# THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT MARCH 13, 2016

**8:00 A.M. Said Mass & Sermon:-** The Rev. Fr. Christopher Sigamoney **Rite II BCP p. 355** Mrs. Debbie Coleman-George

**11:00 A.M.Sung Mass & Sermon:**-The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey **Rite II BCP p. 355** Mrs. Debbie Coleman-George

**Organ Prelude:** 

Hymn for the Processional:

8:00 A.M.:-LEV 165, Gabriel 11:00 A.M.:- Hymnal 471, Breslau

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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# SERMON NOTES 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

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

#### **Minister and People**

ost 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

Imighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*.

#### **Prayer For A New Rector/Priest**

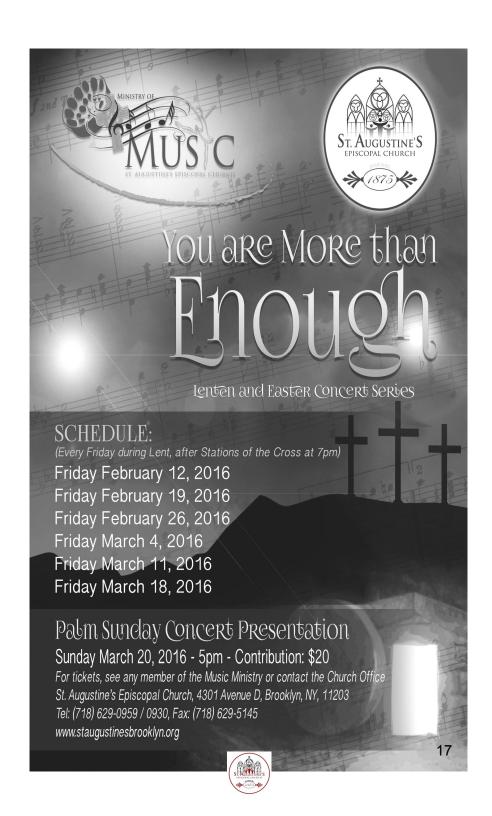
Almighty and gracious God, be with us and guide us; open our minds and teach us; open our hearts and surround us with your love that we may feel your presence in all our works. Imbue us with wisdom and awareness of your vision as we seek a new rector and spiritual leader. Grant us an adventurous spirit, 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**

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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,





# St. Augustine's Episcopal Church 4301 Avenue D, Brooklyn, NY 11203

#### Lenten and Easter Schedule - 2016

#### **February**

Wednesdays in Lent 10:00 am Holy Eucharist

7:00 pm-8:00 pm Prayer Meeting

Fridays in Lent: 5:30 pm-6:30 pm Bible Study

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

7:30p.m. Lenten Concert

#### **Holy Week**

#### March

Palm Sunday, 20th. 8:00 am. Procession & Holy Eucharist

10:45 am. Procession & Holy Eucharist

Monday in Holy Week, 21st. 7:00 pm Evensong

Tuesday in Holy Week, 22nd. 7:00 pm Healing & Holy

Eucharist

Wednesday in Holy Week,23<sup>rd</sup> 7:00 pm Tenebrae

Maundy Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup>. 7:00 pm Washing of the Feet and

Holy Eucharist

Good Friday, 25th 12.00-3.00 pm Three Hour Devotional

Service.

Holy Saturday, 26th 6:30 pm Holy Baptism

Easter Eve. 26th. 10:00 pm The Great Vigil of Easter

Easter Day, 27th. 8:00 am Procession & Holy Eucharist

11:00 am Procession & Holy Eucharist

who will care for your people and equip us for our ministries; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Lesson: 8:00 A.M.:-Ms. Cheryl Vaughan

11:00 A.M.:-Ms. Claudia Kirton

Isaiah 43: 6-21

Thus says the LORD, who makes a way in the sea, a path in the mighty waters, who brings out chariot and horse, army and warrior; they lie down, they cannot rise, they are extinguished, quenched like a wick: Do not remember the former things, or consider the things of old. I am about to do a new thing; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. The wild animals will honour me, the jackals and the ostriches; for I give water in the wilderness, rivers in the desert, to give drink to my chosen people, the people whom I formed for Myself so that they might declare my praise.

