



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

THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
PROPER XVII

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THE PREPARATION

INTROIT HYMN: *CPWI # 223 Great is thy faithfulness (5:00pm)*

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
there is no shadow of turning with thee;
thou changest not, thy compassions they fail not;
as thou hast been thou for ever wilt be:

Refrain:

***Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness!
Morning by morning new mercies I see;
all I have needed thy hand has provided,
great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me.***

Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,
sun, moon and stars in their courses above,
join with all nature in manifold witness
to thy great faithfulness, mercy and love: **Refrain**

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,
thy own dear presence to cheer and to guide;
strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,
blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside! **Refrain**

LEVS # 208 We've come this far by faith (7:00am)

Refrain:

***We have come this far by faith,
Leaning on the Lord,
Trusting in His holy word,
He's never failed me --yet.
Oh, oh, can't turn a-round,
We've come this far by faith.***

He'll bear all your burdens,
And move all miser and strife.
That's why we've **Refrain**

Just the other day, I heard someone say
He didn't believe in God's word;
But I can truly say that God had made a way,
And He's never failed me yet.
That's why we've **Refrain**

Don't be discouraged
When troubles come in your life.

OPENING SENTENCES: Gracious is the Lord and righteous; our God is full of compassion. *Psalm 116:4*

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.

THE KYRIE: (5:00PM)

Lord, have mercy	Christ, have mercy	Lord, have mercy
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THE KYRIE: (7:00AM)

Lord, have mercy **(have mercy, have mercy)**
Lord, have mercy **(have mercy, have mercy)**
Christ, have mercy **(have mercy, have mercy)**
Christ, have mercy **(have mercy, have mercy)**
Lord, have mercy **(have mercy, have mercy)**
Lord, have mercy!

THE GLORIA: (5:00 PM)

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 GLORIA: (7:00am)

Leader: Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to the Father

Congregation: Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to the Father

Leader: To Him be glory forever

Congregation: To Him be glory forever

Leader: Alleluia, Amen

Congregation: Alleluia, Amen. Alleluia, Amen!

Leader: Glory to God, Glory to God, Son of the Father

Congregation: Glory to God, Glory to God, Son of the Father

Leader: To Him be glory forever

Congregation: To Him be glory forever

Leader: Alleluia, Amen

Congregation: Alleluia, Amen. Alleluia, Amen!

Leader: Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to the Spirit

Congregation: Glory to God, Glory to God, Glory to the Spirit

Leader: To Him be glory forever

Congregation: To Him be glory forever

Leader: Alleluia, Amen

Congregation: Alleluia, Amen. Alleluia, Amen!

THE COLLECT FOR INDEPENDENCE DAY: O God our Father, whose will it is that your people should live in ordered societies; inspire the people of this nation with the spirit of justice, truth and love; and so guide our leaders, and all who make decisions on our behalf, that they may direct our affairs in righteousness and peace; that we may live in peace and harmony and to your honour and glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever. *Amen.*

THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST - PROPER XVII: Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: Graft in our hearts the love of your Name; increase in us true religion; nourish us with all goodness; and bring forth in us the fruit of good works; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. *Amen.*

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

(The congregation sits for the readings)

THE FIRST READING: DEUTERONOMY 8:11-20

5:00PM

Take care that you do not forget the LORD your God, by failing to keep his commandments, his ordinances, and his statutes, which I am commanding you today. When you have eaten your fill and have built fine houses and live in them, and when your herds and flocks have multiplied, and your silver and gold is multiplied, and all that you have is multiplied, then do not exalt yourself, forgetting the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, who led you through the great and terrible wilderness, an arid waste-land with poisonous snakes and scorpions. He made water flow for you from flint rock, and fed you in the wilderness with manna that your ancestors did not know, to humble you and to test you, and in the end to do you good. Do not say to yourself, 'My power and the might of my own hand have gained me this wealth.' But remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today. If you do forget the LORD your God and follow other gods to serve and worship them, I solemnly warn you today that you shall surely perish. Like the nations that the LORD is destroying before you, so shall you perish, because you would not obey the voice of the LORD your God.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

PSALM 146:4-9

A reading from the Word of God written in Deuteronomy

7:00AM

All: Thanks be to God

BCP, 662

4. Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help!* whose hope is in the Lord their God.

5. Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them;* who keeps his promise for ever;

6. Who gives justice to those who are oppressed,* and food to those who hunger.
7. The Lord sets the prisoners free; the Lord opens the eyes of the blind;* the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down;
8. The Lord loves the righteous; the Lord cares for the stranger;* he sustains the orphan and widow, but frustrates the way of the wicked.
9. The Lord shall reign for ever,* your God, O Zion, through out all generations. Hallelujah!

THE EPISTLE: HEBREWS 11:8-16

A reading from the Word of God written Hebrews

5:00PM CARLOS TAYLOR

7:00AM USHER'S GUILD

By faith Abraham obeyed when he was called to set out for a place that he was to receive as an inheritance, and he set out, not knowing where he was going. By faith he stayed for a time in the land he had been promised, as in a foreign land, living in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. For he looked forward to the city that has foundations, whose architect and builder is God. By faith, with Sarah's involvement, he received power of procreation, even though he was too old, because he considered him faithful who had promised. Therefore from one person, and this one as good as dead, descendants were born, "as many as the stars of heaven and as the innumerable grains of sand by the seashore." All of these died in faith without having received the promises, but from a distance they saw and greeted them. They confessed that they were strangers and foreigners on the earth, for people who speak in this way make it clear that they are seeking a homeland. If they had been thinking of the land that they had left behind, they would have had opportunity to return. But as it is, they desire a better homeland, that is, a heavenly one. Therefore God is not ashamed to be called their God; indeed, he has prepared a city for them.

Reader: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

The congregation stands for the sequence hymn

SEQUENCE HYMN: ***CPWI # 313 God of grace and God of glory (5:00pm)***

God of grace and God of glory,
on thy people pour thy power;
now fulfil thy church's story;
bring her bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
for the facing of this hour,
for the facing of this hour.

Cure thy children's warring madness,
bend our pride to thy control;
shame our wanton selfish gladness,
rich in goods and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
lest we miss thy kingdom's goal,
lest we miss thy kingdom's goal.

Lo, the hosts of evil round us
scorn thy Christ, assail his ways;
from the fears that long have bound us
free our hearts to faith and praise.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
for the living of these days,
for the living of these days.

Set our feet on lofty places,
gird our lives that they may be
armoured with all Christlike graces
in the fight to set men free.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
that we fail not man nor thee,
that we fail not man nor thee.

SANS # 71 *Fashion me a people* (7:00am)

Fashion me a people,
A people set apart,
That I may be your God,
And you will give me your heart.

Come together in community,
A sign of my love here on earth,
To share the life of Nazareth,
And incarnate the mystery of my birth.

Be a family, humble and forgiving
Who listen to my voice
Who call upon my mercy
And at my coming will rejoice

Fashion me a people,
A people set apart,
That I may be your God,
And I will give you my heart.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: THE ALLELUIA CHORUS

ALL stand for the Gospel

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Mark

All: Glory to Christ our Saviour.

Then they sent to him some Pharisees and some Herodians to trap him in what he said. And they came and said to him, "Teacher, we know that you are sincere and show deference to no one, for you do not regard people with partiality but teach the way of God in accordance with truth. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar or not? Should we pay them, or should we not?" But knowing their hypocrisy, he said to them, "Why are you putting me to the test? Bring me a denarius and let me see it." And they brought one. Then he said to them, "Whose head is this and whose title?" They answered, "Caesar's." Jesus said to them, "Give to Caesar the things that are Caesar's and to God the things that are God's." And they were utterly amazed at him.

Reader: The Gospel of Christ

All: Praise to Christ our Lord.

Marcos 12:13-17

El Santo Evangelio de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo según

¡Gloria a ti, Cristo Señor!

Y le enviaron algunos de los fariseos y de los herodianos, para que le sorprendiesen en alguna palabra. Viniendo ellos, le dijeron: Maestro, sabemos que eres hombre veraz, y que no te cuidas de nadie; porque no miras la apariencia de los hombres, sino que con verdad enseñas el camino de Dios. ¿Es lícito dar tributo a César, o no? ¿Daremos, o no daremos? Mas él, percibiendo la hipocresía de ellos, les dijo: ¿Por qué me tentáis? Traedme la moneda para que la vea. Ellos se la trajeron; y les dijo: ¿De quién es esta imagen y la inscripción? Ellos le dijeron: De César. Respondiendo Jesús, les dijo: Dad a César lo que es de César, y a Dios lo que es de Dios. Y se maravillaron de él.

