

**THE TWENTY-SECOND
SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
NOVEMBER 9, 2014**

8:00 A.M.- Said Mass & Sermon:- The Rev. Fr. David R. Steele
Rite II BCP p. 355 Fr. Joseph Diele

9:15 A.M.:- Sunday School & Teen Forum

11:00 A.M.-Sung Mass&Sermon:-The Rev. Fr. David R. Steele
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Organ Prelude: Prelude in G minor; Bach

Hymns for the Processional: Hymnal 436, Truro

Collect of Purity: BCP p. 355

Gloria in Excelsis: BCP p. 356

The Collect of the Day:

O God, whose blessed Son came into the world that he might destroy the works of the devil and make us children of God and heirs of eternal life: Grant that, having this hope, we may purify ourselves as he is pure; that, when he comes again with power and great glory, we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

**The Lesson: 8:00 a.m.:-Mr. Charles Potter
11:00 a.m.:-Mr. Victor Holder**

Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25

Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel to Shechem, and summoned the elders, the heads, the judges, and the officers of Israel; and they presented themselves before God. ²And Joshua



said to all the people, "Thus says the LORD, the God of Israel: Long ago your ancestors—Terah and his sons Abraham and Nahor—lived beyond the Euphrates and served other gods. Then I took your father Abraham from beyond the River and led him through all the land of Canaan and made his offspring many. ¹⁴"Now therefore revere the LORD, and serve him in sincerity and in faithfulness; put away the gods that your ancestors served beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the LORD. ¹⁵Now if you are unwilling to serve the LORD, choose this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served in the region beyond the River or the gods of the Amorites in whose land you are living; but as for me and my household, we will serve the LORD." ¹⁶Then the people answered, "Far be it from us that we should forsake the LORD to serve other gods; ¹⁷for it is the LORD our God who brought us and our ancestors up from the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, and who did those great signs in our sight. He protected us along all the way that we went, and among all the peoples through whom we passed; ¹⁸and the LORD drove out before us all the peoples, the Amorites who lived in the land. Therefore we also will serve the LORD, for he is our God." ¹⁹But Joshua said to the people, "You cannot serve the LORD, for he is a holy God. He is a jealous God; he will not forgive your transgressions or your sins. ²⁰If you forsake the LORD and serve foreign gods, then he will turn and do you harm, and consume you, after having done you good." ²¹And the people said to Joshua, "No, we will serve the LORD!" ²²Then Joshua said to the people, "You are witnesses against yourselves that you have chosen the LORD, to serve him." And they said, We are witnesses. He said, "Then put away the foreign gods that are among you, and incline your hearts to the LORD, the God of Israel." ²⁴The people said to Joshua, "The LORD our God we will serve, and him we will obey." ²⁵So Joshua made a covenant with the people that day, and made statutes and ordinances for them at Shechem.

The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Silence

Psalm 78:1-7 8:00 a.m.:- Said *Attendite, popule* **BCP p. 694**
11:00 a.m.:- Sung



**The Epistle: 8:00 a.m.-Mr. Vernon Kirton
11:00 a.m.- Mr. Ormond Brathwaite**

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

We do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. ¹⁴For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. ¹⁵For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died. ¹⁶For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord forever. ¹⁸Therefore encourage one another with these words. *The Word of the Lord*

People: Thanks be to God.

Silence

Sequence Hymn:- Hymnal 550, Galilee

The Holy Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13

Please listen to the Gospel of the Lord proclaimed.

Sermon Hymn: LEV 14, Andrae Crouch

Sermon: Fr. Joseph Diele

Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

Prayers of the People Form III BCP p. 387

**8:00 a.m.-Mr. Clarence Blue
11:00 a.m.-Mr. Allan Wallace**

Confession of Sin BCP p. 360

Absolution

Peace



Offertory Anthem:- Ride the Chariot, Men's Chorus

Special Offering:- Hymnal 620, Land of Rest

Eucharistic Prayer B BCP p. 367

Sanctus

The Lord's Prayer

**Communion Hymns:- Hymnal 325, Afro American Spiritual:
Hymnal 337, Unde et memores, LEV 39, American Melody**

Thanksgiving Prayer BCP p. 365

Blessing

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

National Anthem of St. Vincent & The Grenadines

Hymns for the Recessional:-Hymnal 690, Cum Rhondda

Key:
Hymnal- 1982 Hymnal
LEV- Lift Every Voice And Sing Hymnal
AAHH- African American Heritage Hymnal
CPWI- Church in the Province of the West Indies



WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS & MEMBERS

GIFTS & THANK YOUS

Candles and A Bottle of a Wine are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on **Joan Adams** and **Don Adams** on the occasion of another birthday celebrated on November 6. and November 9 respectively. From your mom and brothers.