The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Silence

Psalm 126 In convertendo BCP p. 782

8:00 A.M.- (Said) 11:00 A.M.- (Sung)

The Epistle: 8:00 A.M:- Mrs. Ann Hendricks

11:00 A.M.:-Ms. Kennisha Douglas

Philippians 3: 4b-14

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless. Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my



Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead. Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

Silence

**Sequence Hymn: - AAHH 229, Perfect Sacrifice,** (Pg. 13-14)

The Holy Gospel: John 12: 1-8

Please listen to the Gospel of the Lord proclaimed.

Sermon Hymn: LEV 88, Mason

Speaker: Mrs. Debbie Coleman- George

Nicene Creed BCP p. 358

Prayers Of The People Form IV BCP p. 388

8:00 A.M.:- Ms. Tamara Mc Farlane 11:00 A.M.:- Ms. Lana Reveira

Peace

**Offertory Anthem:** 

8:00 A.M.:- God Is, The Gospel Choir 11:00 A.M.:-Thy Word, The Chancel Choir

Special Offering: 8:00 A.M.:- LEV 31, KirkPatrick

11:00 A.M.:-Hymnal 441, Rathburn

Debbie Coleman George is an attorney who specializes in the area of labor and employment law. She is currently employed as in-house counsel for City Employees Union Local 237, the largest local in the country within the International Brotherhood of Teamsters. After leaving a career in the financial industry as an Assistant Vice President with Citicorp, Mrs. George went on to pursue her career in the legal field.

Mrs. Coleman- George received her Juris Doctorate in 1993 from Hofstra University School of Law. Upon graduating law school, she began her legal career as an Assistant District Attorney with the Office of the Bronx County District Attorney.

There she worked for eight years prosecuting individuals who committed various crimes against the residents of Bronx County. She later joined the legal division of the New York City Police Department where she prosecuted police officers administratively for corruption and misconduct. Debbie is married to the Reverend Dr. Allen SW George .

#### 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

Lord, I yield, yes, I give this my song, My praise of sacrifice, I give you my life, You.ve already paid the price: Such a perfect sacrifice, Jesus Christ! Perfect sacrifice, Jesus Christ!

#### CPWI 840, Be Still, For The Presence Of the Lord.

Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the holy One, is here; Come bow before Him now with reverence and fear; In Him no sin is found—we stand on Holy Ground. Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around; He burns with holy fire, with splendor he is crowned: How awesome is the sight—our radiant King of Light! Be still, for the glory of the Lord is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place: He comes to cleanse and heal, to minister his grace-No work too hard for him, in faith receive from him. Be still, for the power of the Lord is moving in this place.

#### **National Anthem of Ghana**

God bless our homeland, Ghana And make our nation great and strong. Bold to defend forever,

The cause of Freedom and of Right. Make us cherish fearless honesty; And help us to resist oppressions' rule, With all our might for ever more.



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)
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The Great Thanksgiving

**Eucharist Prayer D** 

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Sanctus (Hymnal S130)

The Lord's Prayer (LEV264)

Agnus Dei, (Hymnal S164)

**Communion Hymns:-**

LEV 152, Negro Spiritual: CPWI 840, Be Still, For The Presence Of The Lord, (Pg. 14). LEV 77, Thompson: Hymnal 323, Jesu, Jesu, du mein

**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** 

National Anthem of Ghana (Independence March 6)

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.:- LEV 28, Stockton

11:00 A.M.:- Hymnal 474, Rockingham

**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 Clergy, The Wardens, Vestry and St. Augustine's Church Family and Friends welcome Mrs. Debbie Coleman-George to worship with us today. She is an attorney by profession and the wife of The Rev. Dr. Allen SW George, former assisting priest of St. Augustine's. We thank God for you and we pray that He will continue to bless you in all that you do.

#### **GIFTS & THANK YOUS**

**A Donation** is given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on **Jakai Reid** on the occasion of another birthday celebrated today March 13. Love, Birdie Blake-Reid and Nicole E. Reid.

