

**EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
SEPTEMBER 27, 2015**

8:00 A.M.:Said Mass & Sermon:- The Rev. Bishop Daniel Allotey
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11:00A.M.:Sung Mass & Sermon:- The Rev. Bishop Daniel Allotey
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Organ Prelude:

Hymn for the Processional:- 8:00 a.m.:- LEV 189, Runyan
11:00 a.m.:- Hymnal 545, St. Fullbert

Collect of Purity **BCP p. 355**

Gloria in Excelsis **BCP p. 355**

The Collect of the Day

O God, you declare your almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity: Grant us the fullness of your grace, that we, running to obtain your promises, may become partakers of your heavenly treasure; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lesson: 8:00 a.m.– Mrs. Beverley Downes-Bakr
11:00a.m.– Ms. Cheryl Vaughan

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10, 9:20-22

The king and Haman went in to feast with Queen Esther. ²On the second day, as they were drinking wine, the king again said to Esther, "What is your petition, Queen Esther? It shall be granted you. And what is your request? Even to the half of my kingdom, it shall be fulfilled." ³Then Queen Esther answered, "If I have won your favor, O king, and if it pleases the king, let my life be given me—that is my petition—and the lives of my people—that is my request. ⁴For we have been sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be killed, and



to be annihilated. If we had been sold merely as slaves, men and women, I would have held my peace; but no enemy can compensate for this damage to the king.”⁵Then King Ahasuerus said to Queen Esther, “Who is he, and where is he, who has presumed to do this?”⁶Esther said, “A foe and enemy, this wicked Haman!” Then Haman was terrified before the king and the queen.⁹Then Harbona, one of the eunuchs in attendance on the king, said, “Look, the very gallows that Haman has prepared for Mordecai, whose word saved the king, stands at Haman’s house, fifty cubits high.” And the king said, “Hang him on that.”¹⁰So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then the anger of the king abated.²⁰Mordecai recorded these things, and sent letters to all the Jews who were in all the provinces of King Ahasuerus, both near and far,²¹enjoining them that they should keep the fourteenth day of the month Adar and also the fifteenth day of the same month, year by year,²²as the days on which the Jews gained relief from their enemies, and as the month that had been turned for them from sorrow into gladness and from mourning into a holiday; that they should make them days of feasting and gladness, days for sending gifts of food to one another and presents to the poor.

The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God

Silence

Psalm 124 *Nisi quia Dominus*

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**The Epistle: 8:00 a.m.– Mrs. Marlene Herbert
11:00 a.m.– Ms. Thelma Johnson**

James 5:13-20

Are any among you suffering? They should pray. Are any cheerful? They should sing songs of praise.¹⁴Are any among you sick? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord.¹⁵The prayer of faith will save the sick, and the Lord will raise them up; and anyone who has committed sins will be forgiven.¹⁶Therefore confess your sins to one another, and pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective.¹⁷Elijah was a human being like us, and he prayed fervently that it might not rain, and for three years and six months it did not rain on the earth. Then he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain and the



earth yielded its harvest. ¹⁹My brothers and sisters, if anyone among you wanders from the truth and is brought back by another, you should know that whoever brings back a sinner from wandering will save the sinner's soul from death and will cover a multitude of sins. *The Word of the Lord.*

People: Thanks be to God.

Silence

Sequence Hymn:- LEV 170, Palmer

The Holy Gospel: Mark 9:38-50

Please listen to the Gospel of the Lord proclaimed

Sermon Hymn: Hymnal 609, Gardiner

Sermon: The Rev. Bishop Daniel Allotey

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Prayers of the People Form III BCP p. 387

8:00 a.m.:- Mrs. Gwendolyn Edwards

11:00 a.m.:- Ms. Sonja Johnson

Confession of Sin BCP p. 360

Absolution

Peace

Offertory Anthem:- Pan-A-Praise

Special Offering:-

8:00 a.m.:- AAHH 404, Hold To God's Unchanging Hand, insert

11:00 a.m.:- LEV 189, Runyan

The Great Thanksgiving BCP p. 361

Sanctus

Eucharistic Prayer A BCP p. 361

The Lord's Prayer

Agnus Dei, (Lamb of God)



Text:

Topic:

Biblical Reference:

Key points:

How did this sermon affect me?

