

The Diocese of Jamaica & The Cayman Islands

Established 1824

St. Ann's Bay Cure

St. Anne's: 8:00am

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

Year A

February 1, 2026



Our Mission

***We are Disciples of Christ making the love of God known through our
Witness and service in all we think, say and do.***

ORDER OF THE LITURGY

Santus, Santus, Sanctus

Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus,
I lift my voice in worship;
I'll sing your praise for all my days,
holy, holy Lord.

Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus,
I lift my life in worship;
I'll will adore you evermore,
holy, holy Lord.

Opening Hymn: CPWI 134, Lift High The Cross

*Lift high the cross,
the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adores
his sacred Name!*

Come, Christians, follow where the Captain trod,
the King victorious, Christ the Son of God. *Refrain*

Each newborn soldier of the Crucified
bears on the brow the seal of him who died. *Refrain*

This is the sign that Satan's armies fear
and angels veil their faces to revere. *Refrain*

Saved by the Cross on which their Lord was slain,
see Adam's children their lost home regain. *Refrain*

From north and south, from east and west they raise
in growing unison their songs of praise. *Refrain*

Let every race and every language tell
of him who saves our souls from death and hell! *Refrain*

O Lord, once lifted on the tree of pain,
draw all the world to see you once again. *Refrain*

Set up your throne, that earth's despair may cease
beneath the shadow of its healing peace: *Refrain*

THE GREETING

Opening Sentence

V. Blessed be God: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia!

R. And blessed be His Kingdom, now and forever. Amen. Alleluia! Alleluia!

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Nine Fold Kyrie

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

Gloria In Excelsis

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to His people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the
Father, Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of
the Father: receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One;
you alone are the Lord:
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Collect: Almighty and everlasting God, you govern all things both in heaven and on earth:
Mercifully hear the supplications of your people, and in our time grant us your peace; through
Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and
ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Micah 6:1-8 (Margaret Tait)

Psalms 15:1-7

- 1 LORD, who may dwell in your tabernacle? *
who may abide upon your holy hill?
- 2 Whoever leads a blameless life and does what is right, *
who speaks the truth from his heart.
- 3 There is no guile upon his tongue;
he does no evil to his friend; *
he does not heap contempt upon his neighbor.
- 4 In his sight the wicked is rejected, *
but he honors those who fear the LORD.
- 5 He has sworn to do no wrong *
and does not take back his word.
- 6 He does not give his money in hope of gain, *
nor does he take a bribe against the innocent.
- 7 Whoever does these things *
shall never be overthrown.

**Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit
As it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever. Amen.**

SECOND READING: 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 (Ann Richmond)

Gradual Hymn: CPWI 511, Blest Are the Pure

1. Blest are the pure in heart,
For they shall see our God;
The secret of the Lord is theirs;
Their soul is Christ's abode.
2. The Lord, Who left the heavens
Our life and peace to bring,
To dwell in lowliness with men
Their Pattern and their King.
3. Still to the lowly soul
He doth Himself impart;
And for His dwelling and His throne
Chooseth the pure in heart.
4. Lord, we Thy presence seek;
May ours this blessing be;
Give us a pure and lowly heart,
A temple meet for Thee.

Alle- Alle- Alle-

The Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12

Alle-, Alle-, Alle-

THE SERMON: Rev. Monique Campbell

Hymn of Response: I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

1. I have decided to follow Jesus;
I have decided to follow Jesus;
I have decided to follow Jesus;
No turning back; no turning back.

2. If no one joins me, still I will follow;
If no one joins me, still I will follow;
If no one joins me, still I will follow;
No turning back; no turning back.

