

ROGATION SUNDAY

MAY 17TH, 2009

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

OUR MISSION

The Mission of St. Matthew's Church is to be: Joyfully rooted in Christ through worship, education and spiritual discipline; and alive in the Spirit in Christian Fellowship where our gifts are used to reveal God's love.

7:15am EUCHARIST: HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE

(Order of service: page 101 Book of Common Prayer)

Organist: Mrs. Marge Knowles

Introit Hymn **131 A&M**

Preparation Prayer

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Collect for Purity; The kyrie

Collect

1st Lesson

Neil Dillette

Acts 15:19-30

Psalm 33:1-8

CHOIR

2nd Lesson

Berchadette Moss

1 John 4:7-21

Gradual Hymn:

132 A&M

The Gospel: John 15:9-17

The Sermon

Fr. Don Haynes

Intercessions:**F**

Gerald Hepburn

Act of Penetence, The Absolution; Greeting of Peace (page 123-125)

The Announcements

The Offertory Hymn

142 A&M

Presentation of Offerings:

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The Eucharistic Prayer: **Pages 131 – 144 (BCP)**

The Sanctus

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Eucharistic Prayer Cont'd

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The Lord's Prayer

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Breaking of Bread

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The Invitation

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The Agnus Dei

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Communion Hymns

200, 280, 285 RED

Post Communion Prayer, The Dismissal;

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Recessional Hymn

140 A&M

Chalice Bearers

NevilleDavis, Thomas Treco

Ushers: 7:15am: *Troy Ward Jr., Haille Bostwick, Danielle Perigord, Shannon Perigord, Rogann Forbes, Dominique Collie Jr.

10:30am EUCHARISTIC/HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE:

(Order of service: page 98, BCP) **Organist: Mrs. Vivienne Francis**

Introit Hymn 258 127 A&M

Preparation Prayer: **Page 98**

Collect for Purity: The Kyrie

Collect for the Day

1st Lesson: **YOUTH**

Acts 11:19-30

Psalm 33:1-8

CHOIR

2nd Lesson:

YOUTH

1 John 4:7-21

Gradual Hymn: 143 A&M

Gospel: **John 15:9-17**

Sermon Fr. Don Haynes

The Nicene Creed (**Page 104 BCP**)

The Intercession:F **YOUTH**

Act of Penitence; The Absolution; The Greeting of Peace: **Page 123 – 125**

The Collection **CHOIR**

Element Bearers: **YOUTH**

The Announcements

The Offertory Hymn 142 A&M

The Eucharistic Prayer: **Pages 131 – 144 (BCP)**

The Sanctus 135

Eucharistic Prayer Cont'd 144

The Lord's Prayer 144

Breaking of Bread 145

The Invitation 145

The Agnus Dei 147

Communion Hymns: **200, 280, 285 RED**

Post Communion Prayer, The Dismissal; **Pages 147 – 149 (BCP)**

The Children's Hymn

Recessional Hymn 140 A&M

Chalice Bearers: **Princess Butler, Jackie Mycklewhyte**

Ushers: 10:30am *Charmaine Saunders, Hallnika Bodie, Alexandria Curry, Alexine Curry, Inga Darville, Ayshah Elliot, Tonia Heastie

7:00pm: Solemn Evensong, Sermon & Benediction

Officiant: Jackie Mycklewhyte

Organist: Mrs. Princes Butler

The Opening Hymn:

Psalm:

1st Lesson: Kirk Seymour

Office Hymn:

Magnificat: BCP page 67

2nd Lesson: Dorothea Davis

Nunc Dimitis; Creed & Prayers

Hymn; Sermon & Benediction

COLLECT:

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.

The First Lesson: Acts 11:19-30

Now those who were scattered because of the persecution that took place over Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, and they spoke the word to no one except Jews. But among them were some men of Cyprus and Cyrene who, on coming to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists also, proclaiming the Lord Jesus. The hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number became believers and turned to the Lord. News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. When he came and saw the grace of God, he rejoiced, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast devotion; for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were brought to the Lord. Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for an entire year they met with the church and taught a great many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called "Christians." At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius. The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.

