

KING'S GATE UNITED CHURCH

A CONGREGATION OF THE UNITED CHURCH IN
JAMAICA AND THE CAYMAN ISLANDS

(Congregational, Disciples of Christ, Presbyterian)

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STEWARDSHIP MONTH



But this I say, He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully. Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work:

2 Corinthians 9:6-8 KJV

Finance & Stewardship Committee Sunday

Sunday, September 14, 2025
9:00 a.m.

Enter to Worship... Depart to Serve!

MINISTER:

Rev'd Garwell Bacchus

GUEST PREACHER:

Rev'd Dr. Dave Hazle

WORSHIP LEADER:

Bro. Cecil Scott

ATTENDING ELDER:

Elder Marva Chambers Gardner

MUSICIANS:

Barrington Soares Jr.- Keyboard

Sean Mesquita - Drum

Stephen Reid - Bass Guitar

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King's Gate United Church

Order Of Worship

APPROACH TO GOD

(Before the service, speak to God. During the service, let God speak to you.
After the service, speak to others.)

CHORUS: “Be Still For The Presence Of The Lord...”

ENTRANCE OF THE WORD

CALL TO WORSHIP

L/ Let us worship the eternal God, the source of love and life, who created us to serve Him.

C/ Let us worship Jesus Christ, the Risen One, who lives among us.

L/ Let us worship the Spirit, the Holy Fire, who renews us.

A/ To the One true God be praise in all times and places, through the grace of Jesus Christ.

OPENING HYMN: “Come Thou Almighty King...”

1. Come, thou almighty King,
Help us thy name to sing,
Help us to praise!
Father all glorious,
O'er all victorious,
Come and reign over us, Ancient of Days!

2. Come, thou incarnate Word,
Gird on thy mighty sword,
Our prayer attend!
Come, and thy people bless,
And give thy word success,
Spirit of holiness, on us descend!

3. Come, holy Comforter,
Thy sacred witness bear
In this glad hour.
Thou who almighty art,
Now rule in every heart,
And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of power!

4. To thee, great One in Three,
Eternal praises be,
Hence, evermore.
Thy sovereign majesty
May we in glory see,
And to eternity love and adore!

PRAYER OF ADORATION AND THANKSGIVING (Spoken)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

(Done in quiet whispers or silence of heart)

LORD'S PRAYER (W.I. Version)

1. Our Father who art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done. Hallowed, be Thy Name.
2. On the earth as it is in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name.
Give us this day our daily bread, Hallowed be Thy Name.
3. Forgive us all our trespasses, Hallowed be Thy Name.
As we forgive those who trespass against us, Hallowed be Thy Name.
4. And lead us not into temptation, Hallowed be Thy Name.
But deliver us from all that is evil, Hallowed be Thy Name.
5. For Thine is the Kingdom, the Power and the Glory, Hallowed be Thy Name.
For ever and ever and ever and ever, Hallowed be Thy Name.
6. Amen, Amen, it shall be so, Hallowed be Thy Name.
Amen, Amen, it shall be so, Hallowed be Thy Name.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

L/ Lord, bring new life where we are worn and tired, new love where we have turned hard-hearted, forgiveness where we feel hurt and where we have wounded. To all and to each, where regret is real, Jesus pronounces His pardon and grants us the right to begin again.

A/ Thanks be to God.

RESPONSIVE READING: Isaiah 52:7-10

A/ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning it's now and forever shall be, world without end. Amen.

WELCOME & FAMILY INFORMATION SHARING: Elder Paula Cobourne

CELEBRATION OF BIRTHDAYS & WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Sister: Carolyn Downer

Celebratory Prayer — Rev. Garwell Bacchus

WORSHIP WITH TITHES, OFFERINGS & OFFERING FOR CHARITY

“Give as the Lord has prospered you”

THEME SONG: “Steward....”

1. All that we have is from God,
All that we own is God's gift,
Stewards we are, caretakers of God;
All we have is from God.

I will work all the days of my life,

*I will worship Him all my days;
Prosper me, prosper me,
So I can give more of me.*

2. We need to work with our hands,
To double and triple our gifts;
The Lord will bless the work of our hands,
Bless the work of our hands.
3. And at the end of our days,
We give an accounting to the Lord;
Before the Judge we surrender ourselves,
And all that we have.
4. The Lord will reward the fruitful,
Come in and share His joy;
The gates of His house are open for those
Who toil in His name.

CHORUS: “Praise God From Whom All Blessing Flow....”

DEDICATION OF THE OFFERINGS

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Old Testament: Malachi 3:6-12 Sis. Marjorie Wanliss
New Testament: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15 Sis. Fay Walters

CELEBRATION WITH CHORUSES AND SONGS OF PRAISE

- We Come Here To Praise
- Moving Up The King's Highway
- It Is Alright
- You Know My Name

SERMON: “Rewards For The Good Steward”

Rev. Dr. Dave Hazle

RESPONSE SONG: “I Give Myself Away....”

