

Weekly Notices

Sunday 29th June

Sunday School at St. Francis after 6:30 am Mass
Sunday School at St. Mark's at 3:30 pm

Sunday 6th July

Holy Eucharist at St. George's at 8:30 am

1. Readings for Sunday 6th July, 2008
Old Testament Lesson: StG.Com - Zachariah 9: 9-12
The Epistle: Romans 7: 21- 8:6
Intercessions: StG.Com - Form D
2. Persons are kindly asked to contact Fr. Rohim at 461-3154 for inquiries of Baptism, Weddings, or any other matters of the Parish.
3. Persons are kindly asked to contact Ms. Loretta Ireland at 461-0125 or Mr. Bertrand Phillip 562-0089 for sponsorship of bulletins or flowers.
4. **Mother's Union** meetings are held every 2nd and 4th Sundays at 4:30 pm at alternate venues every month; i.e. one month at St. Mark's Chapel and the following month at St. Francis Chapel at 4:30 pm. All members please take note and be present.
5. **The Brotherhood** meets at 6:00 pm every 1st and 3rd Mondays at St. Mark's Chapel. All members are asked to please take note and be present.
6. **The Friends of St. Francis** meets at 7:30 pm every 2nd & 4th Mondays at St. Francis Chapel. All members are asked to please take note and be present.
7. **StG.Com (St. George's on the Move)** meets at 7:30 pm every Tuesday at St. Mark's Chapel. All members are asked to please take note and be present.
8. **The St. George's Choir** meets at 7:30 pm every Thursday at St. Mark's Chapel. All members are asked to please take note and be present.
9. **St. George's Youth Choir** meets every Saturday at 3:00 pm at St. Mark's. All members are please asked to take note and be present.

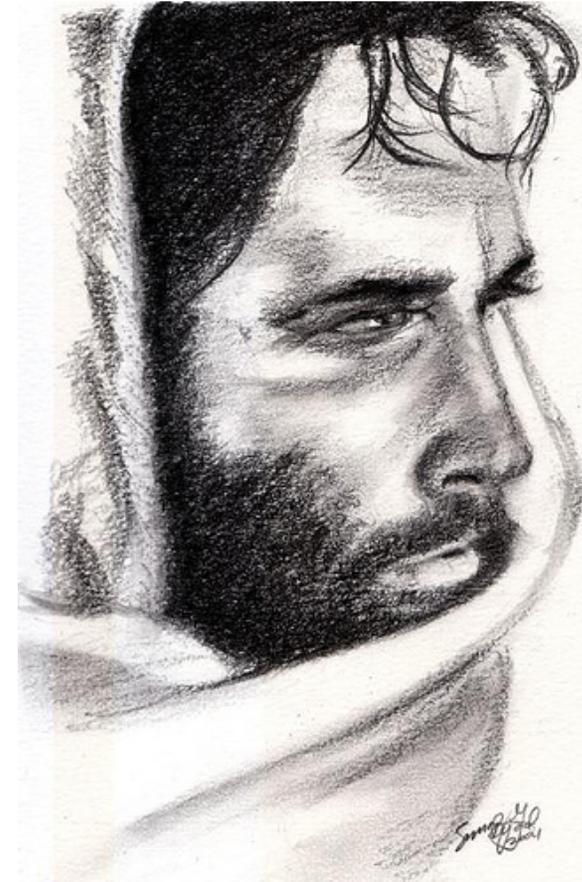
PRAY FOR THE SICK AND SHUT-INS:

Maurice Barnes, Inez Bass (Montserrat), Ashby Benjamin, Casilda Bloodman, George Lastus Bradshaw, Carolyn Browne, Fitzroy Carr, Sheila Carty, Chanee Chalon (St. Thomas), Mildred Chiddick, Barbara Kaye Clarke-Daniel, Henry Daley, Mymin Davis (England), Hilton "Loud" Destin, Cynthia Dublin, Margaret Ithmay Dublin, Olga Dublin, Glenfield Francis, Edgar Freeland, Eustace Gardner, George Gloade, Carolyn Gordon (Guyana), Eunice Grant, Samuel Grant, Errol Hector, Enid Henry, Alston Isaac, Daren James, Jacqueline James (London), Rupert James, Uriel James, Eunice Jonas, Kathleen Joseph (U.S.A.), Foster King, Leonard "Reds" King, Ruth King, Cavelle Lewis, George Lewis, Iona Lewis, Walbridge Lewis, Agatha Martin, Amanda Martin, Alfred Matthew, Dereen Matthew (U.S.A.), Enroy Matthew, Henrietta Osbourne, Kelly Paul, Yvonne Peters, Charlene Phillip, Solomie Phillip, Fitzroy Ramsey (St. Maarten), Daisy Richards, Wills Richards, Doris Matthew-Robins, Frances Samuel, Mavis Samuel, Delores Solomon, Arden Thomas, Tracelyn Thomas (Canada), William Thomas, Cecilia Thompson (Blue Waters), Leona Tittle-Minette, Yvette Tomlinson, Alphonso Tonge, Gabriel Wade, Dorilyn Warner, Phyllis White, Rachel Williams, Vivianna Williams.

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PENTECOST VIII



RECTOR: THE REV. FR. JOHN ROHIM

DEACONS: THE REV. CATHERINE EDWARDS, THE REV. GEORGE RICHARDS
LAY MINISTERS: MR. ALSTON ISAAC, MR. AUSTIN SMITH
EUCARIST MINISTERS: MARK FRANCIS, JULIUS GORE & WALTER BERRIDGE
THE VESTRY: ALSTON ISAAC, BERTRAND PHILLIP, LORRAINE DAVIS,
LORETTA IRELAND, JULIUS GORE, AUSTIN SMITH, CAREY THOMPSON,
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PUT ON OUR ARMOUR AS SOLDIERS OF LIGHT LET CHRIST JESUS HIMSELF BE THE ARMOUR THAT YOU WEAR. (ROM.: 12,14)

YEAR A Pentecost VIII 29th June, 2008

Processional Hymn	A&M 2
The Introit	A&M 37
Opening Sentences	BCP pg. 98 or pg. 100
Collect for Purity et al	BCP pg. 101
Kyrie, Gloria	BCP pg. 102
Collect	BCP pg. 175 - Proper 8
First Lesson	Isaiah 2: 10-17
Psalms	Psalms 89 vs. 1-4, 15-18 BCP pg.583
The Epistle	Romans 6: 3-11
Gradual Hymn	A&M 181
Gospel	Matthew 10: 34-42
Hymn before the Sermon	MP 459 verses 1 & 4
The Sermon	
The Creed	BCP pg. 104
Intercessions	Form C - BCP pg. 108
Act of Penitence	BCP pg. 123 or pg. 124
The Absolution	BCP pg. 124
The Peace	BCP pg. 124 or pg. 125
The Welcome and Notices	
Children's Hymn	MP 680
Birthday & Anniversary Blessing	
The Offertory Hymns	MP 468, MP 397
Presentation of the Offerings	BCP pg. 126
Sursum Corda	BCP pg. 126
Eucharistic Prayer	BCP pg. 131 (A)
The Lord's Prayer	BCP pg. 144
Agnus Dei	BCP pg. 147
Communion Hymns	A&M 721, A&M 320, MP 573 MP 605, MP 746
Blessing of the Children	
Walk Up Offertory	MP 1
Post Communion Prayer	BCP pg. 147 or pg. 148
The Blessing	
Recessional Hymn	MP 617

LISTENING TO THE SERMON

Listen to the message from God's Word. Use this sheet to make some personal notes.

Keep them for the purpose of reference, study and remembrance.