READER: The Word of the Lord

ALL: Thanks be to God

Psalm 33:1-8

Exultate, justi

- 1 Rejoice in the LORD, you righteous; * it is good for the just to sing praises.
- 2 Praise the LORD with the harp; * play to him upon the psaltery and lyre.
- 3 Sing for him a new song; * sound a fanfare with all your skill upon the trumpet.
- 4 For the word of the LORD is right, * and all his works are sure.
- 5 He loves righteousness and justice; * the loving-kindness of the LORD fills the whole earth.
- 6 By the word of the LORD were the heavens made, * by the breath of his mouth all the heavenly hosts.

7 He gathers up the waters of the ocean as in a water-skin * and stores up the depths of the sea.

8 Let all the earth fear the LORD; * let all who dwell in the world stand in awe of him.

LEADER: Glory to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

RESPONSE: As it was in the beginning is now and shall be forever Amen

The Epistle: 1 John 4:7-21

Beloved, let us love one another, because love is from God; everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. Whoever does not love does not know God, for God is love. God's love was revealed among us in this way: God sent his only Son into the world so that we might live through him. In this is love, not that we loved God but that he loved us and sent his Son to be the atoning sacrifice for our sins. Beloved, since God loved us so much, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God lives in us, and his love is perfected in us. By this we know that we abide in him and he in us, because he has given us of his Spirit. And we have seen and do testify that the Father has sent his Son as the Savior of the world. God abides in those who confess that Jesus is the Son of God, and they abide in God. So we have known and believe the love that God has for us. God is love, and those who abide in love abide in God, and God abides in them. Love has been perfected among us in this: that we may have boldness on the day of judgment, because as he is, so are we in this world. There is no fear in love, but perfect love casts out fear; for fear has to do with punishment, and whoever fears has not reached perfection in love. We love because he first loved us. Those who say, "I love God," and hate their brothers or sisters, are liars; for those who do not love a brother or sister whom they have seen, cannot love God whom they have not seen. The commandment we have from him is this: those who love God must love their brothers and sisters also.

READER: The Word of the Lord

ALL: Thanks be to God

The Gospel: John 15:9-17

Jesus said to his disciples, "As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. I have said these things to you so that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be complete. "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another."

LEADER: This is the Gospel of Christ

ALL: Praise to Christ our Lord

NO GREATER LOVE!

“This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.” (John 15.12).

In the Gospel appointed for today Jesus talks about the love that binds Him to the Father, and the love that should bind us to Him and to the Father and to no other. Jesus’ love is modeled to that of the Father’s love, and we should model our love after His.

But we cannot give love unless we have first received it. This applies to Jesus too. Jesus said to His disciples, “As the father has loved me, so I have loved you”. The love He shared with His disciples (and with us) was the love He received from the Father, and from Mary, Joseph and other people to with whom He related.

Some people (even Christians) believe that it is a sign of weakness to admit their need for love, and some do not express love openly for fear that they will be considered “soft”. But as Christians we know that it is the commandment of Jesus that we show love and be grateful for the love we receive. Then there are some Christians (and some church members) who only want to receive love and not give it. They will crucify you for the slightest mistake you make rather than show you love. Some people think you have to earn their love. But the love of God is a free gift, and it should be the same for us.

As far as God’s love is concerned, we don’t have to earn it. It is God who first loved us. God loves us, not because we are good, but because He is good. Our very existence is a sign of God’s love, and the forgiveness He offers to us was given by the greatest expression of love: Jesus on the cross. Jesus said, “Greater love has no man than this, to lay down one’s life for his friends”. All we have to do is to receive God’s gift of love and share it with one another.

Jesus talks about love and joy in the same breath, because they are intimately connected. Joy is the fruit of love. Joy is an overflowing heart. The amount of joy we have is in proportion to the amount of love we share with others. If then we are not as joyful as we should be, perhaps it is telling us something...that our love for one another is not enough!

Love makes life fruitful. To refuse to love is to begin to die. To love is to begin to live. Few get the opportunity of showing that kind of love by dying for others. But we all have the opportunity to live for others, especially fellow Christian travelers. Love is costly. The way of love is the way of the cross (as Jesus demonstrates), and it is only through the cross that we come to the resurrection of Jesus. There is nothing terrible about suffering a little on earth if it teaches us how to love. Love is not just a command given to us by Jesus, it is our Christian vocation.

