

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

MARCH 06, 2016

8:00 A.M. Said Mass & Sermon:- The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey
Rite II BCP p. 355 The Rev. Fr. Christopher Sigamoney

11:00 A.M. Sung Mass & Sermon:-The Rev. Fr. Christopher Sigamoney
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Organ Prelude:

Hymn for the Processional:

8:00 A.M.:-Hymnal 686, Nettleton

11:00 A.M.:- LEV 137, Bradbury

Penitential Order Rite II BCP p. 351

Celebrant : Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People His mercy endures for ever.

Decalogue BCP p. 350

Hear the commandments of God to his people:
I am the Lord your God who brought you out of bondage.
You shall have no other gods but me.
Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not make for yourself any idol.
Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not invoke with malice the Name of the Lord your God.
Amen. Lord have mercy.

Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy.
Amen. Lord have mercy.
Honor your father and your mother.
Amen. Lord have mercy.



The Leadership Team

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The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey

*Completing and Unexpired Term.



Text:

Topic:

Biblical Reference:

Key points:

How did this sermon affect me?

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

You shall not commit murder.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not commit adultery.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not steal.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not be a false witness.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant:

Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord your God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these." *Mark 12:29-31*

Confession

BCP p. 352

Celebrant: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Minister and People

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen



Kyrie Eleison Hymnal S96

Lord, have mercy.
Christ, have mercy.
Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you

Celebrant: Let us pray

The Collect of the Day

Gracious Father, whose blessed Son Jesus Christ came down from heaven to be the true bread which gives life to the world: Evermore give us this bread, that he may live in us, and we in him; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Prayer For A New Rector/Priest

Almighty and gracious God, be with us and guide us; open our minds and teach us; open our hearts and surround us with your love that we may feel your presence in all our works. Imbue us with wisdom and awareness of your vision as we seek a new rector and spiritual leader. Grant us an adventurous spirit, willing to attempt new tasks and face new ways, ever mindful of the need to listen more to your still, small voice than to our own fancies and desires. Grant continued grace and commitment to those who have been called to serve as members of the Profile and Search Committees, that they may become faithful companions to each other, to the Vestry and to this Parish. We ask all this through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Guidance Prayer for New Ministry BCP p. 818

Almighty God, giver of every good gift:
Look graciously on your Church,
and so guide the minds of those
who shall choose a rector for this parish,
that we may receive a faithful pastor,
who will care for your people
and equip us for our ministries;

The Music Ministry logo, featuring a hand holding a musical instrument and the text 'MINISTRY OF MUSIC ST. AUGUSTINE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH'.
The St. Augustine's Episcopal Church logo, featuring a circular emblem with a cross and the text 'ST. AUGUSTINE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH' and '1876'.

You are More than Enough

Lenten and Easter Concert Series

SCHEDULE:
(Every Friday during Lent, after Stations of the Cross at 7pm)

- Friday February 12, 2016
- Friday February 19, 2016
- Friday February 26, 2016
- Friday March 4, 2016
- Friday March 11, 2016
- Friday March 18, 2016

Palm Sunday Concert Presentation
Sunday March 20, 2016 - 5pm - Contribution: \$20
For tickets, see any member of the Music Ministry or contact the Church Office
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Lenten and Easter Schedule - 2016

February

Wednesdays in Lent	10:00 am 7:00 pm-8:00 pm	Holy Eucharist Prayer Meeting
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Fridays in Lent:	12:00 –12:30 p.m. 5:30 pm-6:30 pm 7:00 p.m. 7:30p.m.	Soup and Sandwich Bible Study Stations of the Cross Lenten Concert
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Holy Week

March

Palm Sunday, 20th.	8:00 am. 10:45 am.	Procession & Holy Eucharist Procession & Holy Eucharist
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Monday in Holy Week, 21st.	7:00 pm	Evensong
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Tuesday in Holy Week, 22nd.	7:00 pm	Healing & Holy Eucharist
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Wednesday in Holy Week, 23 rd	7:00 pm	Tenebrae
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Maundy Thursday, 24 th .	7:00 pm	Washing of the Feet and Holy Eucharist
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Good Friday, 25th	2.00-3.00 pm	Three Hour Devotional Service.
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Holy Saturday, 26th	6:30 pm	Holy Baptism
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Easter Eve, 26th.	10:00 pm	The Great Vigil of Easter
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Easter Day, 27th.	8:00 am 11:00 am	Procession & Holy Eucharist Procession & Holy Eucharist
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through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**The Lesson: 8:00 A.M.-Mr. Vernon Kirton
11:00 A.M.-Ms. Deshonte` Crafton- Cobham**