El Evangelio del Señor.

Todos: Te alabamos, Cristo Señor.

THE SERMON

THE NICENE CREED

CPWI, 561

(Everyone stands for the Creed and the Prayers)

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.

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.

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.

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS: FORM F

BCP, 115

5:00PM

7:00AM

We Pray For:

THE ANGLICAN COMMUNION: The Right Reverend & Right Honourable Dame Sarah Mullally, Archbishop of Canterbury and The Church of the Province of the West Indies.

THE PROVINCE: The Most Reverend Philip Wright, Archbishop, and The Diocese of Trinidad and Tobago, The Rt. Rev Claude Berkley, Diocesan Bishop

THE DIOCESE: The Good Shepherd, Tunapuna; The Venerable Kenley Baldeo (**Archdeacon North**), The Rev Sparkle Garnes-Roachford, deacon. Chaplaincies: The Protective Services: The State Prisons, Hospitals; Trinidad and Tobago Cadet Corps; and Diocesan Seminarian: Stephen Jones.

THE PARISH: The Clergy, the Vestry, Ushers, schools and communities within our parish boundaries, the City Corporation, and the Mayor of Port of Spain.

ORDINANDS: TO DIACONATE: Lay Evangelists Tishonne Francis, Maia Williams and Hazel Elcock-Ifill.

TO SACRED PRIESTHOOD: The Rev. Ikechukwu Paul Godwin Azuakoemu, The Rev. Dr. Avril Dolly,
The Rev. Rodwyn Fanfair, The Rev. Mervyn Richadson, The Rev. Dr. Patricia Sealy,
The Rev. Winston Roberts.

THANKSGIVINGS AND ANNIVERSARIES:

Birthdays: Raukema King, Monica Ferdinand, Keon Daniel, Lemarc Mascall

Marriage: Dexter Clifford & Melinda Guildford-Clifford; Karen Cordner-Crichlow & Anthony Crichlow

Baptism: Jocelyn Derry-Joefield

Recently Departed: Nigel Lewis-Cornwall and Elise Grant (40th day of passing)

Anniversary of Death: Grace Layne-Daniel 1st. May they rest in peace

INTERCESSORY PRAYERS: FORM F

BCP, 115

Let us pray for the Church and for all people according to their needs.

Lord in your love,

ALL: Hear our prayer.

LEADER: Bless and inspire all members of the clergy, especially Phillip our Archbishop; Claude, our Bishop; and Shelley and David, our Priests.

ALL: That their lives may be examples of their teaching, and that they may rightly and faithfully administer your holy Sacraments.

LEADER: Guide and protect all Heads of State and all who bear rule, especially those in this land: Her Excellency Christine Kangaloo our President, The Honourable Kamla Persad-Bissessar the Prime Minister, all members of Parliament, and all persons serving in Local Government.

ALL That our people may be godly and peacefully governed.

LEADER: Direct those who administer justice; and strengthen those who guard and protect the land.

ALL: That our people may dwell in peace.

LEADER: Reveal the common good to those in positions of public trust and to decision-makers in industry and commerce.

ALL: That freedom and dignity may prevail among us.

LEADER: Enlighten with your Spirit all places of education and learning.

ALL That the whole world may be filled with the knowledge of your truth.

LEADER: Comfort and help all persons who are in any trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

ALL: Help us to help them, O Lord.

LEADER: Remember our brothers and sisters, Elise and all others who have died in your faith and fear.

ALL: Grant them peace and eternal life.

LEADER: We thank you, heavenly Father, for the witness of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Jesus, our Lord and Saviour; for the holy Patriarchs, Prophets, Apostles and Martyrs; and all the Saints who have been good examples in their several generations.

PRIEST: And finally let us pray for our own needs and those of others.

A period of silence may be kept.