Candles and Wafers are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on **Myrtle Bayne-Vaughan** in celebration of a very special birthday on November 8. From the entire family. We love you.

Candles are given in loving memory of **Glendora Browne** who departed this life on November 11, 2008. May she continue to rest in peace. Always in our hearts. From her husband Kenville and son Kelvin.

THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE

Today:	Corporate Communion Board of Ushers, Special Projects Mothers' Union, Giving Hearts Lay Eucharistic Ministers Cultural Heritage.
Wed. 10:00 am	Holy Eucharist
11:00	Senior Program
7:00 p.m.	Charismatic Prayer Group
Thur. 6:00 p.m.	New Life Style Ministry "To live and maintain a healthy life style"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adult Bereavement Group: 2nd Monday of each month. From 7:00 pm until 8:30 pm. The following are the dates for each session. 11/10, 12/8 at St. Augustine's Episcopal Church,



4301 Avenue D, Brooklyn, NY 11203. For more information, please contact Fr. Joseph Diele (917) 282-3453.

Enrollment Forms are available for our **2015 Cruise** from Dubai to Oman, India, Malaysia and Singapore aboard **Royal Caribbean's newest and largest ship, "Quantum of the Seas"**. We leave New York May 26, 2015, returning June 14, 2015.

Next Confirmation Class will be on November 11, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

The Sisters of St. Elisabeth Convent, Belarus will be visiting St. Augustine's Parish on **November 26, 2014**. There will be a presentation of religious artifacts made by the sisters to support their charitable projects. The convent supports a large psychiatric hospital, a rehabilitation center and shelter for the homeless. You are asked to kindly make an effort to be there and to support the Sisters by purchasing some of their works. For more information, Please pick up a flyer on the usher's table at the back of the church.

The Education Committee is asking all **11th and 12th grade** High School Students to submit their names and contact information on the Sign-up sheet on the usher's table after the 8:00 am and 11:00 am services.

Kingsborough Community College Continuing Education,
2001 Oriental Blvd., Brooklyn.

High School Diploma or High School Equivalency is required for:

Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers (Dec. 12), 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., (Dec. 7), 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., \$75, (Renewal \$35);

Advanced Cardiovascular Life Support, Mon./Tues., Dec. 8 - 9, \$225, (Renewal \$35);

Pediatric Advanced Life Support, Wed./Thurs., Dec.10 – 11, \$225, (Renewal \$125);

Preparation for Notary Public, Nov. 11, 6:45 p.m. – 9:45 p.m., \$75;

Serve-Safe and NYC Food Handler Certificate, Oct. 28 – Nov. 20, Tues/Thurs., 6:15 p.m. – 9:15 p.m., \$150;



NYC Food Handler Certification (English or Spanish), Nov. 8 – Dec. 13, Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., or Nov. 6 – Dec. 11, Thurs., 6:15 p.m. – 9:15 p.m., \$125;

Interested persons should sign the sign in sheet on the Usher's table or in the Church Office.

Continuing Education

Must be 21 years or older to register for FREE Continuing Education Classes at the Brooklyn Adult Learning Center, 475 Nostrand Avenue, Brooklyn (bet. Macon and Halsey Streets). Classes offered are: Basic Education; Computer Literacy; A+ Computer Repair; Digital Technology; Network Plus Certification; Web Page Design; Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA); Licensed Practical Nursing (LPN); Medical Billing and Coding (\$2,500 for books, exams, uniforms); Phlebotomy/EKG; English for Speakers of other Languages; High School Equivalency; Distance Learning and Microsoft Office Suite which includes Word 2010, PowerPoint 2010, Excel 2010, Keyboarding, Internet, Outlook and Access. Interested persons should sign the sign - in sheet on the Usher's table or in the Church Office. Anyone who needs a class that is not listed above should indicate the required class on the sign-in sheet.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov 16 **The Brooklyn Assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew** will be hosting its annual fall **Gospel Concert** at **St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church**, 331 Hawthorne Street, Brooklyn, NY at 4:00 p.m; featuring America's No 1 and world renowned pop gospel, five times Grammy and 11 Dove Awards winning Artist, Larnelle Harris in concert with St. Augustine's Gospel Choir. Tickets are \$ 25.00 per person and can be purchased from any chapter director. All Proceeds will go towards scholarships and outreach programs.