SERMON TITLE:

BIBLICAL TEXT:

MAIN IDEA OF THE SERMON:

POINT(S) TO REMEMBER:

WHAT SHOULD I DO AS A RESULT OF HEARING THIS SERMON :

OUR 321 YEARS ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS WILL TAKE PLACE AT ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH ON SUNDAY 12TH OCTOBER, 2008 AT 8:30 AM.

In keeping with our Bishop's request to engage in programmes to strengthen home and family life, we will be focusing on the family. Each communicant member is encouraged to invite their God Child/Children and their family to the service on 12th October. Offering envelopes will be distributed to all persons invited to the Service.

Each working person is asked to put aside three hundred and twenty-one dollars (\$321.00), one dollar for each year of Anglican work at St. George's



Please ensure that all electronic devices are switched off so that we can honor the spirit of reverence that prevails as we, the people of God, worship together.

"Be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent, for this is the House of God.

Before the service, speak to the Lord.

During the Service, let the Lord speak to you.

After the service, speak to one another."



Today's Readings

First Lesson: Isaiah 2: 10-17

¹⁰ Enter into the rock, and hide in the dust from before the terror of the LORD, and from the glory of his majesty. ¹¹ The haughty looks of man shall be brought low, and the pride of men shall be humbled; and the LORD alone will be exalted in that day. ¹² For the LORD of hosts has a day against all that is proud and lofty, against all that is lifted up and high; ¹³ against all the cedars of Lebanon, lofty and lifted up; and against all the oaks of Bashan; ¹⁴ against all the high mountains, and against all the lofty hills; ¹⁵ against every high tower, and against every fortified wall; ¹⁶ against all the ships of Tarshish, and against all the beautiful craft. ¹⁷ And the haughtiness of man shall be humbled, and the pride of men shall be brought low; and the LORD alone will be exalted in that day.



The Epistle: Romans 6: 3-11

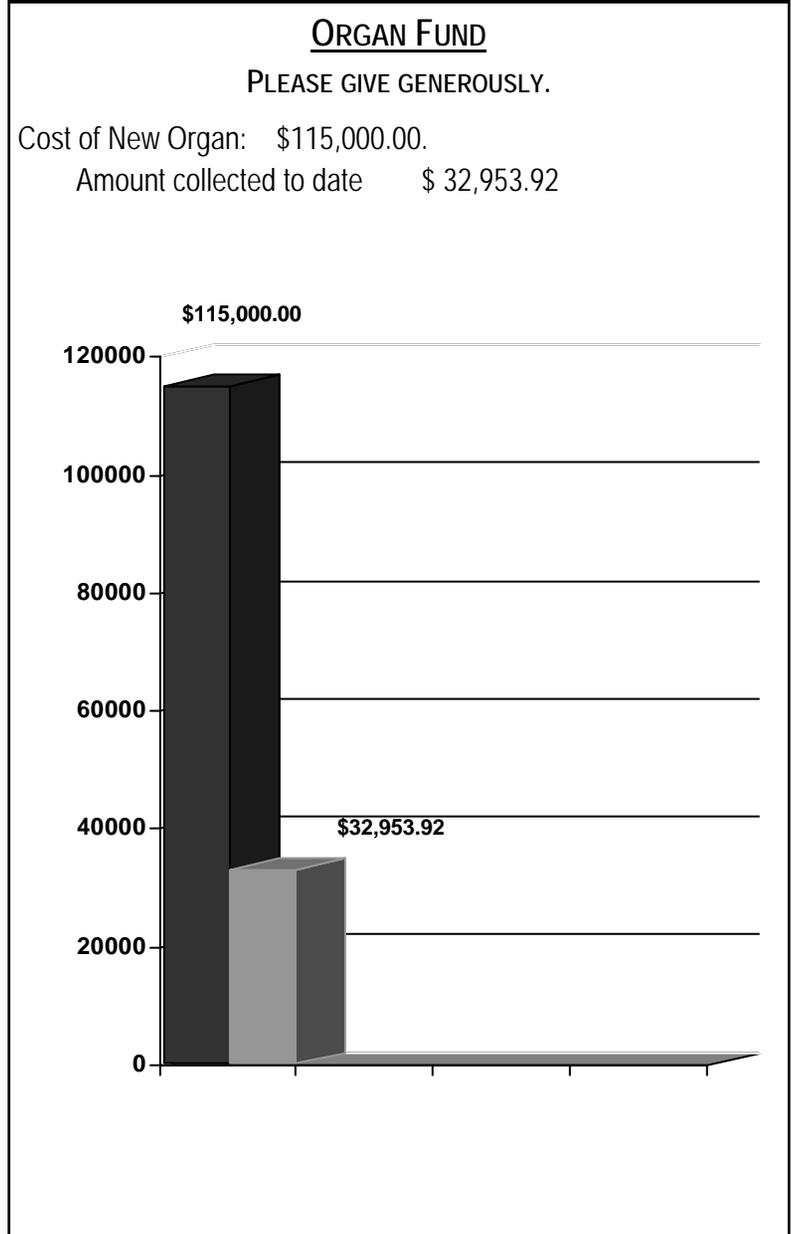
³ Do you not know that all of us who have been baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death? ⁴ We were buried therefore with him by baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might walk in newness of life. ⁵ For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. ⁶ We know that our old self was crucified with him so that the sinful body might be destroyed, and we might no longer be enslaved to sin. ⁷ For he who has died is freed from sin. ⁸ But if we have died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with him. ⁹ For we know that Christ being raised from the dead will never die again; death no longer has dominion over him. ¹⁰ The death he died he died to sin, once for all, but the life he lives he lives to God. ¹¹ So you also must consider yourselves dead to sin and alive to God in Christ Jesus.



