

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pilgrim Course on the Eucharist will begin 10 am – 11 am Wednesdays until October 24.

“I Intend” Course 7 pm – 8 pm Thursdays until October 18 in the Parish Hall.

Altar Guild, We wish to thank those who have volunteered but we are still looking for a few more members, please speak to Sharon for more details.

“The Rector would like to experiment with hosting a Skype discussion on how we can use this social media to reach out to the community if interested please speak with Douglas or email at dpainter@gmail.com.”

Tuesday, 10:00 am, October 16, Special Events Committee will meet in the Parish Hall.

Old Fashion Supper - The Anglican Parish of Kingston is serving an Old Fashion Supper of Ham, Beans & Scalloped Potatoes, Saturday, October 27th at the Kingston Parish Hall, 3946 Route 845, Kingston. Doors open at 5:00 pm. Ticket prices are \$12 for Adults and \$10 for Youth under 12. Seating is limited, so please order your tickets in advance by contacting the Kingston Parish Office by phone at 763-3183 or by Email parishofkingston@gmail.com to reserve your seats.

Contact Parish Office – 506-763-3183

Celebrant: The Rev. Douglas Painter
Layreader: Barbara Meade
Organist: Mary Clarke

Next Week’s Readings – *Twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost:* Job 23:1-9, 16-17; Psalm 22:1-15; Hebrews 4:12-16; Mark 10:17-31



The Anglican Parish of Kingston
Thanksgiving Day
October 7, 2018

Opening Hymn – We Gather Together
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The Collect of the Day: Creator of the fruitful earth, you made us stewards of all things. Give us grateful hearts for all your goodness, and steadfast wills to use your bounty well, that the whole human family, today and in generations to come, may with us give thanks for the riches of your creation. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen**

A Reading from the Book of Deuteronomy: When you have come into the land that the Lord your God is giving you as an inheritance to possess, and you possess it, and settle in it, you shall take some of the first of all the fruit of the ground, which you harvest from the land that the Lord your God is giving you, and you shall put it in a basket and go to the place that the Lord your God will choose as a dwelling for his name. You shall go to the priest who is in office at that time, and say to him, “Today I declare to the Lord your God that I have come into the land that the Lord swore to our ancestors to give us.” When the priest takes the basket from your hand and sets it down before the altar of the Lord your God, you shall make this response before the Lord your God: “A wandering Aramean was my ancestor; he went down into Egypt and lived there as an alien, few in number, and there he became a great nation, mighty and populous. When the Egyptians treated us harshly and afflicted us, by imposing hard labor on us, we cried to the Lord, the God of our ancestors; the Lord heard our voice and saw our affliction, our toil, and our oppression. The Lord brought us out of Egypt with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm, with a terrifying display of power, and with signs and wonders; and he brought us into this place and gave us this land, a land flowing with milk and honey. So now I bring the first of the fruit of the ground that you, O Lord, have given me.” You shall set it down before the Lord your God and bow down before the Lord your God. Then you, together with the Levites and the aliens who reside among you, shall celebrate with all the bounty that the Lord your God has given to you and to your house. The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** (Deuteronomy 26:1-11)

Psalm 100 (read responsively)

1. Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.
2. **Worship the Lord with gladness; come into his presence with singing.**
3. Know that the Lord is God. It is he that made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.
4. **Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise. Give thanks to him, bless his name.**
5. For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen

A Reading from the Letter to the Philippians: Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved. I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the gospel, together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you. The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.** (Philippians 4:4-9)

Gradual Hymn – Give Thanks with a Grateful Heart (insert)

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ According to John: Glory to you Lord Jesus Christ. So when the crowd saw that neither Jesus nor his disciples were there, they themselves got into the boats and went to Capernaum looking for Jesus. When they found him on the other side of the sea, they said to him, “Rabbi, when did you come here?” Jesus

answered them, “Very truly, I tell you, you are looking for me, not because you saw signs, but because you ate your fill of the loaves. Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.” Then they said to him, “What must we do to perform the works of God?” Jesus answered them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.” So they said to him, “What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” Then Jesus said to them, “Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” They said to him, “Sir, give us this bread always.” Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. The Gospel of Christ. **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.** (John 6:25-35)

Sermon – The Rev. Douglas Painter

Offertory Hymn – Come Ye Thankful People Come (CP # 262)

Closing Hymn – Now Thank we all our God (CP # 399)

The Dismissal: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Response: **Thanks be to God.**

Dismissal Song – Go Now in Peace (laminated sheet)

Today we pray for the World Wide Anglican Communion, The Most Rev. Michael Curry, The Episcopal Church, USA, Fred our Primate, Ron our Metropolitan, David our Bishop, Douglas our Priest, Bishop Matthias, and our Companion Diocese of Ho.

Prayer Concerns: Linda, Mac, Alma, Alice, Muriel, McKenna, Marjorie, Gerald, Rosalie, Cameron, Pippa, Lynn, Isabel, Eddie, Linda, Steve, Robert, Joyce, Kathy, Donna, Joanne, Dominic.