There is a simple prayer that goes like this: “Lord, don’t let me die yet, because I have not loved enough”. It is a prayer we all would do well to make our own.

Fr. Jimmy M.

WELCOME

We welcome all who are sharing in our worship services today and pray that they may be well fed spiritually, by the Word and Sacrament and strengthened by the fellowship of believers.

A.C.W NEWS

A.C.W Annual Conference to be held from Saturday, May 16th – 21st, 2009.

The Conference theme for 2009, “Anglican Church Women – Continuing Our Heritage”

Conference Venue: All Saints Anglican Church

Members attending the Conference will be charged a fee of \$5.00 to be presented as a Love Gift of Bishop Elden’s sister to assist with Medical Bills.

Procession is today at 3:00p.m Mass at the Christ Church Cathedral at 4:00p.m.

Monday 18th 2009, at 8:00a.m. Mass, Annual General Meeting, Lunch (Cost \$10.00,) afternoon workshop, Evening Speaker

Tuesday May 19th, 2009 Mass Tour of Christ Church Cathedral, St. Matthew’s Anglican Church and St. Margaret’s, Lunch.

Wednesday May 30th, 2009 Central Andros Day-Away M/V Sea Link (\$90.00)

Thursday, May 21st, 2009 Guest Speaker, Bishop Laish Boyd, Elections, Installation of Officers, Conclusion, Mass, Lunch, Culture Show.

A.C.M

All the men are asked to submit there e-mail addresses to the Secretary of the A.C.M Maurice Isaacs for a monthly news letter and also indicate if they want the minutes on hard copy.

ST. MARY THE VIRGIN CHURCH

Will celebrate theie 165th Anniversary of dedication luncheon on Sunday July 5th, 2009 at the Sandals Royal Bahamian Resort & Spa. Under the distinguished patronage of The Rt. Rev’d Laish Z. Boyd Bishop of the Diocese of The Bahamas and The Turks and Caicos Islands and Mrs. Joanne Boyd. Tickets are \$60.00 and are available at the Parish Office.

STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE MEETING

Will be held on May 20th, 2009 at 6:00p.m. in the Conference room. All Head of Organizations are asked to attended.

THE GUILD OF SAINT AMBROSE ACOLYTES

Will be holding a cake sale after all the services today. The funds go toward the Acolytes misson trip this summer. Please support.

ST.MATTHEW’S ANGLICAN CHURCH – YOUTH COUNCIL

Steak out will be held on June 1st, 2009 (**WHIT MONDAY HOLIDAY**)from 12noon – to 5p.m. in the Parish Hall. Tickets are \$10.00.

YOUTH DISCOVERY

Under the theme, "Broken Bread....Poured out Wine....In the Lord's Service" (Phil. 2:17,) the St. Matthew's Parish Youth Council will be hosting a Youth Discovery for youth ages 14 – 20yrs, on Friday, June 12th – Sunday June 14th, 2009. Applications are now available for this exciting and spirit filled event from any member of the Parish Youth Council. We invite the Church to pray for the perspective candidates, Directors and team members for the upcoming weekend. Anyone wishing to plant a spiritual seed for the weekend a donation can forward it to the Parish Youth Office. For more information please contact the following Co-Directors: Ms. Faye Johnson @ 328-4696/364-9679 or Mr. Kristopher Higgs @ 324-0078. All parents are encouraged to support their youth in this spiritual weekend.

TUTORIAL FOR BJC & BGCSE

English Language, Mathematics and Religious Studies have started on Tuesdays at 6p.m. All students interested in receiving extra assistance in these areas are asked to register with Fr. Don Haynes.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

For all prospective Confirmands for 2009 have begun. All individuals who wish to be confirmed should have registered by now. Classes are on Saturdays at 9a.m. in the Conference Room. Last day for registration is Saturday 30th May, 2009.

YOUTH ACTIVITIES

Parents and Guardians, please ensure that your sons and daughter get involved in the positive youth programs offered at St. Matthew's Parish. Only you can make these activities work by your participation in them. Kindly consult your bulletin for meeting times and places. We thank you for your co-operation.

