

Celebrating 103 Years of Witness in the North East Bronx

THEME: CENTERING ON GOD

First Sunday after Epiphany

January 8th, 2017 – 7:30am

Holy Eucharist & Sermon (Rite II) Year A

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN..... # 135

Celebrant: *“Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit”*

People: *“And blessed be his kingdom, now and for ever.”*

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THE GLORIA.....Pg. 356

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST LESSON: Isaiah 42: 1-9

PSALM: 29

THE SECOND LESSON: Acts 10: 34-43

THE SEQUENCE HYMN..... # 124

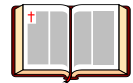
THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 3: 13-17

THE SERMON.....*“Looking for Jesus”*.....**Father Steele**

The Nicene Creed (**All Stand**)Pg. 358

The Prayers of the People: Form IPg. 383

THE PEACE (**All Stand**)



THE OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Choir

THE OFFERTORY HYMNS.....#128, LEV 141, #127

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER ‘B’Pg. 367

Sursum Corda (**All Stand**)

Sanctus Benedictus (**All Stand**)

Prayer of Consecration (**All Kneel**)

THE LORD’S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

COMMUNION HYMNS: LEV: 193, 105, 83

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BLESSINGS (SPECIAL AND GENERAL)

NOTICES

RECESSIONAL HYMN: LEV 161

THE DISMISSAL:

Celebrant: *“Go in peace to love and serve the Lord”*

People: *“Thanks be to God”*



WELCOME

To St. Luke's Episcopal Church



Readers

First Lesson
Second Lesson
Prayers of the People

7:30am

N. Scott
T. Stewart
J. Christian

11:00am

N. Meighan
O. Cole
V. Wilkins-Jarvis



WORSHIP SERVICES

LOW MASS..... Sundays at 7:30 am
FAMILY SERVICE Every First Sunday at 9:30 am
SUNDAY SCHOOL..... at 9:30 am
SUNG MASS Sundays at 11:00 am
LOW MASS & BIBLE STUDY..... Wednesdays at 9:30 am
HEALING MASS First Wednesdays at 9:30 am
BIBLE STUDY..... Wednesdays at 7:30 pm

MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSALS

GOOD NEWS CHORALE..... Wednesdays at 7:30 pm
CHANCEL CHOIR Fridays at 7:30 pm
CHILDREN'S CHOIR..... Saturdays at 1:00 pm
YOUTH CHOIR..... Wednesdays at 6:45 pm

OUR VESTRY

Mrs. Alecia Bradshaw (2017)	Dr. Jewellyn Holder (2018)
Ms. Nicoal Crawford (2019)	Mrs. Clarissa Igle (2019)
Mr. Milton Davis (2018)	Mrs. Joyce Francis-Marsh (2017)
Mrs. Beatrice Goodwyn (2019)	Mrs. Patricia McFadzean (2017)
Dr. Winsome Grant (2018)	Mr. Donald Smith (2019)
Mr. Larjo Guy (2017)	Ms. Marcia Williams (2018)

Clerk of the Vestry: Mrs. Olive Cole (2017)

Wardens: Dr. Christine Greenidge (2017)
Mrs. Shirley Thompson-Nelson (2018)

Treasurers: Mrs. Dionne Williams (2017)
Mr. Robert Williams (2017)

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Morning Prayer

Monday	Psalm 1,2,3; Isaiah 40: 12-23; Ephesians 1: 1-14; Mark 1: 1-13
Tuesday	Psalm 5, 6; Isaiah 40: 25-31; Ephesians 1: 15-23; Mark 1: 14-28
Wednesday	Psalm 119: 1-24; Isaiah 41: 1-16; Ephesians 2: 1-10; Mark 1: 29-45
Thursday	Psalm 18: 1-20; Isaiah 41: 17-29; Ephesians 2: 11-22; Mark 2: 1-12
Friday	Psalm 16, 17; Isaiah 42: (1-9)10-17; Ephesians 3: 1-13; Mark 2: 13-22
Saturday	Psalm 20, 21: 1-7(8-14); Isaiah 43:1-13; Ephesians 3: 14-21; Mark 2: 23-3: 6

*Congratulations and best wishes to all celebrating Wedding
Anniversaries this week,*

*Candles for two weeks are given by Shirley Thompson-Nelson in memory
of her loving husband **Horace C. Nelson**. "You are always in my heart.
May your soul rest in eternal peace."*