ALL: Accept our prayers and intercessions, Father, according to your wisdom, for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

USHER GUILD PRAYER: Lord, you make all kinds of people, even people like me. In your love, you gather them all into your Church. As you gather your people this day, help me to serve them in a Christlike manner, even as your Son served those who gathered about him. Make me prayerful and patient, helpful and understanding, and may I radiate the joy that faith brings as I serve their needs. Give me your strength to support my fellow ministers. May all who assemble to celebrate our common faith in the risen Saviour be glad of heart for being here and for having encountered your son in one another, in our priest, at the tables of the Book and the Bread, and through the ministry of ushers like me. I asked this in Jesus' name. ***Amen.***

PRAYER FOR RESTORATION: Heavenly Father, you hear the call of sinners who turn to you seeking to do your will; Look with gracious love and compassion on all who seek and work towards the restoration of this house of prayer. Send your Holy Spirit to help fix our attention, not on things seen, but on things that are unseen. May we become as living stones and let ourselves be used in building the spiritual temple where we will serve as a royal priesthood, a holy nation to offer acceptable sacrifices to God through Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen.***

THE SICK, HOMEBOUND, THE DISTRESSED OR THOSE IN TROUBLE

Amryl Kellar Alona Edwards	Gertrude Roberts Ernest Motley	Valarie Baptiste Yvonne Davis
Angela Sealy	Gordon Howell	Lorna Dowers
Arlene St. Louis	Gregory Bailey	Lorna Skinner
Barbara Brereton	Greta Julien	Lovetta Brizan
Barbara Hull	Yolanda Drayton	Marlene Jacob
Bernice Felix	Wesley Phillip	Mertie Dash
Brendon Taylor	Jean Cadogan	Francis Joseph
Carole Clyne	Jenifer Dick	Mr. & Mrs. Doyle
Celia Jack	Jennifer Francis	Myrtle Gomes
Che Bernard	Julianna Amarali	Neila Tidd
Christine Davis	Keith Dick	Nolder Pierre
David Thomas	Kizzy David	Yolande Gooding
Doreen Bayley	Sylma Smith	Akesha Edwards
Eastlyn Brathwaite	The Rev Canon Ronald Branche	Mona Charles
Eileen Alphonse	Ulric Munroe	Norma James
Eileen Cuffy	Pearl Darmanie	Olga Went

Eileen Staple	Reomero Roopsingh	Otis Boxhill
Esmie Bruce	Rev. Cheryl Mottley	Simone Bailey
Esther Marie Jones-Moore	Patricia Thomas-Williams	Norma Lewis
Florencia Maharaj	Wendell John	Franklyn Edwards
Suresh Balliram	Gemma Balliram	Jemma Carrabon

THE ACT OF PENITENCE

BCP, 123

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.

A period of silence shall be kept.

PRESIDENT: Let us therefore confess our sins.

FORM A

BCP, 123

ALL: Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, we have sinned against you and one another, in thought, word and deed, and in what we have left undone. We are sorry and repent of all our sins. For your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past, and grant that we may serve you in newness of life to the glory of your Name. Amen.

THE ABSOLUTION

Everyone stands

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

Form C

BCP, 125

PRESIDENT: The Kingdom of God is justice, peace, and joy, inspired by the Holy Spirit.

ALL: They who thus serve Christ are acceptable to God and approved by others.

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

ALL: And also with you.

Peace: *That's my flag*

Many years ago three ships sail across the sea
And the Captain of those ships discovered La Trinity.
But when the English take over me and you
They gave us the Flag, The Red, White and Blue.
But now we tell them

This is my flag
The Red, White and Black
There's no turning back
To look for the Union Jack
And so mih sons and mih daughters
Could boast and brag
About the Red, White and Black
That's my Flag.

I use to take it cool under the Colonial rule
Until one day a Great Man came my way

He toured the country educate the population
And the Red, White and Black was the birth of a
Nation.

August 1962 the date our dream came true
When we walked alone our lonely road home
No more mother country to guide our destiny,
But the Red, White and Black which means you're
free.
So now we tell them

My Nation is cosmopolitan
It goes beyond black and white
Each creed and race has an equal right
Now we are on our own and we not turning back
Let us all together salute the Red, White and Black.
So now we tell them.

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERINGS

The Offertory Hymn: *God bless our Nation*

God bless our nation
Of many varied races
May we possess that common love
That binds and makes us One.
Let it be known around the World
That we can boast of Unity
And take a pride in Our Liberty.