Joshua 5: 9-12

The LORD said to Joshua, "Today I have rolled away from you the disgrace of Egypt." And so that place is called Gilgal to this day. While the Israelites were camped in Gilgal they kept the Passover in the evening on the fourteenth day of the month in the plains of Jericho. On the day after the Passover, on that very day, they ate the produce of the land, unleavened cakes and parched grain. The manna ceased on the day they ate the produce of the land, and the Israelites no longer had manna; they ate the crops of the land of Canaan that year.

The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Silence

Psalm 32	Beati Quorum	BCP p. 624
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8:00 A.M.- (Said)

11:00 A.M.- (Sung)

**The Epistle: 8:00 A.M.- Mrs. Annette Desir
11:00 A.M.-Ms. Natasha Orna**

2 Corinthians 5: 16-21

From now on, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation; that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting the message of reconciliation to us. So we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us; we entreat you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so



that in him we might become the righteousness of God.
The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Silence

Sequence Hymn:

8:00 A.M.: - Hymnal 470, Beecher

11:00 A.M.: - AAHH 249, He Looked Beyond My Fault, Pg.

The Holy Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

Please listen to the Gospel of the Lord proclaimed.

Sermon Hymn: LEV 19, American Folk Song

Sermon: The Rev. Fr. Christopher Sigamoney

Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

Prayers Of The People Form IV BCP p. 388

8:00 A.M.: - Mrs. Lenore Brereton

11:00 A.M.: - Mr. Javon

Peace

Offertory Anthem:

8:00 A.M.: - Covenant Prayer, The Chancel Choir

11:00 A.M.: - Faithful Is Our God, Voices of Hope

Special Offering: 8:00 A.M.: - Hymnal 693, Woodworth

11:00 A.M.: - LEV 154,

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharist Prayer D BCP p.372

Sanctus (Hymnal S130)

The Lord's Prayer (LEV264)

Agnus Dei, (Hymnal S164)

Communion Hymns:-

CPWI 549, Hear O. Lord, LEV 154, Moore: CPWI 599, Jesu

Gentles Savior, LEV 101, Thompson



28th. Spring Luncheon Honorees

Church Awards

- Shirley Bonadie
- Kathleen Gamory
- Shirley Prescod
- Lana Reveira
- Cheryl Vaughan

Lifetime Award

- Rita Fray

The Grace Harewood Leadership Award

- Ormond Brathwaite

Community Service Award

- Det. Robert Thybulle

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)

CPWI 549, Hear , O Lord

Refrain

Hear, O Lord, the sound of my call:
Hear, O Lord, and have mercy;

My soul is longing for the glory of you.
O hear; O Lord, and answer me.

Every night before I sleep
I pray my soul to take,
Or else I pray that loneliness is gone
when I awake (Refrain).

Why do I no longer feel
Like I've a place to stay?
O take me where someone will care,
So fear will go away. (Refrain)

In you, O Lord, I place my cares
And all my troubles, too
O grant, dear Lord, that someday soon
I'll live in peace with you. (Refrain)

CPWI 599 Jesu, Gentlest Savior

Jesus, gentlest Savior,
thou art in us now,
Fill us with thy goodness,
till our hearts o'erflow.

Multiply our graces,
chiefly love and fear,
And, dear Lord, the chiefest,
grace to persevere.

Oh, how can we thank thee
for a gift like this,
Gift that truly maketh
Heaven's eternal bliss!

Ah! When wilt thou always
make our hearts thy home?
We must wait for heaven;
then the day will come.

Post Communion Prayer

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Blessing

Celebrant:

Bow down before the Lord.

All Kneel.

Celebrant:

Grant, Almighty God, that people may recognize their weakness and put their whole trust in your strength, so that they may rejoice for ever in the protection of your loving providence; through Christ our Lord, *Amen*.

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen**.

