

Celebrating 103 Years of Witness in the North East Bronx

THEME: CENTERING ON GOD

Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany
February 19th, 2017 – 7:30/ 11:00am
Holy Eucharist & Sermon (Rite II) Year A

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN..... LEV 1

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

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

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE WORD OF GOD

THE FIRST LESSON: Leviticus 19: 1-2, 9-18

PSALM: 119: 33-40

THE SECOND LESSON: 1 Corinthians 3: 10-11, 16-23

THE SEQUENCE HYMN..... # 674

THE HOLY GOSPEL: Matthew 5: 38-48

THE SERMON.....*"Love"*.....**Father Steele**

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

The Prayers of the People: Form VI..... Pg. 392

THE PEACE (**All Stand**)



THE OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Choir

THE OFFERTORY HYMNS..... #'s 581, 636, LEV 20

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER 'A' Pg. 361

Sursum Corda (**All Stand**)

Sanctus Benedictus (**All Stand**)

Prayer of Consecration (**All Kneel**)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

AGNUS DEI

COMMUNION HYMNS: #'s 657, 656, LEV 106

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BLESSINGS (SPECIAL AND GENERAL)

NOTICES

RECESSIONAL HYMN: # 525

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

T. Stewart

J. Christian

H. Washington

11:00am

A. Sample-Bradshaw

C. Greenidge

I. Baptiste

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

Ms. Nicoal Crawford (2019)

Mr. Milton Davis (2018)

Ms. Ann-Marie Ferguson (2018)

Mrs. Beatrice Goodwyn (2019)

Dr. Winsome Grant (2018)

Mrs. Clarissa Igle (2019)

Mrs. Joyce Francis-Marsh (2020)

Mrs. Patricia McFadzean (2020)

Mr. Norman Scott (2020)

Mr. Donald Smith (2019)

Ms. Sherine Miller-Walters (2020)

Ms. Marcia Williams (2018)

Clerk of the Vestry: Mrs. Olive Cole (2018)

Wardens: Dr. Jewellyn Holder (2019)

Mrs. Shirley Thompson-Nelson (2018)

Treasurers: Mrs. Dionne Williams (2018)

Mr. Robert Williams (2018)

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Morning Prayer

Monday	Psalm 106: 1-18; Ruth 1: 1-14; 2 Corinthians 1: 1-11; Matthew 5: 1-12
Tuesday	Psalm (120), 121, 122, 123; Ruth 1: 15-22; 2 Corinthians 1: 12-22; Matthew 5: 13-20
Wednesday	Psalm 119: 145-176; Ruth 2: 1-13; 2 Corinthians 1: 23- 2: 17; Matthew 5: 21-26
Thursday	Psalm 131, 132, (133); Ruth 2: 14-23; 2 Corinthians 3: 1-18; Matthew 5: 27-37
Friday	Psalm 80; 1 Samuel 16: 1-13; 1 John 2: 18-25
Saturday	Psalm 137: 1-6(7-9), 144; Ruth 4: 1-17; 2 Corinthians 4: 13-5: 10; Matthew 6: 1-16

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

*Candles for one week are given by Alecia Sample-Bradshaw, sons- Jerome
and Randall and grandchildren in loving memory of **Barbara Inniss** – mother
and grandmother.*

*Our condolences to the family and friends of **Ollie Timmons Jr.** as they
mourn his passing on Friday, February 10th, 2017. His Mass of Resurrection
was held at the Church on Friday, February 17th at 12noon.
“May his soul rest in peace.”*

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

02/19	Hans Christensen, Keisha Hylton, Andrienne Hodge-Lee
02/20	Melanie Baptiste-Okpaku, Verena Matthews
02/21	Mildred Vassell, Jacqueline Richards, Jasmine Morton, Cynthia Gentles
02/24	Linda Vickers, Cayana O'Garro, Cayandy O'Garro
02/25	Joan Weatherhead, Keisha Drummond-Jefferson



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.



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.



Seventh Sunday after the Epiphany

PARISH HAPPENINGS

Readings for next Sunday: Exodus 24: 12-18;
Psalm 99; 2 Peter 1: 16-21; Matthew 17: 1-9



Next Sunday Coffee Hour will be hosted by the **Usher Board**.



2016 Contribution statements are now available and **will only be issued on request**. Statements can be e-mailed, mailed, faxed or collected from the Church office. Please call the Church office to indicate how you wish your contribution statement issued.



The heads of Church Organizations are reminded to submit to the Church Office a list of all newly elected officers for 2017.



The Brotherhood of St. Andrew invites all to the **Annual President's Day Breakfast** at 9:00am on Monday, February 20th, 2017 at Grace Episcopal Church, 1909 Vyse Avenue, Bronx NY 10460. Celebrant and preacher will be the **Rt. Rev. Andrew M.L. Dietsche**. Breakfast will follow the service. Donation: \$25.00. Please see any Brotherhood member for tickets.



Father Duvert will be conducting a Eucharistic Minister/Visitor (EM/EV) training on February 25th and March 4th from 10am to 2pm.
Location: St. Luke's Housing Auditorium. Existing E.M.'s and E.V.'s are strongly encouraged to attend. All attendees must register with Patricia McFadzean. *Please bring your own lunch!*



All are invited to the annual **Black History Concert** sponsored by the Youth Fellowship and the Girls Friendly Society on Saturday, February 25th, 2017 at 5:00pm. **Venue:** Church Hall.
"Please join us as we celebrate our past, and hope for a better tomorrow."



The **International Day Committee** will **meet** on Sunday, February 26th, 2017 at 9:30am at the Choir Stall.



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.

Did you know that a woman is battered every 15 -18 seconds?

END THE SILENCE. STOP THE VIOLENCE.

On Sunday, February 26th, 2017 the Office of the Bronx District Attorney invites all to **The Adult Workshop Series**, at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, 940 East 156 Street, Bronx NY 10455. **Time:** 2:30pm-4:00pm.

Please RSVP to James N. Santos, Program Coordinator at 718-838-7682 or email: santosja@bronxda.nyc.org



The **Girls' Friendly Society** will be hosting its annual Ski Trip to Shawnee Mountain on Saturday, March 4th, 2017. **Cost:** \$120.00 (includes transportation, rentals, ski or snowboard lessons and lift ticket). Non-skiers - \$45.00 (includes lunch) or \$65.00 (includes 2 hours of snow tubing and lunch). Please contact a GFS leader for tickets. *Please arrive at the church no later than 6:15am!*



The Young Adult Ministry is providing **Scholarship Writing Assistance** for high school students and 1st & 2nd year college students. If you are interested please email yamstlukes@gmail.com or contact a YAM member for more information.



Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 1st, 2017. Fridays during Lent will be **Stations of the Cross** conducted by Church organizations.

Time: 7pm. Organizations are:

March 3rd – The Vestry

March 24th – St. Theresa's Guild

March 10th – Lectors

March 31st – Cursillo Community

March 17th – Youth Ministries

April 7th – Usher Board



*Our condolences to our Attorney-at-Law, Mr. Hugh Campbell and family as they mourn the passing of his Aunt **Iris E. Campbell**. Her funeral Service will be held on Saturday, Feb. 25th, 2017 at First Presbyterian Church located at 199 North Columbus Avenue, Mount Vernon, NY 10553. Viewing: 9am -10am. Service: 10am.*

In lieu of Flowers, donations can be made to First Presbyterian Church for the Caribbean Club Scholarship Fund. "May her soul rest in peace."



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.

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?