3. The cross before me, the world behind me;
The cross before me, the world behind me;
The cross before me, the world behind me;
No turning back, no turning back.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: Wilberforce Nicholson

Leader: Lord, there are times when life can run out of its resources, times when life can be dull and dreary. Lord, when our resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Leader: We pray for a church often appearing old and dry, a church that can be rigid in practice, unbending in attitude, a church lacking in gifts, failing to bring light and joy, seemingly running out of the richness of the gospel. We pray for our Bishops, especially Philip, Archbishop, Leon, Garth, bishops, Harold and Howard, retired bishops; and Monique and Glen, priests. We also pray for our Lay Readers and Sunday school teachers. Lord, when our resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Leader: We pray for our ever-changing world, a world often depleted of energy, running short of vision, a world misusing its resources. We pray for the rainforests, for lands where the desert is increasing, for all impoverished peoples. We pray for those who govern and hold authority in the nations, especially for our Governor General, Patrick, Prime Minister, Andrew, Leader of the Parliamentary Opposition, Mark, and all other Members of Parliament. Lord, when our resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Leader: We pray for homes that are caught up in dull routines, for homes that are not life-giving or life-restoring. We pray for those who are exhausted in caring for others. Lord, when our

resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Leader: Father, we bring before You all young people across our island home who have PEP exams in the days to come. We pray, especially for the members of our Sunday school. We ask that You give them clarity of thought, a calm spirit and the grace to do their best, even as they do not see these results as a measure of their worth. We ask that You also be with parents, guardians and teachers. Lord, when our resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Leader: We remember before You the world-weary all who find life dull and dreary, all whose lives lack sparkle and spirit. We remember the despairing and the depressed, all who are worn out, who have run out of energy. We pray in particular for sick and shut-in... Lord, when our resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Leader: We think of the time when all resources run out, when the heart stops and life ceases. We rejoice that You are the Lord who restores and redeems. You give us life which is eternal. We pray for those mourning the death of their loved ones, especially... Lord, when our resources run dry,

ALL: by Your love, transform us.

Silence for personal prayers

ALL: Lord of all power and might, giver of strength and joy, transform the poverty of our nature into the riches of Your glory; that, in changing us, Your grace and goodness may be revealed, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ACT OF PENITENCE

PRESIDENT: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive our sins, and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

A period of silence shall be kept.

PRESIDENT: Let us therefore confess our sins.

ALL: 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 neighbours as ourselves; we have not loved ourselves as we ought. 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.

THE ABSOLUTION

PRESIDENT: Almighty God, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FORM A

PRESIDENT: We are the body of Christ. By the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, and have all been made to drink of the one Spirit.

ALL: **Let us then pursue the things that make for peace and build up the common life.**

PRESIDENT: The Peace of the Lord be always with you
All: **And also with you.**

Offertory: CPWI 409, Be Thou My Vision

Be thou my vision, O Lord of my heart,
be all else but naught to me, save that thou art;
be thou my best thought in the day and the night,
both waking and sleeping, thy presence my light.

Be thou my wisdom, be thou my true word,
be thou ever with me, and I with thee, Lord;
be thou my great Father, and I thy true son;
be thou in me dwelling, and I with thee one

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Be thou my breastplate, my sword for the fight;
be thou my whole armour, be thou my true might;
be thou my soul's shelter, be thou my strong tower:
O raise thou me heavenward, great Power of my power.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise;
be thou mine inheritance now and always;
be thou and thou only the first in my heart;
O Sovereign of heaven, my treasure thou art.

High King of heaven, thou heaven's bright Sun,
O grant me its joys after victory is won;
great Heart of my own heart, whatever befall,
still be thou my vision, O Ruler of all.

THE PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERINGS:

Father, we offer you these gifts which you have given us; this bread, this wine, this money. With them we offer ourselves, our lives, and our work, to become through your Holy Spirit a reasonable, holy, and lively sacrifice. As this bread and wine become the Body and Blood of Christ, so may we and all your people become channels of your love; through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE EUCHARISTIC PRAYER

President: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

President: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

President: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

PRESIDENT: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give you thanks, Father almighty, everlasting God: ... Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

ALL

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might;
heaven and earth are full of your glory,
Hosanna in the highest!
Blessed is He who comes
in the name of the Lord,
Hosanna in the Highest!**

Form B

PRESIDENT

Holy and gracious Father, all creation rightly gives you praise. All life, all holiness, comes from you through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, whom you sent to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

We therefore bring you these gifts, and we ask you to make them holy by the power of your Spirit, that they may become the Body and Blood of your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ, who offered Himself in obedience to your will, the Perfect Sacrifice for all mankind.