Nov22 **The Willing Hands Ministry** invites you to their **Fall Ball** at **Siricos' Caterers**, 8023 13th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11228. bet. 81st. & 82nd. Streets) from 8:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Donation: \$95.00. Music by **Thunderbolt**



For Ticket and information, contact Susan Kinch (718) 510-7825, Joan Lawson (347) 866-0572, Lorna Potter (718) 451-3361, Hyacinth Powell (718) 693-5357, Rosa Rodell (917) 825-6690, Coleen Bascom (347) 860-4180 or any member of the Willing Hands Ministry.

Dec10 **The Giving Hearts Ministry** invites you to a day trip to an Ace In The Hole Production “**I Love To Praise His Name**” at the Royal Manor in New Jersey. Donation \$95. For tickets contact K. Gamory (718) 763-3861, Pat Clare (718) 763-2263, Verna Stuart (718) 451-1317, M. Ashby (718) 493-1975 or any member of the ministry.

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May22 **Save The Date!!!** Cotillion, **Astoria World Manor**, Queens, NY. Cost: Adults-\$130.00, Children : \$75.00.

Parish Election Timeline

Nov 14 Deadline for Candidates to submit a brief biography and photograph to the Church Office 5:00 p.m.

Nov 16 Candidates Biography and Photograph to be Distributed.

Nov 23 Candidates to be presented at both 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Services

Nov 30 Election and Annual Parish Meeting during the one service at 9:00 a.m..

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)	\$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)



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.

PRAY FOR, VISIT OR CALL

Phyllicita Samuels , 3423 Newkirk Ave. Brooklyn, NY 11203
Qwuanda Jones - 35 Carroll St.
Alexis Volcy - Hospital For Joint Diseases in Manhattan
Ellen Bennett
Mildred Carrington-1392 Troy Avenue (718) 282-4362
Alfred Carrington- 1392 Troy Avenue (718) 282-4362
Joseph Clee - Prospect Park Care Center - 1455 Coney Island Ave
Althea Wills - 620 E. 80 St. (718) 241-0602
Louisa Todd - 1162 E. 38 St, Brooklyn NY 11210 - (718) 338-4073
Julia Edwards - 770 E. 39 St. Brooklyn, NY 11203 - (718) 859-9694
Madonna Daniel - 1646 Schenectady Avenue, (718) 338-9155
Linda Brown-Hayles - Lehigh Acres, Florida
Ivy Coleman - 236 East 49 Street - (718) 221-6804
Colin Andrews - (718) 258-2099
Carla Thomas - Kings County Hospital
Nadine MCSween - 3500 Snyder Ave. Apt 4F
Jeffrey King– 657 E 26th. Street, Apt. 1B, Bklyn, NY 11210
Beatrice King– 974 Brooklyn Avenue (718) 462-8962
Olga Plunkett– Susan Smith McKinney Rehab. Center (718) 245-7867
Elizabeth Callendar– Daly- (718)471-2600
Carmen Morrell
St. Clair Moore
Ms Nola Wilson
Nita Hinkson,1296 E 51st. Street, Brooklyn, NY 11234, (718) 251-0436
Helen Forde– Congregational Nursing Home (bet. Bedford & Rogers Ave)
Mechis King
Phyllis Smith, 537 East 40th. Street, Bklyn, NY (718) 451-0502
Attmar Telford, Telephone: (718) 342-4467
Esterline King-246-05 136 Road, Rosedale NY (718) 977-2964
Annie Hamilton-Congregational Nursing Home, Bedford & Rogers, RM# 570
Clementine Robinson–CNR Nursing Home 520 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, NY
11238 (718) 636-1000
Cynthia Cummings, 1167 E 38th Street, Bklyn, NY (718) 377-3530
Edna Hinckson, 877 Empire Blvd. Apt E10, Bklyn, NY 11213 (718) 221-0725
Kathleen Satchell, 484 E 55th. Street, Bklyn, NY 11203, (718) 629-0534