What is the sermon calling me to do/be/change/affirm?



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Communion Hymns: LEV 133, Weeden : **CPWI 572**, **Be Still, For God Is Near** , Insert: **LEV 184**, Knapp: **Hymnal 337**, Unde et memores

Thanksgiving Prayer

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Blessing

National Anthem: Nigeria

The Commissioning of Our Lay Eucharistic Visitor

Celebrant: [Name], we send you out to share Communion this Week

People: *May you carry the Prayers of all of us as you take This sacrament of Christ's presence*

Celebrant: May those who receive it from you be strengthened and encouraged in that community we have together in our Lord Jesus Christ.

All: *Amen*

Notices

Hymn for the Recessional:- 8:00 a.m.:-LEV 59, Gabriel
11:00 a.m.:-Hymnal 559, Dulce Carmen

Postlude

Key

AAHH : African American Heritage Hymnal,
Hymnal: 1982 Hymnal

LEV: Lift Every Voice And Sing, BCP: Book of Common Prayer

CPWI Hymnal: Church in the Province of the West Indies

BCP: Book of Common Prayer

WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS & MEMBERS

GIFTS & THANK YOUS

Four Lift Every Voice and Sing Hymnals are given by **Vanessa Cole –Solomon** in thanksgiving a appreciation to God for His many blessings and favors granted to her. To God be the Glory.



THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE

Today **Corporate Communion**
Parish Council, Health Guild
Altar Guild

Wed. 10:00 am **Holy Eucharist**
11:00 a.m. Senior Program

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dance Ministry Practice: Friday evenings at 6:00 p.m.
For further information, contact Kisha Mullin (347) 623-3707.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct 10 **56 Club Club Ministry's** trip to Sight and Sound Theatres to see the play: **"Joseph"**. Donation: Adults: \$155.00, Children: \$95.00. (ages 5-15). Buses leave St. Augustine's Episcopal Church at 7:00 a.m. sharp.! For tickets and information, please contact Bernice Pickering (718) 287-5969, Velma Bryan (718) 469-4142, Lorna Session (718) 252-3850, or any member of the 56 Club Ministry.

Oct 23 **Special Projects Annual Dance Extravaganza at Cascade Catering Hall** from 10:00 p.m. - 4:00 a.m. 1055 East 45th. Street (bet Glenwood & Farragut Rds). **Donation:\$50.00.** Come and enjoy present and sweet back-in- times music from Supreme Sounds (Hannah John). For tickets, contact Hyacinth Shepherd (718) 809-1619, Hermine Jackson (718) 498-3571, Nadine Dillon (917) 945-2286, the church office (718) 629-0959 or any member of the Special Projects Ministry.

Nov. 6 **The Willing Hands Ministry** invites you to its **Annual Fall Dance at Tropical Paradise Ballroom** 1367 Utica Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11203, (bet. Foster Ave. & Farragut Rd) from 10:00 p.m. - 3:00 a.m. Music: Supreme Sounds (Hannah John).



- Redo the Church's Foyer **(Done)**
- Redo the Usher's Room **(Done)**

We are therefore listing some of the items and the related costs that you may contribute. We will celebrate and immortalize these gifts in an appropriate way, in a visible place in the church.

The Cross	\$15,000.00
The Porte Cochere (new marquee)	\$59,000.00
Water-proof High Head	\$ 9,500.00
The Church's Main Door	\$28,000.00
The Electronic Sign Board	\$20, 900.00
The other Doors	\$ 1,000.00 each
Double Hung windows	\$ 1,000.00 each
Trap Doors (On sidewalk)	\$ 1,500.00 each
Banner Lights	\$ 500.00 each
Lock for Main Door	\$ 500.00
Church Carpet	\$10,500.00
"St. Augustine's Sign"	\$ 4,700.00
Signs for Patterson Hall, Noel Hall and Church Office	\$ 2,400.00
Thero Elastic	\$17,000.00
Rebuilding Foundation wall in Patterson Hall	\$ 5,700.00

Contributions can also be made towards the air-conditioning systems. :Total costs follow:

The Church	\$114,500.00
The Patterson Hall	\$ 14,500.00
Upstairs Patterson	\$ 10,500.00
The Church Façade	\$ 141, 786.00

We will continually provide updates.
Canon Howard K. Williams, Rector

Make checks payable to **St. Augustine's Episcopal Church** and on the memo line write **"RENOVATION"**.