On the night He was betrayed, He took bread, and when He had given thanks to you, He broke it and gave it to His disciples and said: "Take this and eat it: This is my Body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper He took the cup of wine: and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them and said: "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the New Covenant, Which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, whenever you drink it, For the remembrance of me."

ALL: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

PRESIDENT

Father, calling to mind the death your Son endured for our salvation; His glorious Resurrection and Ascension; His continual intercession for us in heaven; and looking for His coming again in glory, we offer you, in thanksgiving, this holy and life-giving sacrifice.

Look with favour on your Church's offering, and grant that we who eat and drink these holy gifts may be filled with your Holy Spirit and become one body in Christ and serve you in unity, constancy and peace.

May He make us a perpetual offering to you and enable us, in communion with blessed Mary and the whole company of heaven, to share in the inheritance of your Saints.

With Him, and in Him, and through Him, by the power of the Holy Spirit, we worship you, Father Almighty, with all who stand before you in earth and heaven in songs of everlasting praise:

ALL: Blessing and honour and glory and power be yours for ever and ever. Amen.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

President: As our Saviour has taught us so we pray...

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD:

PRESIDENT: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

ALL: **Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.**

THE AGNUS DEI

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world, grant us peace

THE INVITATION:

PRESIDENT: The Gifts of God for the people of God

ALL: Our souls will feast and be satisfied, and we will sing glad songs of praise to him.

HYMNS DURING COMMUNION:

CPWI 147, When I Survey

1. When I survey the wondrous cross
where the young Prince of Glory died,
my richest gain I count but loss,
and pour contempt on all my pride.

2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,
save in the cross of Christ, my God:
all the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to his blood.

3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet,
sorrow and love flow mingled down!
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
or thorns compose so rich a crown?

4. Were the whole realm of nature mine,
that were an offering far too small;
love so amazing, so divine,
demands my soul, my life, my all.

CPWI 619, Soul of my Saviour

1. Soul of my Saviour, sanctify my breast,
body of Christ, be thou my saving guest,
blood of my Saviour, bathe me in thy tide,
wash me with water flowing from thy side.

2. Strength and protection may thy passion be,
O blessed Jesu, hear and answer me;
deep in thy wounds, Lord, hide and shelter me,
so shall I never, never part from thee.

3. Guard and defend me from the foe malign,
in death's dread moments make me only thine;
call me and bid me come to thee on high
where I may praise thee with thy saints for ay.

CPWI 571, And Now, O Father

And now, O Father, mindful of the love
that bought us, once for all, on Calvary's tree,
and having with us him that pleads above,
we here present, we here spread forth to thee
that only offering perfect in thine eyes,
the only true, pure, immortal sacrifice

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Look, Father, look on his anointed face,
and only look on us as found in him;
look not on our misusings of thy grace,
our prayer so languid, and our faith so dim;
for lo! Between our sins and their reward
we set the passion of thy Son our Lord.

And then for those, our dearest and our best,
by this prevailing presence we appeal;
O fold them closer to thy mercy's breast,
O do thine utmost for their souls' true weal;
from tainting mischief keep them white and clear,
and crown thy gifts with strength to persevere.

And so we come; O draw us to thy feet,
most patient Saviour, who canst love us still;
and by this food, so awful and so sweet,
deliver us from every touch of ill;
in thine own service make us glad and free,
and grant us never more to part with thee.

CPWI 840, Be Still For The Presence

1. 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.

2. Be still, for the glory of the Lord
is shining all around;
he burns with holy fire,
with splendour 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.

3. 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.

Ablution: 845, Give Thanks

Give thanks with a grateful heart
give thanks unto the Holy One
give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son

*And now let the weak say, "I am strong"
let the poor say, "I am rich"
because of what the Lord has done for us; give thanks*

POST COMMUNION PRAYER:

**Eternal God and Heavenly Father,
we thank you for feeding us
with the Body and Blood
of your Son Jesus Christ.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you, and all persons in you, with gladness and singleness of heart, through
your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Closing Hymn: At The Cross

1. Alas, and did my Savior bleed?
And did my Sovereign die?
Would He devote that sacred head
For such a worm as I?

*At the cross, at the cross where
I first saw the light,
And the burden of my heart rolled away,
It was there by faith I received my sight,
And now I am happy all the day!*

2. Was it for sins that I had done
He groaned upon the tree?
Amazing pity! grace unknown!
And love beyond degree!

3. Well might the sun in darkness hide,
And shut His glories in,
When Christ, the mighty Maker, died
For man, His creature's sin.