The Gospel: Matthew 10: 34-42

³⁴ "Do not think that I have come to bring peace on earth; I have not come to bring peace, but a sword.

Our Walk-Up Collection goes to the Organ Fund.
Please give generously.



Treasurer's Corner

Sunday 22nd June, 2008

The Treasurer's Corner is designed to provide weekly information on church offerings as well as attendance. It is also intended to apprise parishioners of the importance of supporting the various ministries within the Church.

Your generous contribution is most appreciated.

Attendance at St. George's Parish Church:

Congregation 274

Communicants 118

Stewardship	\$ 3,543.10
Loose	1,022.63
Walk-Up	562.54
Baptismal Offering	865.00
Wedding Anniversary	140.00
Dinner Tickets	640.00
Choir Contribution to Organ Fund	1,000.00
Loan	463.51
Social Outreach	425.00
** Others	175.00

Total church offerings for Sunday 22nd June, 2008 was \$8,836.78. *Others represent:- Confirmation Offering, Easter, New Year's, Parish Projects, Insurance.

Copies of the corrected Prayer Books are available for a cost of EC \$ 30.00. Please contact Fr. John Rohim.

³⁵ For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law; ³⁶ and a man's foes will be those of his own household. ³⁷ He who loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me; and he who loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me; ³⁸ and he who does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. ³⁹ He who finds his life will lose it, and he who loses his life for my sake will find it. ⁴⁰ "He who receives you receives me, and he who receives me receives him who sent me. ⁴¹ He who receives a prophet because he is a prophet shall receive a prophet's reward, and he who receives a righteous man because he is a righteous man shall receive a righteous man's reward. ⁴² And whoever gives to one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he shall not lose his reward."



Members of the Congregation who are unable to come to the Altar for the Sacrament of Holy Communion and who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to indicate this to any of the Ushers before the distribution of the Sacrament begins.

We would like to extend a warm St. George's welcome to all those who are visiting with us for the first time or the first in a long time.