God bless our isles
Of tropic beauty rare
Of flaming poinciana
And shady immortelle

The warm and sparkling waters
That break upon our shores
Beat out a tune that seem to tell
We take a pride in Our Liberty.

God bless our leaders
Give them grace to guide
Bestow on them thy judgment wise
To rule our land aright
To keep the flag of freedom high that we may sing
most lustily
We take a pride in Our Liberty.

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 Offertory Prayer: **Form B**

Everyone stands

BCP, 126

PRESIDENT AND PEOPLE:

Father, we offer to 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 you are the source of light and life; you made us in your image, and called us to new life in Jesus Christ our Lord. 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 (5:00PM)

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.

THE SANCTUS (7:00AM)

Hosanna, in the highest (hosanna hosanna) x4

Holy, holy, holy Lord. Lord God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory (repeat)

Hosanna, in the highest (hosanna hosanna) x4

Blessed is He who comes, comes in the name of the Lord. Heaven and earth are full of your glory (repeat)

Hosanna, in the highest (hosanna hosanna) x4

Form E

BCP, 142

PRESIDENT: Sovereign Lord and Father, To you be glory and praise for ever. In your boundless wisdom you brought creation into being; In your great love you fashioned us in your image; In your tender compassion you sent your Son, Jesus Christ, our Saviour, to share our human nature; In the power of the Holy Spirit, He overcame the power of sin and death and brought your people to new birth as first fruits of your new creation. 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 the command of your dearly beloved Son

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

PRESIDENT: And we offer you, Father, our sacrifice of thanks and praise. Send your Holy Spirit on these gifts of bread and wine that they may become the Body and Blood of your Son, Jesus, our Lord and Redeemer. As we partake of this holy food of new and unending life, your Holy Spirit establish us as a royal priesthood with the Blessed Virgin Mary, Elise all your sons and daughters who share in your eternal inheritance; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. With Him and in Him and through Him, by the power of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father Almighty, with all who stand before you in earth and heaven, in songs of everlasting praise:

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

As our Saviour has taught us, so we pray:

Everyone stands

ALL: (5:00PM) 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.

(7:00AM)

Our Father, who art in heaven

Holy, holy, holy be thy name

Our Father who art in heaven

Holy be thy name

Thy kingdom come on earth

Thy will be done on earth

Thy kingdom come on earth

As it is in heaven

Give us this day our daily bread

Give us this day our daily bread

Give us this day our daily bread

Give us this day our daily bread

And forgive us our trespasses
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us
Forgive us our trespasses

And forgive us our trespasses
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us
Forgive us our trespasses

Our Father, who art in heaven
Holy, holy, holy be thy name
Our Father who art in heaven
Holy be thy name
Thy kingdom come on earth
Thy will be done on earth
Thy kingdom come on earth
As it is in heaven

Our Father, who art in heaven
Holy, holy, holy be thy name
Our Father who art in heaven
Holy be thy name
Thy kingdom come on earth
Thy will be done on earth
Thy kingdom come on earth
As it is in heaven

Do not lead us into temptation
Do not lead us into temptation
And deliver us from all evil
Deliver us from all evil

Amen, amen, amen
Amen, amen, amen
Amen, amen, amen
Amen, amen, amen

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

PRESIDENT: God of promise, You have prepared a Banquet for us.

ALL: Happy are those who are called to the supper of the Lamb.

THE AGNUS DEI (5:00PM)

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.

(7:00AM)

**Lamb of God, Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world (sins of the world)
Have mercy, have mercy on us (on us)**

**Lamb of God, Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world (sins of the world)
Have mercy, have mercy on us (on us)**

**Lamb of God, Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world (sins of the world)
Grant us, grant us peace (Oh 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 # 742 I vow to thee, my country*

I vow to thee, my country,
all earthly things above,
entire and whole and perfect,

the service of my love:
the love that asks no question,
the love that stands the test,

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that lays upon the altar
the dearest and the best;
the love that never falters,
the love that pays the price,
the love that makes undaunted
the final sacrifice.

And there's another country,
I've heard of long ago,
most dear to them that love her,

Our Nation Dawning (7:00am)

Come, come away, hail to the day
This is our land's great morning
Birds in the trees waft to the breeze
Songs of our nation's dawning.
Hummingbird bright, lend your delight,
Ibis your scarlet feathers;
Kiskadee call, summon them all
This is a day of wonders!