Notices

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*

Recessional Hymn:

8:00 A.M.:- Hymnal 690, Cum Rhondda

11:00 A.M.:- LEV 184, Knapp.

Postlude

Key

Hymnal: 1982 Hymnal, LEV: Lift Every Voice And Sing

CPWI: Church in the Province of the West Indies Hymnal

BCP: Book of Common Prayer, AAHH: African American Heritage Hymnal



WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS & MEMBERS

The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey, The Wardens, Vestry and St. Augustine's Church Family and Friends welcome The Rev. Fr. Joseph, who is visiting from Cape Coast, Ghana to worship with us. We thank God for you and we pray that He will continue to bless and keep you.

GIFTS & THANK YOU'S

The Cultural Heritage Ministry wishes to thank everyone who supported its Black History Month Celebration on Sunday, February 28. Your presence was greatly appreciated. It was an enjoyable afternoon.

Ms. Sonja Johnson would like to thank everyone who called, visited or reached out to her in any way during her recent illness.

The Grenada, Carriacou and Petite Martinique Bazaar Group would like to thank everyone for supporting their cake sale last Sunday.

A Donation of Candles and Oil is given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on Josiah Hazel on the occasion of his 1st birthday celebrated on March 4.

Wafers and Candles are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His many blessings on Gayle Noel as she celebrates another birthday on March 7. From her Mom.

Candles are given by Gemmel Cunningham in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on the occasion of another birthday which will be celebrated today. March 6.

A Donation of Candles is given in loving memory of a dear husband and father, Cassius Thorne, who departed this life eight years ago on March 9, 2008. From his loving wife, Linda, children and grandchildren. Always in our hearts.

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
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Dulcie Phillip, All Saints Gordon Home, 98A Woodford Street, New Town, POS. Trinidad. W. I (347) 568-7359
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Gemmel Cunningham, (718) 642-3783, 622 Louisiana Ave, Apt 2, Bklyn, NY

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 249, He Looked Beyond My Fault

Amazing grace shall always be my song of praise,
For it was grace that bought my liberty;
I do not know just why Christ came to love me so,
He looked beyond my fault and saw my needs.

I shall forever lift mine eyes to Calvary,
To view the cross where Jesus died for me;
How marvelous the grace that caught my falling soul,
He looked beyond my fault and saw my need.



For bus Transportation please contact Lorna Sessions .

May29 **Save The Date! St. Vincent & The Grenadines Tea Party.** More information to follow.

Jun.4 **The Rector' Guild** invites you to join them for a fun-filled trip to **Hunterdon Hills Playhouse** in New Jersey to see the elegantly funny farce "Rumors": A Broadway Play by Neil Simon. Contribution: \$95.00 (includes 1 ticket to the show, transport, and prizes) For further information and /or tickets, Contact; Colleen Bascom (718) 860-4180, Gloria John (718) 455-8937, Velma Bryan (646) 321-6902 or any member of the Rector's Guild or the church office (718) 629-0959.

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
Mildred Carrington-1392 Troy Avenue (718) 282-4362
Joseph Cleo - 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
Linda Brown-Hayles - Lehigh Acres, Florida
Ivy Coleman - 236 East 49 Street - (718) 221-6804
Colin Andrews - (718) 258-2099
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Nola Wilson
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THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE

Today **Corporate Communion**
Rector's Guild,
St. Augustine's Youth Ministries

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Barbados Bazaar Committee will be hosting its **Annual Lenten Fridays Fish Fry** starting on Friday February 26 and continuing every Friday until March 18th.

Lent is the span of time in the church calendar that starts with Ash Wednesday and ends with Easter Sunday. It is Also a time of almsgiving. Therefore, give to your church this Lenten season. **Please pick up a Lenten Folder from the Ushers.**

Bishop Kearney High School Entrance Exam and Student Sponsor Partners Program: Bishop Kearney High School Entrance Exam: March 12, 2016. 8th grade students who missed the TACHS may sign up online, fee:\$25 .
[Www.bishopkearneyhs.org/EntranceExam](http://www.bishopkearneyhs.org/EntranceExam).

Student Sponsor Partners (SSP)- deadline March12, 2016
Reduces Bishop Kearney's tuition to (\$800) a year for 8th grade students in public school from low-income families with a GPA between 70-85 ssp.nyc.org— 718-236-6363.

