timothy 5:17-22(23-25)</li> </ul>
SATURDAY 30 <sup>TH</sup> <i>Ember Day</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalms 30, 32</li> <li>± Proverbs 25:15-28</li> <li>± 1 Timothy 6:6-21</li> <li>± Matthew 13:36-43</li> </ul>	<p><b>Eve of Trinity Sunday</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>± Psalm 104</li> <li>± Ecclesiasticus 42:15-25</li> <li>± Ephesians 3:14-21</li> </ul> <p><i>Collect for Trinity Sunday</i></p>

## LITURGY OF THE WORD READINGS *(Weekends)*

### EUCHARIST READINGS FOR SUNDAY May 31, 2026

#### *The First Sunday after Pentecost: Trinity Sunday — Year A*

± **1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Genesis 1:1-2:4a  
 ± **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading:** 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

**Psalm:** 8  
**Gospel:** Matthew 28:16-20