*Candles for two weeks are given by Yvonne Darling-Lennon in
thanksgiving to God for allowing her to live to see another birthday on
01/13.*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 01/08** Jean McEwan Campbell, Winfield Clarke, Cyril Logan,
Ena Benjamin
- 01/09** Janet Anderson, Janet Nath-Angus, Nerisa Vassell
- 01/10** Rosemary Greenaway, Charles Edards, Joyce Blake,
Valerie John
- 01/11** Karen Rashford, Colleen Roberts, Norma Rae, Viola Edwards
Sherine Walters
- 01/12** Kathleen Daley, Jean James
- 01/13** Monica Johnson, Viola Bernard, Normadelle Rose,
Ricardo Gilkes, Yvonne Lennon, Hilda Joseph
- 01/14** Lorna Davis, Claudette George, Carmetta McKay



In case of emergency and immediate need of pastoral care, please call
929-328-6848 and your call will be returned promptly. Please call the
Church Office for appointments and questions pertaining to time of service.



First Sunday after Epiphany

PARISH HAPPENINGS

Readings for next Sunday Isaiah 49: 1-7; Psalm 40: 1-12;
1 Corinthians 1: 1-9; John 1: 29-42



Our 2017 Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Sunday, January 22nd, 2017. Nomination Forms are available from the Ushers. **TODAY** is the deadline for the return of completed nomination forms to any member of the Nominating Committee – Dr. Christine Greenidge (Chair), Larjo Guy, and Alecia Sample-Bradshaw.



Next Sunday Coffee Hour will be hosted by **The Brotherhood of St. Andrew.**



Bible Study resumes on **Wednesday, January 11th, 2017.**



Reminder: Your 2017 Contribution Envelopes are available on the stage in the Church Hall. Please verify your name and number on the box before leaving the Church. Notify the Church Office immediately if you have not located your envelope.



Banquet Committee Meeting will be held on Thursday, January 12th at 7:30pm in the Church Hall.



St. Luke's Episcopal Church Men-On-A-Mission invites all to an **Oldies but Goodies** evening on Sunday, January 15th, 2017.
Time: 6pm- 11pm. **Venue:** Eastwood Manor. **Donation:** \$60.00.
Please see members for tickets!



The **Bronx Council** of the Episcopal Diocese of New York will be hosting the **Martin Luther King Jr. Day celebration** with a Mass at 10:00 am on Monday, January 16th, 2017 at St. Luke's. **The Rt. Rev. Andrew ML Dietsche** will be presiding, and the preacher will be the Rev. Canon Calvin McIntyre. Offering is designated for the **Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund**. *All are invited!*

On Sunday, January 15th a special collection will be taken here at both services for the **Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund**. *Please give generously!*

The renovating of our Church Hall is almost complete. To maintain the décor, we discourage the application of posters, decorations, thumb tacks, tapes, photographs, etc. to the walls and ceiling.



Pictorial Directory – ONE LAST SHOT!

An invitation was extended to every parishioner to have a photograph (headshot) taken for our next publication of the Pictorial Directory. We are very much appreciative of those who have responded, and now encourage those who were unable, to use this **LAST OPPORTUNITY** to have a headshot done. Lifetouch will return on;

- Wednesday, January 18th 2:00pm – 9:00pm
- Thursday, January 19th – **Organizations Photograph only**
- Friday, January 20th 2:00pm – 9:00pm
- Saturday, January 21st 10:00am – 5:00pm
- Sunday, January 22nd 9:30am – 3:30pm.

Please send an e-mail to Mrs. Cole at oliduds@gmail.com to sign up for your session. Please make sure to state the date and time. Thank you for your cooperation.



Are you currently out of work? Want to get paid towards getting a job or going to college? The **Door** is recruiting for their **Work Readiness and Customer Service Skills Training Program** for young adults ages 17-24. Two tracks for participation are offered: Through Retail or through Culinary and it involves job placement, advanced training and education. For additional information or questions please contact Christina Jackson at 212-941-9090 Ext. 3228 or cjackson@door.org.



The next **Baptism and Installation of New Members** will be held on **Saturday, April 15th, 2017 – Easter Vigil**. Interested applicants are invited to contact the Church Office to complete an application form, and receive additional information.



Father, we pray for all who suffer from pain, disease, human discomfort, and misery, that God may bring healing and joy for the renewal of their faith. We pray for our shut-ins especially ...

*Emeline Davis (NH), Ella Golding, Gloria Hanson, Venice Lewis,
Arnold Shaw, Eileen Wiltshire, Ouida Webb.*

“You cannot live a perfect day without doing something for someone who will never be able to repay you.”

Listening to the Sermon

Listen to the message from God's Word.

Use this sheet to make some personal notes.

Keep them for the purpose of reference, study and remembrance.

Sermon Title:

Biblical Text:

Main Idea Of The Sermon:

Point(s) To Remember:

What Should I Do As A Result Of Hearing This Sermon?