Chorus

O land of fairest beauty
We pledge our lives to duty
And vow this day
And vow this day
And vow this day to serve thee.

Flambouyant gay, make glad the day

most great to them that know;
we may not count her armies,
we may not see her King;
her fortress is a faithful heart,
her pride is suffering;
and soul by soul and silently
her shining bounds increase,
and her ways are ways of gentleness
and all her paths are peace.

Colourful blooms resplendent
Hibiscus hedge witness our pledge
And honour this day transcendent.
Palm trees on high reach to the sky
While bells aloft are pealing
Man, bird and beast, earth, sky and sea,
Raise chants of joy excelling.

Three sister hills, list to the trills
Echoing to high heaven
And from the sea, the blue Caribee
Breezes will join the revel.
Fireflies bright, shine through the night:
Illumine our thanksgiving
Of this great day each heart can say
This is our Nation's Dawning!

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 blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

ALL: Amen.

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Forged from the love of liberty,
In the fires of hope and prayer,
With boundless faith in our Destiny,
We solemnly declare,
Side by side we stand,
Islands of the blue Caribbean Sea,
This our Native Land,
We pledge our lives to Thee,
Here every creed and race finds an equal place,
And may God bless our Nation,
Here every creed and race finds an equal place,
And may God bless our Nation.

Closing Hymn: *CPWI # 311 God is working His purpose out*

God is working his / purpose out as /
year succeeds to / year,
God is working his / purpose out and the / time is
drawing / near;
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./

From / utmost east to / utmost west where- / e'er
man's foot hath / trod, /
by the / mouth of many / messengers goes / forth
the voice of / God, /
'Give / ear to me, ye / continents, ye / isles, give
ear to / me, /
that the / earth may be filled with the / glory of
God as the / waters cover
the / sea.'

What can we do to / work God's work, to /
prosper and in- / crease
the / brotherhood of / all mankind, the / reign of
the Prince of / Peace?
What can we do to / hasten 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?

March we forth in the / strength of God with
the / banner of Christ un- / furled,
that the / light of the glorious / Gospel of truth
may / shine throughout the / world.
Fight we the fight with / sorrow and sin, to / set
their captives / free,
that the / earth may be filled with the / glory of
God as the / waters cover
the / sea.

All we can do is / nothing worth un-/ less 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.

NOTICES AND REMINDERS

GENERAL PARISH NOTICES

- + **SUNDAY AUGUST 30, 2026:** is the 5th Sunday of the month. Blue Sunday. Envelopes are available from the Ushers. Congregational meeting will follow the 7:00am service; parishioners are asked to bring a snack to share.
- + **THANK YOU:** to Ms. Mercedes Allsop for her facilitation of the Building Peaceful Foundations Institute for both the youth and adults
- + **THANK YOU:** to all who supported our annual school supplies drive. Your support was overwhelming and we are very grateful.
- + **PRAYER GROUP:** will resume Thursday September 3, 2026, at 5:00pm in the Visual Chapel
- + **INVITATION TO JOIN THE TRINVU CONNECT AUDIO-VISUAL TEAM:** to enthusiastic and committed persons who are willing to be part of the team to assist in videography, sound, livestreaming and presentations. No experience is necessary. Training and guidance will be provided. Interested persons contact Mr. Glen Charles 774-0705.
- + **INFORMATION FOR THE BULLETIN:** ALL entries or requests must be forwarded to the Parish Office via parishsec@htctt.org or 623-7271 Ext 2000 on or before Wednesday 2:00pm of the week of publication.
- + **ANGLICAN PRAYER BEADS:** are available for sale at \$100 per item. Interested people can place their order with Donna (767-7778) or Brenda (797-0543). Payment in part or in full is encouraged when the order is made.
- + **REDEEM COTTON NOTES:** Persons that are holders of cotton notes \$1, \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50 can bring them into the Parish Office and your donation will go towards the Cathedral Restoration.

