

My Church Family,

As the summer marches on we continue to see the amazing and dynamic work God even amidst the challenges of this present time. God continues to carry us and it is by God's grace that we engage with all that confronts us and we know it is not our strength but God's that make us who we are. No matter what you face remember one thing, "You are blessed and highly favored" and with Christ is your vessel you can smile at the storm. KEEP ON BELIEVING!

Each new day is a reminder of the blessings of GOD'S GRACE that affords us the opportunity to be part of the family of God and the St. Mark's Church family. We gather at the Lord's table where mercy is great and grace abounds. Come and be part of this blessed family as we worship, witness and serve as "Out of Many Nations, we are One Family in Christ!" Come and worship. You are welcome here.

Please share in some of the worship, witness and upcoming events at St. Mark's.

Many blessings and God bless you!

Rev. Germaine Lovelace

AUGUST E-NEWSLETTER



With Thankful Hearts

We worship witness, serve and fellowship with thankful hearts.

OUT OF MANY NATIONS, WE ARE ONE FAMILY IN CHRIST!



PRAYER REQUESTS

You are invited to continue to lift up the following members of our church family in your prayers:

Jim Fox (Sam Alfred's colleague who is recovering from a stroke)

Dion Rice as he continues to recover from a stroke.

Tonya Rice who had laser surgery on her eyes and is recovering at home.

Nuel Abenojar as he continues to receive dialysis.

Sam Alfred as he continues to recover from illness. Sam is home from hospital and extends thanks to the St. Mark's church family for all our prayers.

Valerie Kallwitz who will do knee replacement surgery this coming week.

All who are grappling with and recovering from cancer in our church and community:

- Janet Wright
- Lionel Jodha
- Maria Santos
- Margaret Jagdeo
- Daria Tsygankova
- Susan (Jean's niece)

Pray for all who are waiting in faith for their immigration application approval:

- **The Nadeem family** as they await another decision on their immigration hearing. PRAY, PRAY, PRAY WITHOUT CEASING. PRAYER WORKETH MIRACLES.
- **Marguerite Harriot** as she awaits the successful approval of her Permanent Residence application.
- **Trayann Douce** as she waits to receive a job offer that will lead to an invitation to apply for permanent residency.

Pray for all who are suffering from neurological illness:

- Patricia & Volney Francis, Patrick Sumere, Lee Younger, Shirley Douglas, Jeanette and Ivorine.

Pray for the families in our church who continue to mourn the passing of their loves ones:

- Ramdeo Ramnares and his family on the passing of his nephew VJ.
- Azar Paul and family as they mourn the passing of his dad, Dr.
 Sarwar Paul.
- Maritza Rahal and family as they mourn the passing of her husband Kameel Rahal.
- Sheba Sampras
- Murna Creighton
- The Boodram family
- Doretta Preston
- Gary Blake
- The Forsyth Family
- Patrina Rampersaud
- Godfrey and Valerie Laylor
- Ralph Saywack
- Rosetta and Ruth Persaud
- Arthur Rachpaul

Pray for all our friends and loved ones who suffer from chronic pain that the Lord will grant them healing grace and strength to carry on.

Lord in Your mercy

Hear our prayer

Sunday's Message:

"Jesus: Our All in All"

Worship & Communion

We meet in worship on the 8th Sunday after Pentecost as we worship and celebrate the Lord's Supper. Our service this week is guided by **Colossian 3:1-11** where we reflect on the blessings of being saved, empowered and lifted by the grace of Jesus Christ.

The message of Colossians 3:1–11 centers on the transformation of the believer's life through union with Christ. Paul calls Christians to set their hearts and minds on things above, not on earthly things, because they have died to their old life and their true life is now hidden with Christ in God. WORSHIP WITH US AS WE CELEBRATE OUR UNION WITH CHRIST!

Remember & Celebrate

Every now and then we all have something to celebrate. Maybe a birthday, an anniversary, a new birth or some other blessing. We also have people we love who have passed on but they are forever in our hearts. Please consider donating flowers in celebration of the most memorable moments or in memory of loved ones who are now with the Lord. If you would like to donate flowers in celebration or in memoriam please talk with Ivy Jones at: 416-878-6620.

Verse of the Week:

"You have been raised to life with Christ, so set your hearts on the things that are in heaven, where Christ sits on his throne at the right side of God."

Colossians 3:1 [GNT]

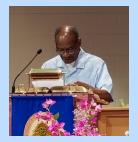
Worship led by the Men of St. Mark's

On Sunday July 27th the men of St. Mark's led worship service. They led prayers, shared testimonies, read scripture and blessed the church in song. It was a blessing to hear the Men's Choir sing, "The Love of God is Greater Far." Take a listen and be

blessed: https://youtu.be/3TGEhMys4Mo

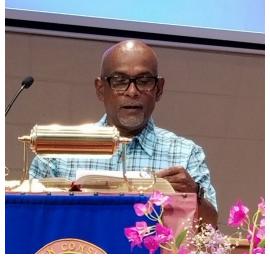




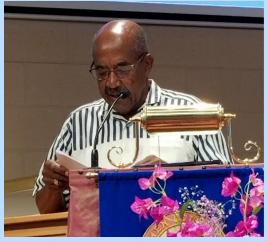




















Get Your Tickets

Need tickets for the Barbeque?

Here is the list of those in our church who have tickets for sale:

Velda Walkes, Godfrey Laylor, Ivy Jones, Murna Creighton, Colleen Gordon, Angela Ramsuchit.

Please support this worthy cause!!!

Join us at the Lord's table where grace and mercy meets us!

Ways to Give

WORSHIP SERVICES:

When we worship together at St Mark's, during the Sunday service there is a financial offering and we dedicate our offerings to God in prayer.

MAILED CHEQUES

If you donate to St Mark's through cheques, you can send one cheque or several post-dated cheques in one mailing. Please mail your envelope givings and donations to:

St Mark's Presbyterian Church

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Worship at St. Mark's

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