

# 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



Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompence of reward. For ye have need of patience, that, after ye have done the will of God, ye might receive the promise. For yet a little while, and he that shall come will come, and will not tarry.

Hebrews 10:35-37 KJV

Celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion  
& Appreciation for Rev. & Mrs. Garwell Bacchus

Sunday, September 28, 2025  
9:00 a.m.

Enter to Worship... Depart to Serve!

MINISTER:

Rev'd Garwell Bacchus

WORSHIP LEADER:

Dr. Yvonne Leys Dawkins

ATTENDING ELDER:

Elder Jeanette Howell

COMMUNION ELDERS:

Elder Anissea Reid &

Elder Marva Chambers Gardner

MUSICIANS:

Barrington Soares Jr.- Keyboard

**YouTube**  
King's Gate United Church

Sean Mesquita - Drum

Stephen Reid - Bass Guitar

# 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:** Dr. Yvonne Leys Dawkins

**SONG:** "God Is Here..."

## ENTRANCE OF THE WORD

### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Praise be to you, Lord, the God... from everlasting to everlasting.

R: **Yours, Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendour, for everything in heaven and earth is yours.**

L: Yours, Lord, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all.

R: **Wealth and honour come from you; You are the ruler of all things. In your hands are strength and power to exalt and give strength to all.**

A: **Now, our God, we give you thanks, and praise your glorious Name.**

**OPENING HYMN:** "To God Be The Glory ..."

1. To God be the glory, great things He has done;  
So loved He the world that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life an atonement for sin,  
And opened the life gate that all may go in.

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear His voice!*

*Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the people rejoice!*

*O come to the Father, through Jesus the Son,  
And give Him the glory, great things He has done.*

2. O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood,  
To every believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus a pardon receives.

3. Great things He has taught us, great things He has done,  
And great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son;  
But purer, and higher, and greater will be  
Our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see.

# PRAYERS OF ADORATION, CONFESION AND THANKSGIVING

## AFFIRMATION

**Chorus:** “There’s A Peace in My Soul”

*There’s a peace in my soul when I’m with You,  
There’s a peace in my soul when my spirit is in tune.  
You’re my Master and I’m not a slave to sin anymore,  
There’s a peace running deep in my soul.*

**FAMILY INFORMATION SHARING:** Elder Paula Cobourne

## CELEBRATION OF BIRTHDAYS & WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Sisters: Edith Gutzmore, Alison Howell

Brother: Albert Savage

**Celebratory Prayer** — Rev. Garwell Bacchus

**GREETINGS** Rev. Norbert Stephens -General Secretary UCJCI

## STEEL PAN MINISTRY

## WORSHIP WITH TITHES, OFFERINGS & OFFERING FOR CHARITY

“Give as the Lord has prospered you”

**SONG:** “You Are God....”

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

**DEDICATION OF THE OFFERINGS** Elder Paul Downer

## CELEBRATION WITH CHORUSES AND SONGS OF PRAISE

- Press Along Saints
- I Shall Not Be Moved
- I’m Not My Own
- Peace Of God Cover Me

## CONFIRMATION OF NEW MEMBERS

**SONG:** “Anointing Fall On Me...”

## CELEBRATING THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

**INVITATION - Rev. G. Bacchus**

M/ Brothers and sisters, we read in the Gospels of the meals Jesus shared with His disciples,

C/ **We recall His feast of the Last Supper with His disciples.**

M/ Today He invites us to break bread together. So come all to His table.

**HYMN: “I Stand Amazed In The Presence.....”** (Sung during the distribution of elements)

1. I stand amazed in the presence  
Of Jesus the Nazarene,  
And wonder how He could love me,  
A sinner, condemned, unclean.  
  
*O how marvellous! O how wonderful!  
And my song shall ever be:  
O how marvellous! O how wonderful!  
Is my Saviour's love for me!*
2. For me it was in the garden  
He prayed: “Not My will, but Thine.”  
He had no tears for His own griefs,  
But sweat drops of blood for mine.
3. In pity angels beheld Him,  
And came from the world of light  
To comfort Him in the sorrows  
He bore for my soul that night.
4. He took my sins and my sorrows,  
He made them His very own;  
He bore the burden to Calvary,  
And suffered and died alone.
5. When with the ransomed in glory  
His face I at last shall see,  
‘Twill be my joy through the ages  
To sing of His love for me.

**LITURGY FOR THE HOLY COMMUNION — Rev. Dr. Dave Hazle**

M/ The Lord be with you  
C/ And with you also  
M/ Lift up your hearts  
C/ We lift them up to the Lord  
M/ Let us give thanks to our Lord  
C/ It is right to give thanks to the Lord

**PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND CONSECRATION**

M/ Let us pray  
M/ Almighty God and our heavenly Father, we recognise that it is a good and joyful thing always and everywhere to give thanks to You.

C/ **We give You thanks for the incarnation of Your Son, Jesus Christ: for His life and ministry on earth; for His suffering and death on the cross; for His glorious resurrection from the dead; for His ascension into heaven; for the promise of His coming again.**

A/ We therefore present ourselves to be living sacrifices unto You; holy and pleasing in Your sight. Send down Your Holy Spirit to sanctify us, and present us once again faultless before Your throne of grace with exceedingly great joy. Amen.

### **The Lord's Prayer (Folk Version)**

**Congregation's Response:** An if yuh sin condemn yuh soul yuh mus' pray  
(twice)

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come on earth, Thy will be done on earth.

