



# THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER MAY 8, 2016

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

**11:00A.M.:Sung Mass & Sermon:-**The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey  
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## Organ Prelude:

## Hymn for the Processional:

8:00 a.m.: - LEV 198, Howard E. Smith

11:00 a.m.: - Hymnal 657, Hyfrydol

**Collect of Purity** BCP p. 355

**Gloria in Excelsis** BCP p. 355

## The Collect of the Day

O God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as surpass our understanding: Pour into our hearts such love towards you, that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and 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



## 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?**





## VESSELS OF PRAISE DANCE MINISTRY

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Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen*

### 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; through Jesus Christ our Lord, *Amen*

**The Lesson: 8:00 a.m.– Kennisha Douglas  
11:00a.m.– Rita Fray**

**Acts 16:16-34**

**W**ith Paul and Silas, we came to Philippi in Macedonia, a Roman colony, and, as we were going to the place of prayer, we met a slave girl who had a spirit of divination and brought her owners a great deal of money by fortune-telling. While she followed Paul and us, she would cry out, "These men are slaves of the Most High God, who proclaim to you a way of salvation." She kept doing this for many days. But Paul, very much annoyed, turned and said to the spirit, "I order you in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her." And it came out that very hour. But when her owners saw that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the marketplace before the authorities. When they had brought them before the magistrates, they said, "These men are disturbing our city; they are Jews and are advocating customs that are not lawful for us as Romans to adopt or observe." The crowd joined in attacking them, and the magistrates had them stripped of their clothing and ordered them to be beaten with rods. After they had given them a severe flogging, they threw them into prison and ordered the jailer to keep them securely. Following these instructions, he put them in the innermost cell and fastened their feet in the stocks. About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was an earthquake, so violent that the foundations of the prison were shaken; and immediately all the doors were opened and everyone's chains were unfastened. When the jailer woke up and saw the prison doors wide

open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself, since he supposed that the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted in a loud voice, "Do not harm yourself, for we are all here." The jailer called for lights, and rushing in, he fell down trembling before







## 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

## 2016 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

Jada Bedeau - Shirley Hinds for community improvement and Development

Devon Tash - Milton Abbott for principles of the Brotherhood: service, study, and prayer

Rasheed Williams - Janine Hosien for lawyers contributing to society

Keith Camacho – Anonymous for service

Zackary Campbell - Karl Family for health

Joanna Bynoe - James McFarland, Jr. for electronics and computer science

Tionna Belgrove-Jerome - Dr. Cynthia Clarke for commitment to community service

Christopher Richards - Nathaniel Guadeloupe/Yusuf George for the math & sciences

Shemari Caesar - Ann & Joseph Hendricks for education



claimed

**Sermon Hymn: When Mothers of Salem**, Insert

**Sermon:** The Rev. Fr. Christopher Sigamoney

**Ceremony of the Roses: CPWI 747, Shall We Not Love Thee Mother Dear**, Insert: **LEV158**, George Schuler: **AAHH 499, Since Jesus Came Into My Heart**, Insert: **LEV 193**, Negro Spiritual

**Nicene Creed** **BCP p. 358**

**Prayers of the People Form III** **BCP p. 387**

8:00 a.m.– Ann Hendricks

11:00 a.m.– Thelma Johnson

**Confession of Sin** **BCP p. 360**

**Absolution**

**Peace**

**Offertory Anthem:- Saxophone Solo** Kevin Lowe

**Special Offering:**

**AAHH 293, All Hail The Power Of Jesus' Name**, Insert

**The Great Thanksgiving** **BCP p. 361**

**Sanctus** **Hymnal S130**

**Eucharistic Prayer B** **BCP p. 367**

**The Lord's Prayer** **LEV 264**

**Agnus Dei, (Lamb of God)** **Hymnal S164**

**Communion Hymns:**

**CPWI 657, Lord, I would Own Thy Tender Care**, Insert;

**CPWI 711, For The Beauty of The Earth**, Insert,

**AAHH 522, The Gift Of Love**, Insert: **LEV 64**, Fischer

**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<sup>5</sup>**

**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:**

**AAHH 410, Faith Of Our Mothers**, St. Catherine: Insert

**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

**WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS & MEMBERS**

**GIFTS & THANK YOU S**

The **Rector's Guild Ministry** would like to thank everyone who supported their **Spring Energy Rally Breakfast** on Sunday April 24. Your generosity was greatly appreciated.