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St. Augustine's Church Renovation Project

The wardens, vestry and I are pleased to inform you that we received a loan of \$425,000.00 from The Church Building Fund for 10 years at 6.5% interest. It is our plan to complete the renovation of the church which we started in 2001 by doing the following:

- Redo the façade of the entire property (**In Process**)
- Replace the crumpling marquee with a glass Porte Cochere. (**In Process**)
- Add an inviting 3' X 5' full-color electronic sign board near the entrance of the church.
- Replace an aging temperamental water cooling system in the church with a 40 Ton Air Handler Unit and two 20-Ton condensing Units. (**Done**)
- Put a/c and heat into the Medical room and the Lay Eucharistic Ministers' room (**Done**)
- Replace the old and almost dysfunctional a/c heating unit in the Patterson Hall with a 5-Ton system (**Done**)
- Install a 4-Ton ductless split system in the curate's apartment and other offices. (**Done**)
- Replace the Noel Hall roof
- Replace 4313 and 4315 roofs (**Done**)
- Renovate the Noel Hall kitchen (**Done**)
- Redo the Church's Entrance - (**In Process**)



For tickets , contact: Cheryl Leacock (201) 532-4199, Ormond Brathwaite (917) 864-3088
 Daphne Pierre-Bobb (347) 563-0399, Yvonne Humphrey (917) 680-0614, or any member of the Willing Hands Ministry. Raffles: Hyacinth Powell (718)- 693--5357. Donation: \$85.00 person.

For Gifts and Donation: If you want to give:

Candles	\$20.00
Jar of Oil for Candles	\$20.00
Wafers (1 jar)	\$25.00
Wine (1 bottle)	\$30.00
Floral Arrangements (1)	\$75.00
Floral Arrangements (2)	\$75.00 (150.00)
Prayer Books (10)	\$300.00 (\$30.00 each)
Lift Every Voice (10)	\$250.00 (\$25.00 each)
Hymnal (1982) (10)	\$300.00 (\$30.00 each)

Health Guild Corner Asthma

What is an Asthma attack?

An asthma attack is a medical emergency and occurs when the walls of the airway become inflamed and the mucous membrane covering the walls become swollen with fluid resulting in wheezing and difficulty breathing. During a severe attack wheezing may stop because there is too little air moving to make any sound.

Welcome Song

We welcome, welcome, welcome everyone (twice)
 We love you, love you, love you. For all the good you do,
 For we behold the living Christ in you.

AAHH 404, Hold To God's Unchanging Hands

Time is filled with swift transition.
 Naught of earth unmoved can stand.
 Build your hopes on things eternal.
 Hold to God's unchanging hand.



Refrain:

Hold to His hand, God's unchanging hand.
Hold to His hand, God's unchanging hand.
Build your hopes on things eternal.
Hold to God's unchanging hand.

Trust in Him who will not leave you.
Whatsoever years may bring.
If by earthly friends forsaken,
Still more closely to Him cling. [Refrain]

Covet not this world's vain riches
That so rapidly decay.
Seek to gain the heav'nly treasures.
They will never pass away. [Refrain]

When your journey is completed,
If to God you have been true,
Fair and bright the home in Glory
Your enraptured soul will view. [Refrain]

CPWI 572, Be Still, My Soul! For God Is Near!

Be still, my soul! For God is near!
The great High Priest is with thee now;
The Lord of Life himself is near.
Before whose face the angels bow.

To make thy heart his lowly throne
Thy Savior God in love draws nigh;
He gives himself unto his own,
For whom he once came down to die.

He pleads before the mercy-seat;
He pleads with God; he pleads for thee;
He gives thee bread from heaven to eat,
His flesh and blood in mystery .

I come , o Lord! For thou dost call-
To blend my pleading prayer with thine;
To thee I give myself- my all,
And feed on thee and make thee mine.



National Anthem of Nigeria (Independence October 1)

Arise, O compatriots,
Nigeria's call obey
To serve our Fatherland
With love and strength and faith.
The labour of our heroes past
Shall never be in vain,
To serve with heart and might
One nation bound in freedom, peace and unity.



PRAY FOR, VISIT OR CALL

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