DVD's FOR SALE

Archbishop Gomez's Thanksgiving Service	\$10.00
Bishop's Boyd's Enthronement Service	\$20.00
Lenten Mission 2009 (consisting three sermons)	\$10.00

ST.AGNES MAY FAIR & SUPPER

Saturday May 23rd, 2009, from 12noon to 6:00p.m. at the Schoolroom Market & Cockburn Streets. Tickets are \$10.00 and are available at the Church Office.

THE SENIOR AND SUNRISE CHOIR

Presents a night of sacred music on May 24th, 2009 at 6:30p.m. Collection will be taken in aid of Foundations of Faith.

THANK YOU

To all who participated in the Mother's Day Luncheon. Congratulations to the honourees. Mae Robins, Enola Burke, Marina Hepburn, Dorothea Farrington and Mother of the Year Charlamae Forbes. Special thank you to the sponsors. Thanks Claudette 'Cookie' Allens, for entertainment, Tyrone Ferguson, Patrick Ferguson, Sammy Brennen, Troy Ward, Keith Strachan, Kervinque Ferguson, the kitchen crew, male services, the fundraising committee and the Office Staff.

FOUNDATIONS OF FAITH

Total funds received to date =\$731,438.12: W/E 10th May=\$239.50

WHAT'S HAPPENING WEEKLY

TODAY: 7:15am Holy Eucharist & Sermon; 10:30am Sung Mass & Sermon; 7:00pm – Evensong, Sermon and Benediction.
TUESDAY: Eucharist – 7:00am – Church; Bible Study – 6:00pm Conference Rm. – St. Matthew’s Players – 7:00pm.
WEDNESDAY Eucharist – 7:00am & 1:00pm – Church, Davidic Dance 5:30-7p
THURSDAY Eucharist – 6:00am; Practice for Sunrise Choir –6:00pm; Practice for Senior Choir – 7:30pm
FRIDAY Acolyte Practice - 6:00pm; Evening Prayer; CYM – 7:00pm
SATURDAY 7:00am – Men’s Fellowship; Church School – 9:30 – 12:00noon Youth Centre; Girls Brigade – Youth Centre- 12:30pm; Ladies Charm Class, Man in Demand – . Parish Hall – 1:00pm, Altar Guild 2:00pm

THE REGINA COELI

Joy to thee, O Queen of heaven, Alleluia,
He whom thou wast meet to bear, Alleluia.
As he promised, hath arisen, Alleluia.
Pour for us to him thy prayer, Alleluia

V: Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary, Alleluia

R: For the Lord hath risen indeed, Alleluia

LET US PRAY

O God, who by the resurrection of Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ; has vouchsafed to give joy to the world: Grant we beseech thee, that with the help of His Mother, The Virgin Mary, we may obtain the joys of everlasting life; Through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

R: Amen

ANTIPHON FOR EVENSONG DURING EASTER

At the end of the Sabbath
As it began to dawn
Toward the first day of the week
Came Mary Magdalene and the other
Mary to see the Sepulchre
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SICK MEMBERS

Matilda Adderley, Rev'd Fr. Hugh Bartlett, Mildred Black, Bishop Liash Z. Boyd, Iris Brennen, Milo Butler Jr., Raleigh Butler, Michelle Campbell, Kendall Carroll, Leon Cartwright, Thomas H. Cooper, Florance Crawley, Raymond Deal, Peter Drudge, Bishop Michael Eldon, Monique Farrington, Vandoline Forbes, Jeremy Harding, Raquel Hepburn, Margo Isaacs, Elva Knowles, Gina Knowles, Allyson Mycklewhyte, Joan Pyfrom, Anthony Roberts, Paul Roberts, Lucille Sands, Sammy Sands, Felix Seymour, Shelagh Strachan, Gwendolyn Stuart, Garyn Taylor, Cleola Thompson, Carl G. Treco, Kenneth Treco.