**Candles** are donated by **Laura Francis** in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on St. Augustine's Church Congregation.

Candles are given in loving memory of Millicent "Mama" Matheson, who departed this life on March10, 1991. She was a Wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. Gone, but not forgotten from our hearts Rest in peace. From Jackie, Kadeem, Katonya and Winsome.

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#### **Welcome Song**

We 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.

Hear, O Lord, and have mercy;

#### **AAHH 229, A Perfect Sacrifice**

Holy One, Jesus Christ, the only One worthy to give His life, For the sins of all mankind: such a perfect sacrifice, Jesus Christ! Perfect sacrifice, Jesus Christ!



(347) 860-3088 or Hermine Jackson (718) 498-3571 and Journal Ads— Madeline Ford (917) 804 5357 or Noel Roberts (347) 647-0363. For bus Transportation please contact Lorna Sessions.

May29 St. Vincent & The Grenadines Bazaar

Committee invites you to its Annual tea Party at Friends of Crown Heights, 671 Prospect Place (bet. Bedford & Franklin Ave.). Donation: \$20.00. Please support. Please see K. Gamory for more information (718) 763-3861

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

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Joseph Clee - Prospect Park Care Center - 1455 Coney Island Ave

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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

Carmen Morrell

St. Clair Moore

Nola Wilson

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#### THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE

Today Corporate Communion

Board of Ushers, Special Projects Mother's Union, Giving Hearts

Lay Eucharist Ministers, Cultural Heritage

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.

All Lenten Folders must be returned by Easter Sunday.

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 Barbadian Nationals** are asked to meet under their flag after both services today.

Looking For A Job! Allstate Insurance Company, our neighbor at 4222 Avenue D & 43rd Street has an opening for a part time position of Assisting an Allstate Licensed Sales Professional that will likely turn into fulltime. Computer, Phones, Filing and Mailings. Salary: \$9.00 an hour . Will train on Allstate Alliance System. Interested persons, please forward resume to Denyse Williamson at dwilliamson@allstate.com, (718) 629-0222.

## CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

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. The Speaker for the day is Minister Judy P. Linton, Executive Director of Healing for the Soul Ministries. 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 The Jamaica Bazaar Group invites you to its Bubbly Brunch in the Noel Hall, from 10:00 am To 2:00 P.M. Donation: \$15.00. For tickets and information contact Rita Fray, (718) 531-1359, Hermine Jackson (718) 498-3571 or any member of the Jamaica Group.

Apr.16

The Brotherhood of St. Andrew,
St. Augustine's Chapter invites you to see the play
"The Fly". Witness the story of the Tuskegee
Airmen, America's first black military pilots, at the
Crossroads Theater, New Brunswick, NJ.
Contributions: \$90.00 includes ticket for the
play, transportation and refreshments).
For additional information and tickets, please
Contact Anscelle Grant (345) 885-8770,
James Sisnett (917) 704-8864, Dr. Bertrand
Gordon (347) 968-8328, Vernon Kirton (646) 662
6289 or any member of the Brotherhood.

Royalz Family Conference: "Finding Royalty through Transparency". Eliminating misconcep tions within the LGBT Community. 4 Workshops, at St. Augustine's Patterson Hall. Distinguish Panel of LGBT Professionals. Tickets: \$20.00 in advance, \$25.00 at the door. Breakfast and Lunch Contact: Jakai Reid (347) 691-6917 or royalzfamily@yahoo.com for tickets.

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.17 The Antigua /Barbuda Bazaar Group invites you to its Fish Dinner Sale in the Noel Hall after the 8:00 a.m and 11:00 am services. Cost: \$8.00 Your support will be greatly appreciated.
- 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.
- Apr. 24 The Rector's Guild Ministry presents a **Summer Energy Rally Sumptuous Breakfast** between the 8:00 a.m. And the 11:00 a.m. services. Donation: \$10.00. For information, contact: C. Bascom( 347)860-3088 G. John (718) 455-8937, L. Potter (718) 451-3361 or any member of the Rector's Guild Ministry
- May 8 Antigua /Barbuda Bazaar Group Fishcakes and Bread Sale after 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.. Please support .
- 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



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