The **Guyana Bazaar Committee**, wishes to thank everyone who supported their breakfast on Sunday May 1, Your presence and Generosity was greatly appreciated.

**Ms. Claudinalti Titus** would like to thank her St. Augustine's Church Family and Friends for their outpouring love and support given for **Lilliana Skye's** birthday party.. It was greatly appreciated.



**PRAY FOR, VISIT OR CALL**

Qwuanda Jones - 35 Carroll St.

Alexis Volcy - Hospital For Joint Diseases in Manhattan

Mildred 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

Linda Brown-Hayles - Lehigh Acres, Florida

Ivy Coleman - 236 East 49 Street - (718) 221-6804

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Carla Thomas - Kings County Hospital

Nadine MCSween - 3500 Snyder Ave. Apt 4F

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St. Clair Moore

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Barbara Ashman, 436 East 57th. Street (bet. Beverley & Clarendon Roads) (718)-629-9514

Edna Fraser

Gloria Smith, Spring Creek Rehab, Room 26 (718) 669-7472

Ronald Rookwood, Cobble Hill Health Center, 380 Henry Street, Brooklyn NY 11207, Rm# 317A



In nurs'ry love and fireside love,  
thy presence still pervades the air:  
Faith of our mothers, living faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our mothers, lavish faith,  
The fount of childhood's trust and grace,  
O may thy consecration prove  
The well-spring of a nobler race:  
Faith of our mothers, lavish faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our mothers, guiding faith,  
For youthful longing--youthful doubt,  
How blurred our vision, blind our way,  
Thy providential care without:  
Faith of our mothers, guiding faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

Faith of our mothers, Christian faith,  
In truth beyond our man-made creeds,  
Still serve the home and save the church,  
And breathe thy spirit through our deeds:  
Faith of our mothers, Christian faith,  
We will be true to thee till death.

### **When Mothers Of Salem**

When mothers of Salem their children brought to Jesus,  
The stern disciples drove them back and bade them to depart:  
But Jesus saw them ere they fled and sweetly smiled and kindly  
said, Suffer little children to come unto Me.;

For I will receive them and fold them to My bosom:  
I'll be a shepherd to these lambs, O drive them not away;  
For if their hearts to Me they give, they shall with Me in glory live:  
Suffer little children to come unto Me.

How kind was our Savior to bid these children welcome!  
But there are many thousands who have never heard His name;  
The Bible they have never read, they know not that the Savior  
said, Suffer little children to come unto Me.



**Candles** are given in appreciation to God for Kathleen Gamory, Cecelia Curtis, and the Ushers of St. Augustine's Episcopal Church for the love and caring shown to our mother, **Phyllis James**. Thank You, From the Children of Phyllis James.

**A Donation of two LEVAS Hymnals** is given by **Waveney Sears** in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on the occasion of another birthday celebrated on May 3.

**Wafers and Candles** are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His many blessings on **Ormond Brathwaite** on the occasion of another birthday which was celebrated on April 28. From Paul, Patricia, and Carol Leslie.

**Candles** are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His many blessings and guidance for **Brendon Cox** on the occasion of his graduation from The University of Albany with a Bachelor's Degree in Science. From his parents, Grace and Bernard Cox, and sisters: Shantel and Clarissa.

**Candles** are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His many blessings on **Dorcas Moore** as she celebrates another birthday today, May 8. From her children, Heather, Claire and Paul.

**A Donation** is given in thanksgiving and for His many blessings on **Dorcas Moore** in celebration of her birthday and Mothers' Day today May 8. We cherish you. From Brent, Lori, Sean, Paul, Jr. Jaden, Kaleb, and London.

**Candles** are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His continued blessings on **Brittany Collins** on the occasion of her birthday, which was celebrated on May 4. Happy Birthday, from her mom Colleen and brother Andrew.

**Wafers** are given in thanksgiving and appreciation to God for His many blessings on **Judith Ann Reuben** as she celebrates another birthday today, May 8. Happy birthday, From her mom, Veronica Hosten.

**Candles** are given in loving memory of our mother, grandmother and great grandmother, who departed this life on April 30, 1984. From the Ashby, Chance and Jones families.

**Wafers and Wine** are given in loving memory of **Christine Leslie** Who departed this life on April 30. Always in our hearts. From Paul, Patricia and Carol Leslie.