Gemma Alexander, 40 Clarkson Ave. Apt #5K, Bklyn 11226, (347) 482-5476
 Osmond Rock-217-01 136th Rd. Springfield Garden, NY 11413, (718) 527- 3334.
 Ms. Ettie May Scott, NY Congregational Nursing Center, 135 Linden Blvd.
 Rm# 660, (bet. Rogers & Bedford) (718) 576-7093, Cell (917) 685-1607
 Ms. Cynthia Carter-CNR Nursing Home, 520 Prospect Place , Brooklyn NY 11238,
 Rm. 526 (718) 636-1000x 353.
 Trevor Farrell, Pamela Farrell & Patricia Whitehead
 Veda McIntosh –Four seasons Nursing Home, Rockaway Pkwy, Canarsie
 Ernestine Thomas, 3114 Neptune Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, (718) 265-2274
 Joyce Johnson , 9312 Avenue M, Brooklyn, NY 11236 (718) 763-0825

52 Weeks Savings' Plan

We want to thank you for participating in the 52 Weeks Saving's Plan. As of today's date you should have saved \$1,035.00.

Following is the schedule for the rest of the year.

By December 31 you would have saved \$1,378.00, \$689.00 of which will be returned to you.

Again, St. Augustine's offers sincere gratitude to you for your generosity.

DATE	WEEK NUMBER	AMOUNT	TOTAL TO DATE
November 9	45	\$45.00	\$1,035.00
November 16	46	\$46.00	\$1,081.00
November 23	47	\$47.00	\$1,128.00
November 30	48	\$48.00	\$1,176.00
December 7	49	\$49.00	\$1,225.00
December 14	50	\$50.00	\$1,275.00
December 21	51	\$51.00	\$1,326.00
December 28	52	\$52.00	\$1,378.00



St. Augustine's Renovation Project

The wardens, vestry and I are pleased to inform you that the Trustees of the Diocese of Long Island have approved our application to the Episcopal Church Building Fund, for a loan of \$425,000.00 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
- Replace the crumpling marquee with a glass Porte Cochere.
- 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.
- Put a/c and heat into the Medical room and the Lay Eucharistic Ministers' room
- Replace the old and almost dysfunctional a/c heating unit in the Patterson Hall with a 5-Ton system
- Install a 4-Ton ductless split system in the curate's apartment and other offices.
- Replace the Noel Hall roof
- Replace 4313 and 4315 roofs
- Replace the Noel Hall kitchen floor
- Other miscellaneous jobs.

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 Porte cochere (new marquee)	\$40,000.00
Water-proof High Head	\$ 9,500.00
The Church's Main Door	\$12,000.00
The Electronic Sign Board	\$15,000.00
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

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

Work will begin very soon on the replacing of the a/c system in the church before work can begin on the roof or the façade.

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"**.



Text:

Topic:

Biblical Reference

Key points:

How did this sermon affect me?

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



The Leadership Team

WARDENS

Mrs. Evelyn Alleyne (2014)
Mr. Clive Phillip (2015)

VESTRY

Class of 2014

Mrs. Lenore Brereton
Ms. Cheryl Leacock
Mrs. Joyce Nightingale-Holder
Dr. Lisa Wedderburn (Clerk of the Vestry)

Class of 2015

Mr. Ormond Brathwaite
Mrs. Beverley Downes-Bakr
Mr. James Sisnett (Treasurer) *
Ms. Cheryl Vaughan

Class of 2016

Mr. Wishart Alleyne
Mrs. Cecelia Curtis
Ms. Hyacinth Goring
Mrs. Joan Henry

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The Rev. Cn. Dr. Howard K. Williams

CURATE

The Rev. Fr. David R. Steele

Asst Treasurers:

**Mr. Errol Pryce
Ms. Lana Reveira**

* Completing an unexpired term as vestry