### **Congregation's Response**

Give us this day our daily bread Lord, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive them, that sin against us.

### **Congregation's Response**

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, the Kingdom it is Thine, The glory and the power.

### **Congregation's Response**

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name, The Kingdom it is Thine, forever and for aye.

### **Congregation's Response**

### **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Merciful God, we confess to You now that we have sinned. We confess the sins that no one knows and the sins that everyone knows. We confess the sins that are a burden to us and the sins that do not bother us because we have grown used to them. We confess our sins as a church. We have not loved one another as Christ loved us. We have not forgiven one another as we have been forgiven. We have not given ourselves in love and service for the world as Christ gave himself for us. Father, forgive us. Send the Holy Spirit to us, that He may give us power to live as by Your mercy, You have called us to live, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **THE RE-ENACTMENT**

#### **HYMN: "Marvellous Grace..."**

1. Marvellous grace of our loving Lord,  
Grace that exceeds our sin and our guilt!  
Yonder on Calvary's mount outpoured,  
There where the blood of the Lamb was spilled.

Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;  
Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that is greater than all our sin.

2. Sin and despair, like the sea waves cold,  
Threaten the soul with infinite loss;

Grace that is greater, yes, grace untold,  
Points to the refuge, the mighty cross.

**Elder A. Reid/** Almighty God, King of the universe - You who bring forth bread from the earth, send down Your Holy Spirit to sanctify this bread, which we set before You that it may be for us the body of Christ. Amen.

M/ On the night in which He gave himself up for us, Jesus took bread and when he had given thanks he broke it and gave to His disciples and said take, eat, this is my body broken for you, do this in remembrance of me.

## THE SHARING OF THE BREAD

**HYMN:** “Marvellous Grace...”

3. Dark is the stain that we cannot hide.  
What can we do to wash it away?  
Look! There is flowing a crimson tide,  
Brighter than snow you may be today.

*Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that will pardon and cleanse within;  
Grace, grace, God's grace,  
Grace that is greater than all our sin.*

4. Marvellous, infinite, matchless grace,  
Freely bestowed on all who believe!  
You that are longing to see His face,  
Will you this moment His grace receive?

**Elder M. Chambers Gardner/** Almighty God, King of the universe - You who bring forth wine from the vine, send down Your Holy Spirit to sanctify this wine, which we set before You that it may be for us the blood of Christ. Amen.

M/ In the same manner also, He took the cup, gave thanks and gave it to the disciples and said drink from this, all of you this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many. Do this as often as you drink it in remembrance of me. For as often as you eat of this bread and drink this cup you are proclaiming the Lord's death until He comes.

## THE SHARING OF THE WINE

**PASSING OF THE PEACE** (SONG PEACE & LOVE)

**SCRIPTURE READING:** Sis. Lisa Rhooms  
**New Testament:** Hebrews 10: 31-37

**HYMN:** "Will Your Anchor Hold..."

1. Will your anchor hold in the storms of life,  
When the clouds unfold their wings of strife?  
When the strong tides lift, and the cables strain,  
Will your anchor drift or firm remain?

We have an anchor that keeps the soul  
Steadfast and sure while the billows roll,  
Fastened to the Rock which cannot move,  
Grounded firm and deep in the Saviour's love.

2. It is safely moored, 'twill the storm withstand,  
For 'tis well secured by the Saviour's hand;  
And the cables passed from His heart to mine,  
Can defy the blast, through strength divine.

3. It will surely hold in the floods of death,  
When the waters cold chill our latest breath;  
On the rising tide it can never fail,  
While our hopes abide within the veil.

## SERMON: “Do Not Throw It Away—Stick It Out”

Rev. Garwell Bacchus

**RESPONSE SONG:** “Through It All....” Sis. Daliah Reid Thomas

## TRIBUTES TO REV. & MRS. GARWELL BACCHAS

- ⇒ Song Young Adults Action Movement
- ⇒ Citation & Presentation Elder Paula Cobourne
- ⇒ Song Praise Team
- ⇒ Video Clip
- ⇒ Dance Church School
- ⇒ Prayer for Rev. Garwell Bacchus & Family Rev. Dr. Dave Hazle

**GOING FORTH HYMN:** “Jesus Keep Me Near The Cross....”

## 1. Jesus, keep me near the cross:

There, a precious fountain,  
Free to all – a healing stream –  
Flows from Calvary's mountain.

*In the cross, in the cross, be my glory ever;  
Till my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river.*

2. Near the cross, a trembling soul,  
Love and mercy found me;  
There the bright and morning Star  
Shed its beams around me.

3. Near the cross! O Lamb of God,  
Bring its scenes before me;  
Help me walk from day to day,  
With its shadow o'er me.

**BENEDICTION**      **Rev. Dr. Dave Hazle**  
**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 Elder Paul Downer. 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.
- It is with deep regret we announce the death of Elder Samuel Walters—Kintyre (father of Rev. Dr. Leroy Walters). The thanksgiving service will be on Saturday, October 18 at 11:00am at King's Gate United Church.
- 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 or Sister Glodine Anderson.
- **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

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**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. 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
- ⇒ 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 29, 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, October 1, 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	-	Job 37:14-24
Monday	-	2 Chronicles 1:1-12
Tuesday	-	Psalm 19
Wednesday	-	Psalm 37
Thursday	-	Psalm 52
Friday	-	Psalm 94
Saturday	-	Psalm 96

## **Nugget For Today:**

Why is it important to take frequent inventory of your heart?  
How can you seek God's help?

## SERMON NOTES