Ways To Give

1. Time: call parishioners and check on them. Do a drive by visit.
2. Food: non-perishable food & toiletries.
3. Finance – tithes, thanksgiving offerings and general donations

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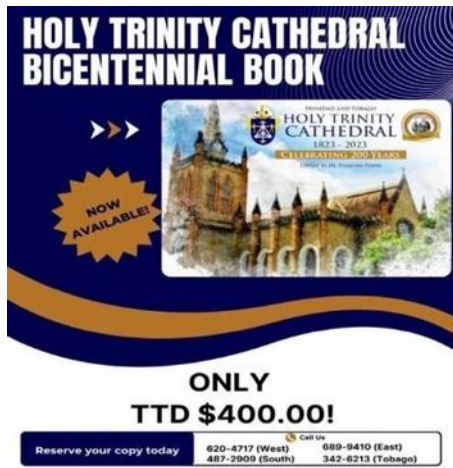
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MEETINGS & ACTIVITIES

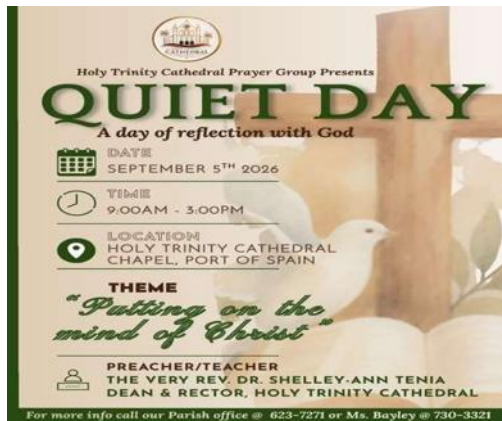
- 11th 5:00pm: Worship Preparation Session (HTC Chapel)
- 15th Vestry Meeting (In person)
- 18th 5:00pm: Worship Preparation Session (HTC Chapel)
- 22nd 6:00pm: Finance Meeting (Virtual)
- 25th 5:00pm: Worship Preparation Session (HTC Chapel)
- 29th 5:30pm: NWRC Meeting (Virtual)

+ **Please note that Worship Preparation sessions continue as usual in the month of September** – Fridays at 5pm Ushers, Servers and Lay Ministers assigned for 5th and 6th September must attend the next meeting on Friday 4 September. Additionally, lectors Frances Drakes-Rowley, Hazel Guiseppi, Camille Gregoire, Bevely Chase, Gan Ping D'Andrade, Annette Kellman, Elizabeth Samuel-Howe, Mother's Union. The members of the Mother's Union selected to read the second lesson, and the intercessions must attend as well.



+ **GRAB YOUR COPY OF THIS HISTORICAL PUBLICATION:** A Legacy of Faith and Culture: Explore the historical and cultural significance of the Holy Trinity Cathedral (the Mother Church) in its bicentennial publication! This keepsake is available now for only TTD \$400.00. Contact 620-4717 (West), 6899410 (East), 487-2909 (South) and 342-6213 (Tobago) for purchases. Hurry before they're all gone! #historicalvoice #theologicalchoice #culturallyrejoice"

+ **BICENTENNIAL MEMORABILIA:** are still available: T-shirts (\$65), Dri-fit Polos (\$150.00), Magnets (\$25), 4-port USB hubs (\$50), Rosaries (\$150, \$200, \$275 and \$460), Snippets & Secrets Booklet (\$20.00). Call 620-4717 or 6832261 to order



+ **QUIET DAY:** HTC the HTC Prayer Group. Date: Saturday 5 September 2026. Location: Holy Trinity Cathedral Chapel, Abercromby St., Port of Spain. Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm. Call our Parish office @ 623-7271 or Ms. Bayley @ 720-3321



+ **SNEEK PEEK COUNTDOWN TO 204:** November 4, will mark 204 days before the 204th Anniversary of Dedication. We will launch the 204 Challenge. There will be prizes for individuals, families and schools who exceed the target. Stay tuned for more information.



