

The Diocese of Jamaica & The Cayman Islands

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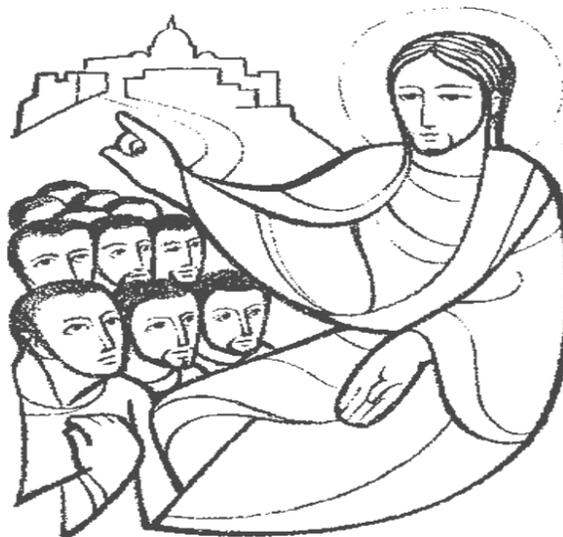
St. Ann's Bay Cure

St. Anne's: 8:00am

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

Year A

February 8, 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 393, Break Thou The Bread

1. Break thou the bread of life,
Dear Lord, to me,
As thou didst break the loaves
Beside the sea;
Beyond the sacred page
I seek thee, Lord;
My spirit pants for thee,
O living Word.

2. Thou art the bread of life,
O Lord, to me,
Thy holy word the truth
That saveth me;
Give me to eat and live
With thee above;
Teach me to love thy truth,
For thou art love.

3. O send thy Spirit, Lord,
Now unto me,
That he may touch my eyes,
And make me see;
Show me the truth concealed
Within thy word,
And in thy book revealed
I see the Lord.

4. Bless thou the truth, dear Lord,
To me, to me,
As thou didst bless the bread

By Galilee;
Then shall all bondage cease,
All fetters fall,
And I shall find my peace,
My all in all.

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: Set us free, O God, from the bondage of our sins, and give us the liberty of that abundant life which you have made known to us in your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

FIRST READING: Isaiah 58:1-9a (Margaret Tait)

Psalm 112:1-9

1 Hallelujah!

Happy are they who fear the Lord *
and have great delight in his commandments!

2 Their descendants will be mighty in the land; *
the generation of the upright will be blessed.

3 Wealth and riches will be in their house, *
and their righteousness will last for ever.

4 Light shines in the darkness for the upright; *
the righteous are merciful and full of compassion.

5 It is good for them to be generous in lending *
and to manage their affairs with justice.

6 For they will never be shaken; *
the righteous will be kept in everlasting remembrance.

7 They will not be afraid of any evil rumors; *
their heart is right;
they put their trust in the Lord.

8 Their heart is established and will not shrink, *
until they see their desire upon their enemies.

9 They have given freely to the poor, *
and their righteousness stands fast for ever;
they will hold up their head with honor.

**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 2:1-12 (Jacqueline Buchanan)

Gradual Hymn: This Little Light of Mine

1. This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine.
This little light of mine,
I'm gonna let it shine,
let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

2. Out in the darkest night,
I'm gonna let it shine.
Out in the darkest night,
I'm gonna let it shine.
Out in the darkest night,
I'm gonna let it shine,

let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

3. Deep down in my soul,
I'm gonna let it shine.
Deep down in my soul,
I'm gonna let it shine.
Deep down in my soul,
I'm gonna let it shine,
let it shine, let it shine, let it shine.

Alle- Alle- Alle-

The Gospel: Matthew 5:13-20

Alle-, Alle-, Alle-

THE SERMON: Rev. Monique Campbell

Hymn of Response: Open My Eyes That I May See

1. Open my eyes that I may see
Glimpses of truth Thou hast for me;
Place in my hands the wonderful key
That shall unclasp and set me free.

*Silently now I wait for Thee,
Ready, my God, Thy will to see;
Open my eyes, illumine me,
Spirit Divine!*

2. Open my ears that I may hear
Voices of truth Thou sendest clear;
And while the wave notes fall on my ear,
Everything false will disappear.

3. Open my mouth and let me bear
Tidings of mercy everywhere;
Open my heart and let me prepare
Love with Thy children thus to share.

4. Open my mind that I may read
More of Thy love in word and deed;
What shall I fear while yet Thou dost lead?
Only for light from Thee I plead.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE: Livingston Green

Leader: We give thanks to You, O Father, for the light that shines in our lives through Christ our Lord. Fill Your church with that light, that it may be a light to all nations, that we may proclaim Your presence and Your glory. We pray for all visionaries, for all who patiently wait upon You. We pray for all who have dedicated their lives to You, for all who work in Your church today. We remember especially those who have served You faithfully for many years. We pray for the growth of our church. We pray for our Bishops, especially Philip, Archbishop, Leon and Garth, bishops, Harold and Howard, retired bishops; and Monique and Glen, priests. We also pray for our Lay Readers and Sunday school teachers. Light of Christ,

ALL: scatter the darkness from Your world.

Leader: We pray for the nations who have difficult decisions to make and are not sure which way to turn. We pray for all who strive to bring in justice, to free the oppressed, to share with the hungry, to house the homeless and to care for the poor. We pray for leaders who feel they are working in the dark, for all who cannot find answers to the problems before them. 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. Light of Christ,

ALL: scatter the darkness from Your world.

Leader: We pray that the dark places of our hearts and all dark deeds will be done away. That the darkness may be dispersed from our communities, that sin and vice, greed and violence may be done away, that our homes may be places of peace and light. Light of Christ,

ALL: scatter the darkness from Your world.