*"We embrace you all with enthusiasm,
with open hearts, open minds, open doors;
and we hope that you will enjoy sharing
fellowship with us."*

If you are **curious** and have come to **see**, if you are **weary** and have come to find **rest**, if you are **grateful** and have come to give **thanks**, if you are **hurting** and have come for **solace**, if you are **listening** and have come to **pray**, if you are **seeking** and have come for **answers**, **WELCOME**.

CONGRATULATIONS

to all celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries
today or during the week.

*"MAY YOU HAVE ALL THE JOY YOUR HEART CAN HOLD
ALL THE SMILES A DAY CAN BRING
ALL THE BLESSINGS A LIFE CAN UNFOLD.
MAY YOU HAVE GOD'S BEST IN EVERYTHING"*



MAY THE LORD BLESS YOUR BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY.

Please remember that our Social Outreach Ministry continues every Wednesday. 50 persons (Senior Citizens) receive Lunch from us. The future of this Ministry is dependant upon your generous response. **PLEASE** remember to give either in cash or kind.

If you wish to bring a grocery item, please note the following:

Rice / Flour / Meats / Seasoning / Vegetables / Food Boxes / Forks / Napkins / Cups. Can and bottle items are recommended.

It would be most appreciated if someone can make available to the Church a large basket to collect food items on Sundays.

Parishioners are encouraged to bring non-perishables to assist in this programme.

Correction to Church Income for Month of May, 2008

1st Sunday	General Account	\$ 2,816.72	
	Building Account	\$ 1,638.80	
2nd Sunday	General Account	\$ 5,410.64	
	Building Account	\$ 5,910.10	
3rd Sunday	General Account		Trinity Sunday
	Building Account		Trinity Sunday
4th Sunday	General Account	\$ 8,037.52	
	Building Account	\$ 2,987.32	
	Total	<u>\$26,801.10</u>	

Expenses for the month of May, 2008

Personal Emoluments	\$ 5,095.00
Cable & Wireless (Utilities)	\$ 305.63
Quota	\$ 3,238.13
NECA (Loan)	\$ 3,000.00
Bus Transportation	\$ 150.00
Car Maintenance (including gasoline)	\$ 1,033.00
Regional Council (Trinity Service)	\$ 500.00
Social Outreach	\$ 200.00
St. Mark's Fund (St.G.Com)	\$ 2,000.00
Reimbursement	\$ 763.51
ACB Loan #1	\$ 2,500.00
ACB Loan #2	\$ 850.00
Insurance on Church	\$ 1,333.00
Total	<u>\$ 20,968.27</u>

Treasurer's Corner

Correction to Information of Sunday 8th June, 2008

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Your generous contribution is most appreciated.

Attendance at St. George's Parish Church:

Congregation	271
Communicants	91

Stewardship	\$ 1,986.25
Loose	1,065.81
Walk-Up	562.80
Social Outreach	195.00
Loan	265.42
Organ Fund	150.00
Parish Projects	160.00
Birthday	100.00
** Others	25.26

Total church offerings for Sunday 8th June, 2008 was \$ 4,510.54

*Others represent:- Easter and Insurance.

Please take note that this year there will be no Summer Youth Retreat. However, instead a Back to School Retreat will be held in September. Further details will follow.

This week's Bulletins and the Flowers on the Altar are sponsored by Marcelle and Patrick Richards in thanksgiving to God for 30 years of marriage.



On Your Anniversary

The Blessing of the Lord is upon your lives.
May the one who brought your lives together
continue to bring good things to you -

Hope to fill your days
Joy to fill your lives
Love to fill your hearts.

Happy Anniversary!

"Being Confident of this very thing, that He which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ."

Philippians 1:6

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the father".

James 1:17

Prayer for the New Organ

Almighty God, who through the gift of music hath given us a revelation of Thy divine beauty: Teach us to love Thee in all Thy gifts and so to devote ourselves in all our work. Help us to give generously towards our new organ in order that, through music, we may raise men and women from the sorrows of this world to the enjoyment of thy divine loveliness. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.