*I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me
I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me*

1. Here I am
Here I stand
Lord, my life is in your hands
Lord, I'm longing to see

Your desires revealed in me
I give myself away

2. Take my heart
Take my life
As a living sacrifice
All my dreams all my plans
Lord I place them in your hands

Bridge(7X):

My life is not my own
To you I belong
I give myself, I give myself to you

PASTORAL PRAYER: Rev. Dr. Dave Hazle

GOING FORTH HYMN: "In Christ Alone...."

1. In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand
2. In Christ alone, who took on flesh
Fullness of God in helpless babe
This gift of love and righteousness
Scorned by the ones He came to save
'Til on that cross as Jesus died
The wrath of God was satisfied
For every sin on Him was laid
Here in the death of Christ I live
3. There in the ground His body lay
Light of the world by darkness slain
Then bursting forth in glorious Day
Up from the grave He rose again
And as He stands in victory
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me
For I am His and He is mine
Bought with the precious blood of Christ
4. No guilt of life, no fear in death
This is the power of Christ in me
From life's first cry to final breath
Jesus commands my destiny
No power of hell, no scheme of man

Can ever pluck me from His hand
'til He returns or calls me home
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

BENEDICTION

Rev. Dr. Dave Hazle

DOXOLOGY

"Now Unto Him Who Is Able...."

POSTLUDE

FAMILY NEWS

OUR WELCOME

We are pleased to have you, our friends who are visiting and worshipping with us today. It is our hope that you will come again and join in our fellowship as together we worship God. We welcome you most cordially.

If you are desirous of becoming a full fledged member of the fellowship of our church family, please indicate such an interest to any of the ushers or to the minister. Have a blessed week.

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sundays	9:00 a.m.	Divine Worship
Tuesdays	10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Prayer & Fasting
	6:30 p.m.	Bible Study
3rd Saturdays	8:30 a.m.	Prayer & Fasting

NOTICES

ON-GOING & UPCOMING EVENTS

- Our Bible Study continues on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. The presenter for this meeting will be Rev. Garwell Bacchus. The house of Matthew will lead in the month of September. All members are encouraged to attend as well as to bring out their family and friends.
- Today at 4:00p.m. Uganda Mission Team will present their report on the Uganda Mission.
- The Women's Fellowship annual Fish Fry and Take Out Luncheon will be on Friday, October 24, 2025. To receive your tickets please contact either Sister Rubie Edwards, Sister Glodine Anderson or Sister Audrey Campbell.
- **Steel Pan** training Saturdays at 12noon—2:00pm

- **The Skills Training Centre** is now recruiting for **Housekeeping Level 2, Food Preparation Levels 2 & 3**. Please contact Ms. Nicola Rodd at 946-3989 for further information.
- **The Skills Training Centre** is now offering **Basic & Advanced Computer Class** on Mondays and Wednesdays 4:00pm – 6:00p.m. Cost \$16,000.00. Please contact Ms. Nicola Rodd at 946-3989 for further information.

Electronic Banking for Tithes & Offerings

National Commercial Bank (NCB)

Half Way Tree Branch

Chequing Account Number 301979606

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SICK & SHUT-INS

- ⇒ *Call to buoy-up spirits*
Visit – to strengthen with your presence
Pray For – to commend to God's care:
- ⇒ Sis. Alice Downer
- ⇒ Sis. Daphne Drummond
- ⇒ Sis. Daslin Francis
- ⇒ Sis. Edith Gutzmore
- ⇒ Sis. Ena Dixon
- ⇒ Sis. Lillian Johnson
- ⇒ Bro. Louis Francis
- ⇒ Sis. Jennifer Van Horne Paul
- ⇒ Sis. Maisielyn Noble
- ⇒ Bro. Noel Downer
- ⇒ Rev. Dr. Richmond Nelson

Kintyre -

- ⇒ Sis. Veronica Brown
- ⇒ Bro. Samuel Walters
- ⇒ Sis. Norma McCarty, Beatrice Walters, Patricia Barnes

These are our members who because of failing health, have not worshipped with us for a considerable time. Let us be unfailing in our support.

KING'S GATE UNITED IN PRAYER

Monday, September 22, 2025

Let's pray in earnest concerning:

- The Church and its witness in the world
- The cessation of crime in Jamaica and the world

Wednesday, September 24, 2025

Let's pray in earnest concerning:

- Youth of our nation
- The government and policy makers for Godly wisdom

Did you remember to pray last Monday and Wednesday at 9 p.m.? Call to remind someone. Wherever we may be, we are urged to pause for prayer on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9 p.m. Your prayer requests are solicited.

THE WORD

⇒ Let us take pleasure and find fulfilment in reading the Bible daily. Our suggested readings may be found useful.

Sunday	-	Ecclesiastes 3:1-15
Monday	-	Ecclesiastes 5:1-20
Tuesday	-	Ecclesiastes 7:1-25
Wednesday	-	Ecclesiastes 12:1-14
Thursday	-	Job 28:1-28
Friday	-	Job 36:5-26
Saturday	-	Job 36:27-37:1-12

Nugget For Today:

What areas of your life feel parched and dry?

What may be preventing you from asking Jesus to give you this living water?

SERMON NOTES