Leader: Father, we bring before You all young people across our island home who will sit the 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. Light of Christ,

ALL: scatter the darkness from Your world.

Leader: We pray that all who walk in darkness and in the shadow of death may see Your light. We remember all who have lost hope, all who have ceased to trust. We pray for all captives, for the hungry and the homeless. We pray for all who are in sickness, especially... May Your healing be known among them. Light of Christ,

ALL: scatter the darkness from Your world.

Leader: We give thanks that life is eternal. We remember those mourning loved ones who have gone before us and are in the fullness of light in Your kingdom. We pray that one day we may all walk in that light. ...Light of Christ,

ALL: scatter the darkness from Your world.

Silence for personal prayers

Prayer for the Provincial family:

ALL: Almighty and Everlasting God, source of all wisdom, peace, and grace, look mercifully upon Your Church throughout this Province. Bind us together in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace. Remove from us all pride, division, and hardness of heart, that we may serve You with humility, compassion, and steadfast love. Grant that our words and deeds may reflect the light of Christ, and that our shared ministry may strengthen the weak, comfort the weary, and bring hope to all who seek Your saving presence. Unite us in purpose, guide us in truth, and empower us for faithful service, so that in all things Your holy name may be glorified. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ALL: God of grace, God of glory, guide us by Your goodness, that we may walk in Your ways, seek to do Your will, and worship You always; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. 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 529, Lord, The Light

1. Lord, the light of your love is shining,
in the midst of the darkness, shining:
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us;
set us free by the truth you now bring us
shine on me, shine on me.

*Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory;
blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;
send forth your word, Lord and let there be light!*

2. Lord, I come to your awesome presence,
from the shadows into your radiance;
by your blood I may enter your brightness:
search me, try me, consume all my darkness
shine on me, shine on me.

3. As we gaze on your kingly brightness
so our faces display your likeness,
ever changing from glory to glory:
mirrored here, may our lives tell your story
shine on me, shine on me.

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.

CPWI 270, Come Down, O Love

1. Come down, O Love divine,
seek thou this soul of mine,
and visit it with thine own ardour glowing;
O Comforter, draw near,
within my heart appear,
and kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing.

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.

2. O let it freely burn,
till earthly passions turn
to dust and ashes in its heat consuming;
and let thy glorious light
shine ever on my sight,
and clothe me round, the while my path illuming.

3. Let holy charity
mine outward vesture be,
and lowliness become mine inner clothing:
true lowliness of heart,
which takes the humbler part,
and o'er its own shortcomings weeps with loathing.

CPWI 256, Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee

1. Jesus, the very thought of Thee
With sweetness fills the breast;
But sweeter far Thy Face to see,
And in thy presence rest.

2. No voice can sing, no heart can frame,
Nor can the memory find,
A sweeter sound than Jesu's Name,
The Saviour of mankind.

5. Jesus, our only Joy be Thou,
As Thou our prize wilt be;
In Thee be all our glory now,
And through eternity.

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**

4. And so the yearning strong,
with which the soul will long,
shall far outpass the power of human telling;
for none can guess its grace,
till he become the place
wherein the Holy Spirit makes his dwelling.

3. O hope of every contrite heart,
O joy of all the meek,
To those who fall, how kind Thou art,
How good to those who seek!

4. But what to those who find? Ah! this
Nor tongue nor pen can show;
The love of Jesus, what it is
None but His loved ones know.

Closing Hymn: 313, God of Grace

1. God of grace and God of glory,
on thy people pour thy power;
now fulfil thy church's story;
bring her bud to glorious flower.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
for the facing of this hour,
for the facing of this hour.

2. Lo, the hosts of evil round us
scorn thy Christ, assail his ways;
from the fears that long have bound us
free our hearts to faith and praise.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
for the living of these days,
for the living of these days.

3. Cure thy children's warring madness,
bend our pride to thy control;
shame our wanton selfish gladness,
rich in goods and poor in soul.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
lest we miss thy kingdom's goal,
lest we miss thy kingdom's goal.

4. Set our feet on lofty places,
gird our lives that they may be
armoured with all Christ like graces
in the fight to set men free.
Grant us wisdom,
grant us courage,
that we fail not man nor thee,
that we fail not man nor thee.

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

“By being yourself, you put something wonderful in the world that was not there before.”

Edwin Elliot

Birthdays: February 8 – February 14, 2026

Durrant Whyte	9
Kemar Morrison	10
Olive Johnson	10
Susan Jefferson	12
Clarence Watson	12
Venae Darby	14

Anniversary 2026

Christopher/ Antoinette Pinnock	13	35years
Roy/Maureen Walters	14	13years
Brian/ Deidra Pottinger	14	13years

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. Provincial Sunday is today, 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.
6. Members are asked to return their Palm Crosses by February 15th so that they can be burned for Ash Wednesday.
7. Confirmation continue today at 4pm
8. AYF meets weekly on Sundays at 5:15pm in the church hall.
9. 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.
10. 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.
11. We offer prayerful support to Julia Miller and family. Her mother, Doreen Reid, has died. The funeral is on February 21st @ 11am.
12. Our Cure Planning Meeting is on February 28th at 10am @ St. Agnes' Mission, Priory. All committee members are expected to attend and a representative from each organization.
13. We offer support to the family of Claude Graham. His funeral is March 14th @ 11am.

Last Sunday after the Epiphany February 15, 2026 (Green)

First Reading: Exodus 24:12-18 (M. Monteith)

Second Reading: 2Peter 1:16-21 (BSA)

Psalm: 2

Prayers of the people: (Eric Smith)

Gospel: Matthew 17

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