SICK RELATIVES & FRIENDS OF MEMBERS

Maurice Armbrister, Patricia Bain, Naomi Basdon, Dora Bartlett, Elizabeth Burrows, Paula Crawford-Brown, Eugene Butler, Cyril Carey, Dwayne Carr, Lucy Cartwright, Mercedes Cartwright, Maxine Chung, Mary Collie, Alvin Cooper, Cynthia Cooper, Leon Cooper, Andrew Curry, Peter Daniels, Rayette Darling, Osborne Davis, Michael Dean, Robert Douglas, Hiram Farquharson, Donald Farrington, Martha Flowers, Carol Francis, Carmeta Gaitor, Troika Hanna, Una Harding, Lancelot Haven, John Johnson, Howard Kemp, George Kerr, Edward Knowles, Jerome Knowles, Peter Knowles, Sidney Knowles, Esther Francis Leonard, Angela Martin, Elsa 'Lassie' Johnson McKenzie, Kelia Marshall, Linda Marshall, Barbara McKnight, Judy Miller, Willamae Morris, Rollon Pearce, Roseanne Pitcher, Josephine Raeburn, Mario Ramirez, Charles B. Sands, Val Sands, Christian Seymour, Michael Sherman, Gwen Smith, Monica Thompson, Carl G. Treco, Dora Turnquest, Sal Ricardo Williams.

AT HOME

Mizpah Antoine, Ruth Cash, Jennifer Cates, Ken Chamberlain, Paul Clare, Anthony Dean, Royann Duhard, Edith "The Valley Girl," Mae Ferriera, Gladys Gardiner, Patricia Kerr, Leon & Verna Knowles, Randolph Knowles, Clara Malone, Sir Clement Maynard, Paula Newbold, Thelma Strachan, Zerlene Styles, Frankiemae Thompson, Richard Turner.

RECOVERING

Jullian Bartlett, Felix Bowe, Antonette Cartwright, Maizie Evans, Alexandria Fernander, Lorraine Francis, Stephanie Francis, Joy Frith, Carol Gomez, Annette Heastie, Angela Knowles, Wellington Lewis, Eugene Maycock, Rose Pearce, Gertrude Perpall, Canon Neil Roach, Andre Rutherford, Aubrey Sherman, Carlyne Smith, Deborah Taylor, Patricia White.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Christian & Rosamond Knowles - 17th (11yrs);

Charles & Kyshna Rednetter - 24th (11yrs);

Happy Birthday

Candi Antonio - 17th; Claresse Bodie, Vaughnya Bethel, Renee Brown, Travis Cartwright, Tamara Gargasswon, Shanique Russell, Senovia Sabala, Christopher Smith Sr., Joan Thompson - 18th; Peggy Burrows, Garfield Johnson, Sonia Johnson, Laurent King, Derek Rutherford, Edena Stubbs, Leslie Benoit, Beyonce Scott - 19th; Alicia Adderley, Janet French, Chistopher Leonard - 20th; Mandy Arias, Iris Scott - 21st; Gerald Carmona, Shannon Davis, Leroy Rolle - 22nd; Avery Bain Jr., Linton Symonette, Dena Wilchcombe, Cheryl Whyms - 23rd;

EUCCHARISTIC READINGS	MORNING	EVENING PRAYER
17 th MAY 2009	PRAYER	
ROGATION SUNDAY	WHITE	

**Attendance
Statistics 10th May**

2009

Service	Congregation	Communicants
7:15am	231	158
10:30am	234	144
7:00pm	21	

TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING 10th MAY 2009

EASTER FLOWERS	0.00
BIRTHDAY	0.00
CHURCH SCHOOL	52.00
COLLECTION	1211.00
ENVELOPES	9,481.00
INITIAL OFFERING	4.00
YOUTH DISCOVERY	0.00
EASTER	0.00
EPIPHANY	0.00
LENTEN FOLDERS	20.00
TOTAL	<u>10,768.00</u>

SPECIAL: Organ	27.00
Resoration	51.50
Day Care Centre	340.00 = 418.50

PARISH WEEKLY OPERATIONAL EXPENSES

DIOCESAN ASSESSMENT	\$ 2,765.77 = 21.46%
GENERAL EXPENSES	5,694.52 = 44.19%
SALARIES	2,887.50 = 22.41%
SOCIAL OUTREACH	385.00 = 2.99%
UPKEEP TO PROPERTIES	<u>1,154.79 = 8.95%</u>
TOTAL	<u>12,887.58 = 100%</u>

