

Celebrating 103 Years of Witness in the North East Bronx

THEME: CENTERING ON GOD

The Sixth Sunday of EASTER

May 21st, 2017 – 7:30/11:00 a.m.

Holy Eucharist & Sermon (Rite II) Year A

ORGAN PRELUDE

PROCESSIONAL HYMN..... # 174

Celebrant: *"Alleluia Christ Is Risen"*

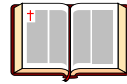
People: *"The Lord Is Risen Indeed Alleluia!"*

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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

THE WORD OF GOD



THE FIRST LESSON: Acts 17: 22-31

PSALM 66: 7-18

THE SECOND LESSON: 1 Peter 3: 13-22

THE SEQUENCE HYMN # 711

THE HOLY GOSPEL: John 14: 15-21

THE SERMON: *"The Lord hears the prayers of those who seek him first"* **Father Duvert**

The Nicene Creed (All Stand)Pg. 358

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THE PEACE (**All Stand**)

THE OFFERTORY

THE ANTHEM Choir

THE OFFERTORY HYMNS *"Who is on the Lord's side"*, LEV 99, # 204

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER 'B'Pg. 367

Sursum Corda (**All Stand**)

Sanctus Benedictus (**All Stand**)

Prayer of Consecration (**Kneel or Stand**)

THE LORD'S PRAYER LEV 264

AGNUS DEI

COMMUNION HYMNS..... #178, LEV 159, # 691

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BLESSINGS (SPECIAL AND GENERAL)

PRAYER FOR THE NATION

NATIONAL ANTHEM OF GHANA

NOTICES

RECESSIONAL HYMN # 205

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

A. Akbar

J. Giles

L. James

11:00am

S. Miller-Rowe

C. Walcott

R. Lawrence

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
 BIBLE STUDY..... Wednesdays at 7:30pm

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 80; Deuteronomy 8: 1-10; James 1: 1-15; Luke 9: 18-27
Tuesday	Psalm 78: 1-39; Deuteronomy 8: 11-20; James 1: 16-27; Luke 11: 1-13
Wednesday	Psalm 68: 1-20; 2 Kings 2: 1-15; Revelations 5: 1-14
Thursday	Psalm 8, 47; Ezekiel 1: 1-14, 24-28b; Hebrews 2: 5-18; Matthew 28: 16-20
Friday	Psalm 85, 86; Ezekiel 1: 28- 3: 3; Hebrews 4: 14- 5: 6; Luke 9: 28-36
Saturday	Psalm 87, 90; Ezekiel 3: 4-17; Hebrews 5: 7-14; Luke 9: 37-50

Congratulations and best wishes to all celebrating Wedding Anniversaries this week.

*Candles for one month are given in loving memory of **Ivy G. Clarke**. Three years ago (5/6/14) you were called home; "Sadly missed!" RIP until we meet again; by Sharon Clarke, LaToya, Adam, Shamoni, Romero and Fallen Berrios. "You remain in our hearts."*

*Candles for one month are given by Mildred Green-Thompson in thanksgiving to Almighty God for the birth of my first grandchild **Aria KuMarie Campbell**.*

*Bread and Wine for four weeks are given by the children of **Vera Alleyne** in her loving memory. "You are forever in our hearts. Rest in peace."*

*Flowers for two weeks are given in loving memory of **Norman Hare Sr.** by his wife- Deacon Ann Hare, children- Anne P., Pier C., Doris H., and Norman Jr., and ten grandchildren. "Loving memories of your kindness remain with us. Rest in peace."*

Lister and Olive Cole express thanks to the Clergy, Wardens, Vestry, and St. Luke's Church family for the prayer cards, words of comfort and sympathy during Sheldon's brief illness and untimely death. "It is very comforting to know that you are thinking of us as we grieve his passing. We ask that you continue to keep us in your prayers and may God continue to bless us all."



The next Coffee Hour will be held on Sunday June 4th and will be hosted by the **St. Luke's Guild**.



Sixth Sunday of Easter

PARISH HAPPENINGS

Readings for next Sunday: Acts 1: 6-14;

Psalm 68: 1-10, 33-36; 1 Peter 4: 12-14; 5: 6-11; John 17: 1-11.