**Wafers** are given in loving memory of **Eileen McMillan**, who departed this life May 4, 2006. Gone, but not forgotten. Al-





ways in our hearts. From her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

**Candles** are given in loving memory of our dear friend and teacher, **Ann Marie Bonalde**, who went home to eternal rest on May 11, 2015. Gone, but not forgotten. Rest in peace. From the New Life Style Ministry.

**A Jar of Oil** and **Candles** are given in loving memory of **Ann Marie Bonalde**, who departed this life on May 11, 2015. Always in our hearts. From her family.

**Candles and Wine** are given by the Family of the late **Ettie May Scott** in memory of her life and to celebrate her first birthday in heaven on May 11.

**A Donation** of two **LEVAS Hymnals** is given in celebration of a Happy Mothers' day in heaven of the late **Ettie May Scott**. With love and blessings from her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

### THIS WEEK AT ST. AUGUSTINE'S

Today:	<b>Corporate Communion</b> Board of Ushers, Special Projects Mothers' Union, Giving Hearts Ministry Lay Eucharistic Ministers Cultural Heritage
Wed. 10:00 am 11:00 am	<b>Holy Eucharist</b> Senior Program
Thurs. 7:00 p.m.	Bible Study

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**May 22nd. Sunday of the Luncheon.** There will be **One Service Only. Time: 9A.M.**



I have not any blessing here; But what is sent from heaven.  
Such goodness, Lord, and constant care, I never can repay;  
But may it be my daily prayer, To love thee and obey.

### **CPWI 711, For The Beauty Of The Earth**

For the beauty of the earth, For the beauty of the skies,  
For the love which from our birth over and around us lies,  
Lord, of all, to thee we raise this our grateful hymn of praise.

For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night,  
Hill and vale, and tree and flower, sun and moon and stars of light,  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our grateful hymn of praise.

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,  
Friends on earth and friends above, pleasures pure and undefiled,  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our grateful hymn of praise.

For each perfect gift of thine, to our race so freely given,  
Races human and divine, flowers of earth and buds of heaven,  
Lord of all, to thee we raise this our grateful hymn of praise.

For thy church which evermore lifteth holy hands above,  
Offering up on every shore her pure sacrifice of love,  
Lord of all. To thee we raise this our grateful hymn of praise.

### **AAHH 522, The Gift of Love**

Though I may speak with bravest fire,  
and have the gift to all inspire  
And have not love, my words are vain,  
As sounding brass and hopeless gain.

Though I may give all I possess,  
And striving so my love profess,  
But not be give'n by love within,  
The profit soon turns strangely thin.

Come, Spirit, come our hearts control,  
Our spirits long to be made whole,  
Let inward love guide ev'ry deed;  
By this we worship, and are freed.

### **AAHH 410, Faith Of Our Mothers**

Faith of our mothers, living  
In cradle song and bedtime  
yet  
prayer,





**AAHH 580, I Love You, Lord, Today**

I Love you, I love you, I Love You, Lord today  
Because You care for me in such a special way  
And yes I praise You, I lift You up,  
I magnify Your name, That's why my heart is filled with praise.

My heart, my mind, my soul belong to You.  
You paid the price for me way back on Calvary.  
And yes I praise You, I lift You up,  
I magnify Your name, That's why my heart is filled with praise.

**AAHH 293, All Hail the Power of Jesus Name**

All hail the power of Jesus' name! Let angels prostrate fall.  
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all.  
Bring forth the royal diadem, and crown him Lord of all!

*Chorus*  
*And crown Him, Lord of all, And crown Him, Lord of all*  
*And crown Him, Lord of all, And crown Him, Crown Him, Lord of all*

Ye chosen seed of Israel's race, Ye ransomed from the fall,  
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all.  
Hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all!  
(Chorus)

Let every Kindred and every tribe, On this terrestrial ball,  
to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.  
To him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all!

Oh, that with all the sacred throng, We at his feet may fall!  
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.  
We'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all. (Chorus)

**CPWI 657, Lord, I Would Own Thy Tender Care**

Lord, I would own thy tender care, And all thy love to me:  
The food I eat, the clothes I wear, Are all bestowed by Thee.

"Tis thou preservest me from death, And dangers every hour;  
I cannot draw another breath, Unless thou give me power.