ASSISTANTS SUNDAY 24th MAY 2009

	7:15AM	10:30AM
1 st Lesson	Grace Wallace	Stella Nichols
Acts 1:15-26		
Psalm 68:1-20	CHOIR	CHOIR
2 nd Lesson	Dyan McKenzie	Sonia Johnson
1 John 5:9-15		
Intercessions: G	Mavis Butterfield	Jackie Rutherford
Chalice Bearers	Van Humes	Dorothea Davis
	Anthony Butterfield	Iris Finlayson

6:30 PM The Senior & Sunrise Choir presents a Night of Sacred Music

USHERS: 7:15AM	10:30AM
* Ronrick Bowe	* Brendia Heastie
Troy Ward Sr.	Tamika Bodie
Mark Seymour	Janae Francis
Joan Mitchell	Alice Inniss
Marcia Thompson	Catherine Archer
	Rozalia Bowe
	Vylana Davis

Gloria, Collect: Easter 6, pg. 170, Acts 11:19-30 or Isaiah 45:11-13, 18-19, Ps. 33:1-8, 1 John 4:7-21, John 15:9-17, Creed, Preface of Easter	Ps. 93, 96 Ecclesiasticus 43:1-12, 27-32 1 Timothy 3:14-4:5	Ps. 34 Leviticus 25:1-17 Matthew 13:24-34a
18th MAY - MONDAY	WHITE	
Collect: pg. 202 #1, Ezekiel 47:6-12, Deuteronomy 11:10-15 or Jeremiah 14:1-9, Ps. 147, Romans 8:18-25, Mark 4:26-32, Preface of Easter	Ps. 80 Deuteronomy 8:1-10 James 1:1-15	Ps. 11, 79 Leviticus 25:35-55 Luke 9:18-27
19th MAY - TUESDAY	WHITE	DUNSTAN OF CANTERBURY, 988
Collect: pg. 202 #2, Ecclesiasticus 38:27-32, Ps. 107:1-9, 1 Corinthians 3:10-14, Matthew 6:19-24, Preface of Easter	Ps. 78:1-39 Deuteronomy 8:11-20 James 1:16-27	Ps. 78:40-72 Leviticus 26:1-20 Luke 11:1-13
20th MAY - WEDNESDAY	WHITE	
ROGATION WEDNESDAY Collect: pg. 202 #3, Job 38:1-11, 16-18, Ps. 104:25-37, 1 Timothy 6:7-10, 17-19, Luke 12:13-21, Preface of Easter	Ps. 119:97-120 Baruch 3:24-27 James 5:13-18 Luke 12:22-31	Eve of Ascension Ps. 68:1-20, 2 Kings 2:1-15, O.H. 144, Revelation 5:1-14, Collect: Ascension Day pg. 171
21st MAY - THURSDAY	WHITE	
ASCENSION DAY Gloria, Collect: The Ascension pg. 171, Acts 1:1-11, Ps. 47, Ephesians 1:15-23, Luke 24:49-53, or Mark 16:9-15, 19-20, Creed, Preface of Ascension	Ps. 8, 47 Ezekiel 1:1-14, 24-28b Hebrews 2:5-18	Ps. 24, 96 Daniel 7:9-14 O.H. 144 Matthew 28:16-20
22nd MAY - FRIDAY	WHITE	
Collect: The Ascension pg. 171, Acts 18:1-8, Ps. 98:1-4, John 16:20-23a, Preface of Ascension	Ps. 85, 86 Ezekiel 3:4-17 Hebrews 5:7-14	Ps. 136 1 Samuel 2:1-10 Luke 9:37-50
23rd MAY - SATURDAY	WHITE	
Gloria, Collect: The Ascension pg. 171, Acts 18:23-28, Ps. 47, John 16:23b-28, Preface of Ascension	Ps. 87, 90 Ezekiel 3:16-27 Ephesians 2:1-10	Ps. 19, 46 Exodus 3:1-12 O.H. 144 Matthew 10:24-33, 40-42