TODAY at 3:30pm the St. Luke's Children Choir will be participating in the Annual Children's Choir Day at Crawford Memorial United Methodist Church. Address: 3757 White Plains Rd., Bronx. *Please support!!!*



This month is celebrated as Women's Month and the theme is "*Women Committed to a deeper relationship with God.*" Tickets are available for the Prayer Breakfast which will be held on Saturday, May 27th at the Eastwood Manor from 8am to 12 noon. Guest Speaker is The Rev. Althea Taylor. Donations are \$45.00 for adults and \$30.00 for children ages 12 and under.

Women's Day (WD) will be celebrated on Sunday, May 28th at both regular services. The preacher will be **The Rev. Janice McLean-Farrell, Phd.** and the color is Peach/Coral/Salmon. *A reception will follow each service in the Church Hall. To help defray the cost of the celebration everyone is asked to make a special monetary contribution.*

Women's Day Choir will offer praise at both services and all women of the parish are invited to join. Choir members must attend the last rehearsal scheduled for May 22nd at 7:30pm to sing on WD.



All are invited to the **47th Precinct Annual Scholarship Banquet** on Thursday, May 25th, 2017 at 6pm. **Venue:** Eastwood Manor. **Tickets:** \$75.00. Please contact the Church Office to reserve your ticket.



The Men-on-a-Mission of St. Luke's Church invites all to an evening of Gospel and Jazz featuring the St. Luke's Good News Chorale, Instruments of Praise, Praise Dancers, Children's Choir, Bevin Turnbull, New Jazz City and Minister Ernest Billups, and the tribe of Levi. This will be held on Sunday, May 28th, 2017 at 6pm in the Church. **Donations:** Adults-\$30.00, Children-\$15.00. See members for tickets.



On Saturday, June 3rd, 2017 **Confirmation and Reception** will be held at the Cathedral Church of St. John the Divine at 10:30am. All are invited to support our Candidates.



The next **Baptism and Installation of New Members** will be held on **Sunday, June 4th, 2017 – Day of Pentecost.** **Classes** will be held on **Saturday, May 27th at 1pm and 2pm** respectively.

SAFE CHURCH WORKSHOP: Saturday, June 10th, 2017. Time: 9am-3pm. Venue: Church Hall. Certification is valid for five years.

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.

Kindly notify the Clergy and the Church Office of any sickness or death in your family, and consult the Clergy before concluding arrangements for Holy Matrimony and Funeral Service. **Please contact the Church Office for an appointment prior to visit when making arrangements.**

Men's Month will be celebrated in **June** and the theme is "*Calling on the Lord to lighten all darkness.*" **Men's Day** will be celebrated on Sunday, June 25th at both regular services, and the preacher will be **The Rev. Delroy A. Reid-Salmon, PhD** from Grace Baptist Chapel. Other preachers during the month are our very own Father's Duvert and Steele, and Author Dominic Carter. *A reception will follow each service in the Church Hall. To help defray the cost of the celebration everyone is asked to make a special monetary contribution.*

Men's Day Choir will offer praise at both services and all men of the parish are invited to join. Choir members must attend all rehearsals scheduled for June 5, 12, 19, 28 at 7:30pm. Planned activities for the month include Games Night on 06/16, Health Night on 06/23 and Family night on 06/24, all commencing at 7pm.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 05/21 Evette Waterman
- 05/22 Betty Heywood, John White, Justice Henry, Keyron Hinds
- 05/23 Milton Gumbs, Tomiko Hudson, Claudette Hutchinson, Brian Martin, Lurline Garwood, Sharon Russell, Ross Medine, Herdrick Duvert
- 05/25 Linette Thompson, Clifton Grant, Dorothy Boothe, Hyacinth Ebanks, Reginald Mordi, Angela Wilson, Ameli Sloleg
- 05/26 Zilva Christie
- 05/27 Lascelles Gabbidon, Jorsan Rowe

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 ...

Iceline Brown, Emeline Davis (NH), Ella Golding, Gloria Hanson, Venice Lewis, Arnold Shaw, Eileen Wiltshire, Ouida Webb, Jenes Williams.

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?
