

# 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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## MORNING PRAISE & WORSHIP



And when he was come nigh,  
even now at the descent of  
the mount of Olives, the  
whole multitude of the  
disciples began to rejoice and  
praise God with a loud voice  
for all the mighty works that  
they had seen; Saying,  
Blessed be the King that  
cometh in the name of the  
Lord: peace in heaven, and  
glory in the highest.

Luke 19:37-38 KJV

# PALM/PASSION SUNDAY

April 13, 2025

9:00 a.m.

Enter to Worship... Depart to Serve!

MINISTER:

PREACHER:

WORSHIP LEADER:

ATTENDING ELDER:

MUSICIANS:

Rev'd Garwell Bacchas

Dr. Yvonne Leys Dawkins

Adrianna McBean

Elder Beverly Brown

Darron Fraser - Keyboard

Barrington Soares Jr. - 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.)

**WELCOME:** Adrianna McBean

### **SONG:**

- “You Are God.....”

### **ENTRANCE OF THE WORD**

#### **INVITATION TO WORSHIP**

L/ Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good: His steadfast love endures forever.

**C/ Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the Highest.**

L/ We shall triumph over those who surround us and stand in confidence in the Lord our God.

**C/ Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the Highest.**

L/ The Lord is our strength and our might. The Lord has become our salvation.

**A/ Hosanna to God, Hosanna in the Highest.**

*(Church School Children Enter With Palms)*

#### **HYMN OF PRAISE:** “Enter Into Jerusalem....”

1. Enter into Jerusalem,

Let us go to God's house

With the healthy and the sick

With the worker and the weak,

Let us go to God's house.

Enter into Jerusalem,

Let us go to God's house,

Come and run with the wind,

With the God who reigns in peace,

Let us go to God's house.

*We go celebrate, we go celebrate,*

*We go celebrate, O Israel!*

*Praise the name of the Lord on high,*

*Praise his name in song.*

*Praise the Lord with a heav'nly song,*

*With a heav'nly song, with a heav'nly song,*

*Praise the Lord.*

2. Enter into Jerusalem

Mek we walk-go-down there,

With the young and the old,

With the little and the large,

Mek we walk-go-down there,

Enter into Jerusalem  
Mek we walk-go-down there,  
Swaying to the breeze  
With the God who reigns in peace,  
Mek we walk-go-down there,

3. Enter into Jerusalem  
Let us go to God's house,  
With yu Papa and yu Mama,  
With yu Uncle and yu Aunt,  
Let us go to God's house.  
Enter into Jerusalem,  
Let us go to God's house,  
Run and catch the breeze  
With the God who reigns in peace,  
Let us go to God's house.

*(Please be Seated)*

## **PRAYER OF ADORATION AND THANKSGIVING** (Spoken)

### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

L/ Let us confess our sins before Almighty God.

A/ **O King of Glory, we confess that our praise and adoration of Your majesty has often been faint. With eager hands, we place our cloaks and palms on the path before You. Yet, Lord, we confess that the mouths that seek to praise You often deny or defy You. And we confess that the hands that seek to serve You often become fists. Yes, Lord, at times we have surrendered to the enemy by our secret and known sins. Draw us closer to You in this Holy Week, that our eyes may catch the vision of Your tears and our hearts, the wonder of Your grace. O God, in Your mercy, forgive us, through Jesus Christ our Redeemer and Lord. Amen.**

### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

L/ The God who challenges us is also the God who encourages us. The God who confronts us is also the God who accepts us. Be assured that God is with us even now, accepting, guiding and forgiving.

**C/ Thanks be to God.**

### **The Lord's Prayer (Father Holung's Version )**

*Our Father who art in heaven,*

*Holy, holy, holy, be Thy name.*

*Our Father who art in heaven, Holy be Thy name.*

*Thy kingdom come on earth, Thy will be done on earth,*

*Thy Kingdom come on earth, as it is in heaven.*

1. Give us this day our daily bread, (Rep. x3)  
And forgive us our trespasses; and forgive us our trespasses,  
As we forgive those who trespass against us.

Forgive us our trespasses.

2. Do not lead us into temptation. (Rep. x1)  
(But) deliver us from all evil; deliver us from all evil.  
And forgive us our trespasses; and forgive us our trespasses,  
As we forgive those who trespass against us;  
Forgive us our trespasses  
Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen, Amen (Rep. x1).