4. Thus might I hide my blushing face
While His dear cross appears.
Dissolve my heart in thankfulness,
And melt mine eyes to tears.

5. But drops of grief can ne'er repay

The debt of love I owe;
Here, Lord, I give myself away,
'Tis all that I can do.

Prayerful Support

These are our sick and shut-in members. Remember to pray for them as well as those who care for them.

Sick: Andrea Beckford, Davida Bingham, Fitzgerald Boyd, Clifford Bradford, Vinetta Brown, Renford Davis, Fay Dickens, Norma Fletcher Trusty, Lenworth Garel, Inez Gowie, Agatha Harrison, Olive Johnson, Hugh Lyon, Leslie Latham, Winnifred Simpson, Myrtle Thomas, Annie Walsh, Rev. Vivette Jennings.

Shut-in- Leslene Duncan, Karl and Joy Fuller, Lillian Graham, Hyacinth Grierson, Kenneth and Gwendolyn Hamilton, Rev. Fr. Glenbert & Sr. Shirley Prince, Gwen Warren.

St. Saviour's, Lime Hall

Sick & Shut-in: Terrlyn Lugg, Myrtle Trusty, Evelyn Anglin, Eileen Gaynor, Hilda Jones, Winifred Senior, Kingsley Coke, Linet Robinson, Celeste Morris.

Out of Parish: Aubrey (Bobby) Creary, Lorrel Asher

St Agnes', Priory

Sick & Shut-in: Maudlyn Dyer, Merlene Higgins, Phyllis Rose, Geneva Martin, Minette Jarrett, Gladys Carter

He heals the broken hearted and supports those who are weary

Reflection

“Always do your best. What you plant now, you will harvest later”.

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Birthdays: February 1 – February 7, 2026

Natalie Brown	3
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WELCOME & NOTICES

1. We welcome all to church, especially our guests, and we ask that you continue to keep safe and share love with others.
2. We thank the Outreach Team and Donors as they assist the most vulnerable. We continue our collections on first Sundays.
3. We have Mass on Wednesday at 7am. This is followed by Bible Study.
4. We have Bible Study on Wednesday evening at 6pm-face to face and on Zoom. (Please ask

the People's Warden for the link)

5. Members are asked to return their Palm Crosses by February 15th so that they can be burned for Ash Wednesday.
6. Funeral service for Delroy Walker is on Saturday, February 7 at the United Pentecostal Church, Steer Town St. Ann at 11am.
7. Provincial Sunday will be February 8th. The Church in the Province of the West Indies (CPWI) is made of 8 diocese- Jamaica and the Cayman Islands, Bahamas and Turks and Caicos, Barbados, Belize, Trinidad and Tobago, Guyana, Suriname and Cayenne, North Eastern Caribbean and Aruba (NECA) and Windward Islands. A second collection will be taken for the Province.
8. Confirmation classes begin on February 1, 2026 at 4pm
9. AYF meets weekly on Sundays at 5:15pm in the church hall.
10. Deanery Council is on Saturday, February 14th @ 9:30am @ the St. Ann's Bay Church. All synod representatives, Sunday school teachers and Deanery Council representatives are to be in attendance.
11. Our Cure Service on Ash Wednesday service will be on February 18th @ 9:30am. Please remember that it is a day we ought to fast. Thus, we encourage you to do so until noon.
12. We offer prayerful support to Julia Miller and family. Her mother, Doreen Reid, has died. The funeral is on February 21st @ 11am.
13. Our Cure Planning Meeting is on February 28th at 10am. All committee members are expected to attend and a representative from each organization.

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany February 8, 2026 (Green)

First Reading: Isaiah 58:1-9a

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 2:1-12

Psalm: 112:1-9, 10

Prayers of the people:

Gospel: Matthew 5:13-20

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