

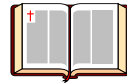
Celebrating 103 Years of Witness in the North East Bronx

**THEME: CENTERING ON GOD**

Third Sunday in Lent  
March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – 7:30/11:00am  
Holy Eucharist & Sermon (Rite I) Year A

THE GREAT LITANY ..... Pg. 148  
COLLECT FOR THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

**THE WORD OF GOD**



THE FIRST LESSON: Exodus 17: 1-7  
PSALM 95  
THE SECOND LESSON: Romans 5: 1-11  
THE SEQUENCE HYMN..... LEV 109  
THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 4: 5 - 42  
THE SERMON: ..... **Father Steele**  
The Nicene Creed (All Stand) ..... Pg. 326  
THE PEACE (**All Stand**)

**THE OFFERTORY**

THE ANTHEM .....CHOIR  
THE OFFERTORY HYMNS ..... LEV: 137, 159, # 645

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER II ..... Pg. 340  
    Sursum Corda (**All Stand**)  
    Sanctus Benedictus (**All Stand**)  
THE LORD'S PRAYER  
AGNUS DEI  
PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS  
COMMUNION HYMNS.....#s 343, 337, 341  
POST COMMUNION PRAYER ..... Pg. 339  
BLESSINGS (SPECIAL AND GENERAL)  
NOTICES  
RECESSIONAL HYMN ..... "*And can it be*"  
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



### 7:30am

T. Stewart  
V. Bernard

### 11:00am

A. Hoff  
D. Bookal



## WORSHIP SERVICES

EUCCHARIST ..... 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  
 Evening prayer and Lenten Series ..... Wednesdays at 7:00 pm

## MUSIC MINISTRY REHEARSALS

GOOD NEWS CHORALE ..... Wednesdays at 8:00 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)	Mrs. Joyce Francis-Marsh (2020)
Mr. Milton Davis (2018)	Mrs. Patricia McFadzean (2020)
Ms. Ann-Marie Ferguson (2018)	Mr. Norman Scott (2020)
Mrs. Beatrice Goodwyn (2019)	Mr. Donald Smith (2019)
Dr. Winsome Grant (2018)	Ms. Sherine Miller-Walters (2020)
Mrs. Clarissa Igle (2019)	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)  
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# Morning Prayer

<b>Monday</b>	Psalm 132; Isaiah 63: 7-16; Matthew 1: 18-25
<b>Tuesday</b>	Psalm 78: 1-39; Jeremiah 7: 21-34; Romans 4: 13-25; John 7: 37-52
<b>Wednesday</b>	Psalm 119: 97-120; Jeremiah 8: 18-9: 6; Romans 5: 1-11; John 8: 12-20
<b>Thursday</b>	Psalm (83) or 42, 43; Jeremiah 10: 11-24; Romans 5: 12-21; John 8: 21-32
<b>Friday</b>	Psalm 95 & 88; Jeremiah 11: 1-8, 14-20; Romans 6: 1-11; John 8: 33-47
<b>Saturday</b>	Psalm 110: 1-5 (6-7), 132; Wisdom 9: 1-12; John 1: 9-14

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

*Candles for three weeks are given by **Jack Green** in celebration of his  
birthday on 03/19, and in thanksgiving to God for allowing him to see  
another year.*

*Candles for one week are given by **Maxine Butler** in loving memory of her  
mother **Velma Miller** 03/20.*

*Bread and Wine for one week are given by **Men-On-A- Mission** in honor of  
the birthdays for **Everet Lake** 03/04, and **Milton Davis** 03/30.*

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 03/19** Rosalie Buchanan, Jack Green Sr., Eva Argule, Claudine Osbourne,  
Norrin Meighan
- 03/20** Jeffrey Brathwaite, Wendy Moore
- 03/21** Sandra Miller-Rowe, Adrian Smith
- 03/22** Joel Afere
- 03/23** Raymond Chang, Kymani Barthley, Thelma Ward, Juanita Francis
- 03/24** Sophia Smith, Joan Pryce, Ivalin Shakespare, Deasia Vaughn,  
Daphne Henry, Angela Simon
- 03/25** Thelma White



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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.



## *Third Sunday in Lent*

### PARISH HAPPENINGS

**Readings for next Sunday:** 1 Samuel 16: 1-13;  
Psalm 23; Ephesians 5: 8-14; John 9: 1-41.

**TODAY** all are invited to the **Annual Mid-Lenten Tea** hosted by the Episcopal Church Women (ECW). **Time:** 4:00pm.  
**Venue:** Church Hall. **Donation:** Adults -\$15.00,  
Children up to 12 years - \$ 8.00.

Next Sunday Coffee Hour will be hosted by **St. Luke's Guild**.

**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.

**Men's Ministry** will be having a meeting on Monday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at 6pm in the Church Hall. *All men of the church parish are encouraged to attend.*

**Stations of the Cross** will be conducted by Church organizations on Fridays during Lent at **7pm**. Remaining dates are:  
March 24<sup>th</sup> – St. Theresa's Guild                      April 7<sup>th</sup> – Usher Board  
March 31<sup>st</sup> – Cursillo Community

**Weekly Lenten Services** will be held every Wednesday during Lent at **9:30am and 7:00pm**. **Theme:** Trusting and the experience of solace in the midst of darkness.  
*Starting Wednesday, March 8<sup>th</sup> through Wednesday March 22<sup>nd</sup> please come and enjoy our very own Father Duvert in weekly Lenten reflections. Topics are:*

1. Sin, darkness and human reality
2. Darkness and negative emotions
3. Negative emotions and their impacts on life  
Transition: How do we experience solace in the midst of darkness?
4. Trusting and the experience of solace

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

**March 27<sup>th</sup> through March 31<sup>st</sup>** Father Duvert will be on a Pilgrimage Trip to Haiti with Food for the Poor.



On Wednesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> at the 9:30am and 7:00pm services all are invited to join our Caring without walls HIV/AIDS Ministry in participation of the National Week of prayer for the healing of AIDS.



On Sunday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, we welcome The Rev. Donnel O'Flynn from Haiti as our preacher at the 7:30am and 11:00am Services. Father O'Flynn and his wife are Episcopal volunteers in Leogane, Haiti and he previously visited us on April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2016. A special collection will be taken to assist them with their ministry.



The next **Baptism and Installation of New Members** will be held on **Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017 – Easter Vigil**. Classes will be held on Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup> at 12 noon and 1pm respectively. **Application deadline – March 29<sup>th</sup>**.



### **SCHEDULE OF SERVICES FOR HOLY WEEK**

Palm Sunday, April 9<sup>th</sup> .....7:30am and 11:00am  
Maundy Thursday, April 13<sup>th</sup> .....7:30pm  
Good Friday, April 14<sup>th</sup> .....9:00am and 12noon  
Easter Vigil and Holy Baptism, April 15<sup>th</sup> .....6:00pm  
Easter Day, April 16<sup>th</sup> ..... 6:00am, 7:30am and 11:00am



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



*Our condolences to Dr. Winsome Grant and family as they mourn the passing of her sister – Gillian Grace Thomas-Morgan. Gillian passed on March 6, 2017 in Georgia and her Funeral Service will be held on April 1, 2017 at Brixton Hill United Church in Clarendon, Jamaica W.I.*

*“May the soul of this dearly departed 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:

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Biblical Text:

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Main Idea Of The Sermon:

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Point(s) To Remember:

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

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