## **FELLOWSHIP OF THE SAINTS**

**FAMILY INFORMATION SHARING:** Elder Paula Coubourne

### **CELEBRATION OF BIRTHDAYS & WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

*Celebratory Prayer — Elder Paula Coubourne*

### **WORSHIP WITH TITHES, OFFERINGS & OFFERING FOR CHARITY**

**“Give as the Lord has prospered you”**

**CHORUS:** “I Am Blessed....”

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

**DEDICATION OF THE OFFERINGS** Sis. Melody-Sky Simmonds

### **CELEBRATION WITH CHORUSES & SONGS OF PRAISE**

- Every Praise Is To Our God
- You Deserve The Glory
- Worthy Is The Lamb

### **MINISTRY OF THE WORD**

**SCRIPTURE READINGS:** Mpenzi Kyeremeth

**Old Testament:** Psalm 118:19-29

**New Testament:** Luke 19:28-40

**SELECTION:** Praise Team

**MINISTRY IN WORD:** Dr. Yvonne Leys Dawkins

**RESPONSE SONG:** “ Holy Forever....”

1. A thousand generations falling down in worship  
To sing the song of ages to the Lamb  
And all who've gone before us and all who will believe  
Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb  
  
Your name is the highest  
Your name is the greatest

Your name stands above them all  
All thrones and dominions  
All powers and positions  
Your name stands above them all

*And the angels cry, ho-holy  
All creation cries, ho-holy  
You are lifted high, ho-holy  
Holy forever*

2. If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed  
Sing the song forever to the Lamb  
And if you walk in freedom and if you bear His name  
Sing the song forever to the Lamb  
We'll sing the song forever and amen

**PASTORAL PRAYER:** Dr. Yvonne Leys Dawkins

**GOING FORTH HYMN:** "Children Of Jerusalem...."

1. Children of Jerusalem  
Sang the praise of Jesus' Name:  
Children, too, of modern days  
Join to sing the Savior's praise.

*Hark, hark, hark!  
While infant voices sing,  
Hark, hark, hark!  
While infant voices sing  
Loud hosannas, loud hosannas,  
Loud hosannas to our King.*

2. We are taught to love the Lord,  
We are taught to read His Word;  
We are taught the way to Heav'n:  
Praise for all to God be giv'n.
3. Parents, teachers, old and young,  
All unite to swell the song;  
Higher and yet higher rise,  
'Til hosannas fill the skies.

**BENEDICTION** Dr. Yvonne Leys Dawkins  
**DOXOLOGY** "Now Unto The King Eternal...."

# 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 Bacchas. The house of Esther will lead in the month of April. All members are encouraged to attend as well as to bring out their family and friends.

- **Holy Week Services** begin on **Sunday, April 13, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.** under the theme **“Words From The Cross”**. The week’s schedule is as follows:

<b>Sunday</b> (St. Stephens’s)	<i>“Father, Forgive Them For They Know Not What They Do”</i> (Luke 23:32-34)	6:00p.m.
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<b>Monday</b> (Hope)	<i>“Today You Will Be With Me In Paradise”</i> (Luke 23:39-43)	6:30p.m.
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<b>Tuesday</b> (Webster)	<i>“Woman, Behold Your Son! Son Behold Your Mother”</i> (John 19:25-27)	6:30p.m.
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<b>Wednesday</b> (Torrington)	<i>“My God My God Why Have You Forsaken Me”</i> (Matthew 27:45-46)	6:30p.m.
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<b>Thursday</b> (King’s Gate)	<i>“I Thirst”</i> (John 19:28)	6:30p.m.
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**Theme Song: “The Old Rugged Cross....”**

- Our **Good Friday** service will be on **Friday, April 18 at 10:00 a.m.**

- **Women's Fellowship "Easter Buns Sale"** is currently in progress. Place your order with Sis. Rubie Edwards.
- The **Young Adults** will be having their annual **Easter Cheese Sale**. Place your orders with Sis. Anissea Bremmer, Bro. Sajato Powell or Bro. Sean Mesquita.
- It is with deep regret we announce the passing of Sis. Lameta' daughter. The Funeral Service will be on Saturday, June 7, 2025.
- It is with deep regret we announce the passing of Bro. Crouse Campbell's mother.
- It is with deep regret we announce the passing of Sis. Audrey Campbell's mother-in-Law.
- Please continue to pray for Sis. Norma Beckford's husband who is ill.
- **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 Mrs. Venice Walters at 946-3989 or 312-2684 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 Mrs. Venice Walters at 946-3989 or 312-2684 for further information.

### **Electronic Banking for Tithes & Offerings**

National Commercial Bank (NCB)

Half Way Tree Branch

Chequing Account Number 301979606

If you are not able to use electronic banking at this time, please call **876-340-9724** or email: [kingsgateunited@yahoo.com](mailto:kingsgateunited@yahoo.com)

### **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. Edith Gutzmore
- ⇒ Sis. Lillian Johnson
- ⇒ Sis. Vera Lynch
- ⇒ Sis. Maisielyn Noble
- ⇒ Rev. Dr. Richmond Nelson

## **Kintyre -**

⇒ Sis. Veronica Brown

⇒ 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, April 14, 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, April 16, 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	-	Luke 19:28-48
Monday	-	Luke 20:1-18
Tuesday	-	Luke 20:19-47
Wednesday	-	Luke 22:1-30
Thursday	-	Luke 22:31-71
Friday	-	Luke 23:1-43
Saturday	-	Luke 23:44-56

## **Nugget For Today:**

How have you sensed the Lord surrounding you with His love?  
Who can you share His love with today?