Kind angels guard me every night, As round my bed they stay;  
Nor am I absent from thy sight, In darkness or by day.

My health and friends and parents dear, To me by God  
are given;



Any information regarding **Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals, Membership Application Forms and Offering Books, and Rental of the Halls**, should be obtained from the office, since there are procedures to be followed in ascertaining that instructions are properly adhered to. **No Offering Books are to be given to anyone without the person going through the proper procedures.**

Members of the former **Charismatic Prayer Group and New Life Style Ministry** are asked to meet at 7:00 p.m. in the Patterson Hall on May 11 for Fellowship and Prayers in memory of **Ann Marie Bonalde**, Who passed away one year ago, on May 11, 2015.

Members of the **Luncheon Committee** will be available on Monday May 9. from 6:30 p.m -8:00 p.m. to collect unsold raffle books, luncheon tickets and proceeds.

The next meeting of the **International Bazaar Committee** will be held on **Sunday, May 29, 2016 immediately following the 8:00 am service.** All members are asked to make every effort to attend.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the **Annual International Bazaar** has been changed to **Saturday July 23, 2016**

**CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

May22 **The Luncheon Committee** cordially invites you to its 28th. Spring **Luncheon & Scholarship Awards** at Floral Terrace, 250 Jericho Turnpike, 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, 016. 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

May 28 **The Episcopal Church Women** invites you to join them for the must-see play **"Guilt Trip"** starring Comedian Oliver Samuels at **Brooklyn College**. Tickets : \$55.00; and are limited. Interested persons;

Please contact



Marilyn Stanisclaus

(917) 886-3088 or

Claudia Kirton (718) 253-1844 by **May 8th.**

May 28

**The Grenada, Carriacou & Petite Martinique Bazaar Group** invites you to its annual bus ride to Atlantic City, NJ. For tickets, please contact: Jenny Lessey (917) 224-9196; Joan Alexis (718) 552-6305, Ruthlyn Modeste (917) 562-5396, Clive Phillip (347) 495-8443, or any member of the Grenada Bazaar Group.

May 29

**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 or Rose Marie Burgin (917) 834-7236.

Jun.4

**The Rector's 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.

Jun.4

**Trinidad and Tobago Bazaar Group Curry Que** 730 East 46th. Street (bet. Clarendon Ave.& Ave. D) From 11.00 a.m. until——. Pre-orders are being accepted. For information, contact: Kirt Mitchell (347) 801-0158, Yvonne Humphrey (917) 680-0614, Kelvin Daniel (347) 409-0794, Allan Wallace ( 646) 438-5787, Terrence LA Pierre (347) 357-0500, Patricia Caruth (917) 881-2403.

Jun.4

The **Brotherhood of St. Andrew, St. Augustine's Chapter # 2056** invites you to its **Annual Corporate Communion and Prayer Breakfast** at St. Augustine's Episcopal Church, 4301 Avenue D,

Brooklyn, NY 11203, The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey, Bishop in Residence. Holy Eucharist begins



at

9.00 a. m. Guest Speaker, The Rev. Fr. Gilberto Tony Hinds, from the Church of the Resurrection in Queens. Donation: \$25.00. For tickets or additional information, contact any member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

Jun 12.

**Boasting Day! The Education Ministry** is asking parents to send in a copy of their children's **most recent report card** so that the students can be recognized for their good work. Report cards may be given to Dr. Cynthia Clarke, Dr. Evelyn Castro or any member of the Education Ministry, or may be submitted to the Church Office, Monday-Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Parents, we are celebrating the children's work, so remember to send in their March 2016 report cards.

Jun 18

**Willing Hands Ministry** invites you to a fun filled day in Bethlehem, PA. Donation: \$50.00. For Tickets contact: Shirley Cumberbatch (917) 538-4089, Yvonne Humphrey (917) 680-0614, Daphne Pierre-Bobb (347)563-0399, Marcia Francis (718) 974-5888 or any member of the Willing Hands Ministry.

Jun 25

**Safe Church Training** with Dr. Cynthia Clarke. Registration forms will be available from May 8, 2016 to June 19, 2016 on the Usher's table or in the Church Office.

July 16

**Save The Date! Family Picnic, Mountain Creek Action Park**, 200 Route 94, Vernon Township, NJ 07462.

July. 30

**Safe Church Training. Details to be announced.**

**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