REGIONAL/DIOCESAN

+ ORDINATION DIACONATE AND PRIESTHOOD RESPECTIVELY: on Wednesday October 28, 2026 (THE FEAST OF SAINT SIMON AND SAINT JUDE, APOSTLES) at 5:00 p.m. at the St. Michael and All Angels Parish Church, Diamond Vale, Diego Martin, Trinidad. **THE PERSONS TO BE ORDAINED ARE:**

ORDINANDS TO THE DIACONATE:

Ms. MAIA WILLIAMS, Ms. TISHONNE FRANCIS, Mrs. HAZEL ELCOCK -IFILL,

ORDINANDS TO THE SACRED PRIESTHOOD:

THE REV. IKECHUKWU PAUL GODWIN AZUAKOEMU, THE REV. DR. AVRIL DOLLY, THE REV. RODWYN FANFAIR, THE REV. MERVYN RICHARDSON, THE REV. DR. PATRICIA SEALY, THE REV. WINSTON ROBERTS. Please keep them all in your prayers.

Parishioners are invited to attend, interested person please give your names to Mrs. Gwendolyn Roberts on or before October 15, 2026.

+ **LAY MINISTER RETREAT:** September 18-20, 2026 at Emmaus Retreat Centre, Torrecilla Gardens, Arima. Cost \$800.00, deposit to RBC Bank # 100097110203897. Deadline September 11, 2026. Proof of payment and dietary preferences (fish/chicken/veg) must be sent to south.reg.coor@hotmail.com. Participant are reminded to walk with towels, toiletries, medications, Bible, CPWI Prayer Book & Hymnal, writing materials, stationery & personal reading material.



Notice

**THE PARISH OFFICE IS
CLOSED ON **MONDAYS.****

**NEW OPENING HOURS
TUE-FRI (8AM-4PM)**

**2ND & 4TH SATURDAYS
(9AM -12NOON)**



HOLY TRINITY
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Weekly Worship

MONDAY - FRIDAY | 6:30 AM

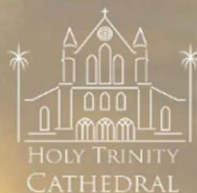
Morning Prayer (Facebook Online)

MONDAY - FRIDAY | 12 NOON

Midday Mass - HTC Main Chapel

SUNDAY - FRIDAY | 9 PM

Compline (Facebook Online)



SMALL GROUP ACTIVITIES

Join us in the All-Souls Virtual Chapel

Zoom Meeting ID: 875 0223 3875 | Password: Worship

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| ☐ Mondays at 5:00 PM | Bible Study– resumes in September |
| ☐ Thursdays at 5:00 PM | Prayer Group |
| ☐ Fridays at 1:30 PM | Bible Study – resumes in September |

DIVINE OFFICE READINGS

DATE	MORNING	EVENING
SUNDAY 30th <i>The Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost</i>	± Psalms 148, 149, 150 ± Job 11:1-9, 13-20 ± Matthew 5:1-12	± Psalms 114, 115 ± 1 Kings 8:22-30(31-40) ± Revelation 5:1-14
MONDAY 31st <i>Independence Day</i>	• Psalm 25 • Job 12:1-6, 13-25 • John 8:21-32	• Psalms 9, 15 • 2 Chronicles 6:32-7:7 • Acts 11:19-30
TUESDAY 1st	± Psalms 26, 28 ± Job 12:1; 13:3-17, 21-27 ± John 8:33-47	± Psalms 36, 39 ± 1 Kings 8:65-9:9 ± Acts 12:1-17
WEDNESDAY 2nd	• Psalm 38 • Job 12:1; 14:1-22 • John 8:47-59	• Psalm 119:25-48 • 1 Kings 9:24-10:13 • Acts 12:18-25
THURSDAY 3rd	± Psalm 37:1-18 ± Job 16:16-22; 17:1, 13-16 ± John 9:1-17	± Psalm 37:19-42 ± 1 Kings 11:1-13 ± Acts 13:1-12
FRIDAY 4th	• Psalm 31 • Job 19:1-7, 14-27 • John 9:18-41	• Psalm 35 • 1 Kings 11:26-43 • Acts 13:13-25
SATURDAY 5th	± Psalms 30, 32 ± Job 22:1-4, 21-23:7 ± John 10:1-18	± Psalms 42, 43 ± 1 Kings 12:1-20 ± Acts 13:26-43 <i>Collect for Proper 18</i>

LITURGY OF THE WORD READINGS (Weekends)

EUCCHARIST READINGS FOR SUNDAY September 6, 2026

The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost: Proper 18 — Year A

± 1st Reading: Ezekiel 33:7-11

Psalm: 119:33-40

± 2nd Reading: Romans 13:8-14

Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20