Tax Preparation: Every Saturday from February 13-April 9. 10:00 a.m. To 2:00 p.m.

There will be no Sunday School and Teen Forum on **Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday.**

All Children are invited to attend the **Sunday School Easter Activity on Saturday, March 12, 2016** from 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m in the **Patterson Hall.**

All Guyanese Nationals are asked to meet under their flag after both services today.



The Willing Hands request that all persons who are going to see the play "Samson" to please be aware that the buses are leaving at **7:00 a.m. Sharp! Members**, please advise whomever you sold tickets to, that they must be on time. For additional information, contact Yvonne Humphrey (917) 680-0614, Daphne Pierre-Bobb (347) 563-0399, Marcia Francis (718) 974-5888, Ormond Brathwaite (917) 864-3088.

**CALENDAR OF
UPCOMING EVENTS**

- Mar. 10 **Open House For Seniors;** Meet with certified housing counselors and attorneys for free financial and legal advice for free. From 11am-5pm.at **Marjorie Richardson Court**, 359 Hendrix Street, Brooklyn, NY 11207. please RSVP by March 8 (212) 431-9700 ext. 313
- Mar 12. **The Willing Hands** invites you to see the worlds first superhero. Join with us as we go to see the biblical play **SAMSON at Sight & Sound Theater** in Lancaster PA. and a fun filled day with lunch and shopping. Reservation price: \$165 for adults and children aged 3 -12: \$95. For any additional Information, contact: Yvonne Humphrey 917-680-0614, Daphne Pierre-Bobb 347-563-0399, Marcia Francis 718- 974-5888, Ormond Brathwaite 917-864-3088 or any member of the Willing Hands.
- Mar 13. Please join **The Episcopal Church Women** and **The Mother's Union** in celebrating Women's day at both services. The Theme: "Whatever You Do... Do it for God's Glory". Theme Color: Purple. Please include an item of that color in your attire For the day.
- Mar.25 **Mothers' Union "Good Friday" Fish Fry** after service. Donation:\$10.00
- Apr.2 **The 56 club Ministry** invites you to their **Prayer Breakfast at St. Augustine's Church**



Noel Hall from 10:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Donation: \$25.00 . For tickets, please contact: Bernice Pickering 9718) 287-5969, Lorna Session (718) 252-3850, Velma Bryan (718) 469-4142 or any member of the 56 Club Ministry.

Apr.9

Save The Date: Jamaica Bazaar Group Bubbly Brunch in the **Noel Hall**.

Apr.17

St. Augustine's Music Ministry Pan-a-Praise invites you to its **Spring Concert at Tropical Paradise Ballroom** , 1367 Utica Ave. (bet. Foster & Farragut Aves.) at 4:00 p.m. **The St. Mark's Pan Group will also be featured.** Donation: \$ Adults: \$20.00, Children (12 & under) \$10.00. For information contact: Kelvin Browne or Orlando Thomas.

Apr.23

Join **The Giving Hearts Ministry** on a day trip to **Maugy Sierra Winery**, Shopping and Lunch in Connecticut. Donation: \$95.00 . For tickets and Information, contact Althea Yarde (718) 469-4595 Pat Clare (718) 763-2263, M. Ashby (718) 493-1975, K. Gamory (718) 763-3861, V. Stuart (718) 451-1317 or any member of the Giving Hearts Ministry.

May22

The Luncheon Committee cordially invites you to Its 28th. Spring **Luncheon & Scholarship Awards** at Floral Terrace, 250 Jericho Turn pike, Floral Park, NY 10001. Donation: Adults: \$110.00, Children under 12 years old, \$75.00. A payment plan is available. All tickets must be paid for by May 8, 2016. For more information, please contact Hyacinth Goring (917) 514-5873, or Lenora Brereton (917) 817-5982. For tickets, contact Rena Gibson (347) 351-2389, or Rose Marie Burgin (917) 834-7236. Raffles, Lorna Sessions (347) 264-6115, Colleen Bascom (347) 860-4180 or Hermine Jackson (718) 498-3571 and Journal Ads– Madeline Ford (917) 804 5357 or Noel Roberts (347) 647-0363.

