The Methodist Church in the Caribbean and Americas Leeward Islands District Antigua Circuit

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Freemansville Congregation Pastor: Rev. Tyrone Hunkins

21st Lord's Day after Pentecost

Sunday 13th October, 2024, 9:00 am

Worship Leader & Preacher: Rev. Tyrone Hunkins

Organist: Bro. Lenroy Skepple

Drummer: Bro. Jaeden Browne

Theme: "Citizens of Heaven"

Celebration of the Elderly or Older persons: Ministries Month; Cancer Awareness Month.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Introit: The Choir

Call to Worship MPB p65

Leader: I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the

house of the Lord

Congregation: Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper

who love you.

Hymn #12VIP;#12 MHB "Praise My Soul The King Of Heaven"

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer –

Collect: Almighty God, you have entrusted to your Church a share in the ministry of your Son, our great High Priest; Inspire by your Holy Spirit the hearts of many to offer themselves for the ministry of your Church, that strengthened by his power, they may work for the increase of your Kingdom and set forward the eternal praise of your name; through Jesus Christ your Son, our Lord. **Amen.**

Old Testament: Job 23:1-9, 16-17(Optional)

Responsive Reading: Psalm 22:1-15 (578) (Optional)

- 1.My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why are you so far from helping me, from the words of my groaning?
- 2.O my God, I cry by day, but you do not answer; and by night, but find no rest.
- 3.Yet you are holy, enthroned on the praises of Israel.
- 4.In you our ancestors trusted; they trusted, and you delivered them.
- 5.To you they cried, and were saved; in you they trusted, and were not put to shame.
- 6.But I am a worm, and not human; scorned by others, and despised by the people.

- 7.All who see me mock at me; they make mouths at me, they shake their heads;
- 8. 'Commit your cause to the LORD; let him deliver let him rescue the one in whom he delights!'
- 9. Yet it was you who took me from the womb; you kept me safe on my mother's breast.
- 10.On you I was cast from my birth, and since my mother bore me you have been my God.
- 11.Do not be far from me, for trouble is near and there is no one to help.
- **12.Many bulls encircle me, strong bulls of Bashan surround me;** 13 they open wide their mouths at me, like a ravening and roaring lion.
- 14.I am poured out like water, and all my bones are out of joint; my heart is like wax; it is melted within my breast;

15my mouth is dried up like a potsherd, and my tongue sticks to my jaws; you lay me in the dust of death.

GLORY be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost!

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be: world without end. Amen.

Epistle: Hebrews 4:12-16 (Optional)

Gospel Mark 10:17-31-by a member

Item: The Choir

Notices & Offering-Congregational Steward on Duty

Praise and Worship

Sermon: Rev Tyrone Hunkins

Holy Communion Hymn #424 "Be Known To Us in Breaking Bread"

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Intercessory Prayers-Rev Tyrone Hunkins

Closing Hymn

Benediction

Welcome! We bid all of you welcome to our Worship. In our pulpit today is Rev. Tyrone Hunkins. Be blessed as we worship together.

We invite all of you to join us online this evening at 6:00 pm for our Evening Worship.

Please remember the Sick and Shut-in members of this Congregation in prayer and give them a call.

We extend condolences to all members who are mourning the death of a loved one

CONGREGATION NOTICES

Today Sunday	13 th -	10:00am Meeting with Parents and Youths
Tuesday	15^{th}	7:00pm- Congregational Resources &
		Development
Wednesday	$16^{\rm th}$	2:00pm- Funeral Service for Sis
		Millicent Joseph at the Church
		7:00pm - Congregational Mission &
		Evangelism Committee Meeting
Friday	18^{th}	7:00pm – Fellowship Social at The
		Hodges Bay Methodist Manse
Wednesday	23^{rd}	7:00pm- Congregational Council –at the
		Church

All Saints Service

The Annual Memorial Service to commemorate the lives of persons deceased between September 2022 and August 2024 will be held in this Chapel on Sunday, 3rd November, 2024, <u>during the morning Worship Service.</u>

CIRCUIT MEETINGS

The Circuit Resources and Development Committee Meeting will take place on Thursday 17th October, 2024 at 5:00pm, Conference Room. The members of this meeting are: Ministers appointed to the Circuit, The Circuit Stewards, The Congregations' Treasurer & her Assistant, one congregational Steward from EACH Congregation and one person appointed by The R & D Committee of EACH Congregation.

Antigua Circuit Council: This Council will meet on **Thursday, 31st October, 2024**, 5.00-7:30pm at the Ebenezer Methodist Chapel. The members of this meeting are:

- (i) Ministers appointed to the Circuit
- (ii) The Circuit Stewards, the Congregations' Treasurer & her Assistant
- (iii) <u>From EACH</u> Congregation: ALL Congregational Stewards, one representative from the Pastoral Council and one from each Standing Committee, the representative elected to the Circuit Council by the Congregational Meeting and the Church School Superintendent.
- (iv) The Chairperson & Secretary of EACH Standing Committee (R&D, M&E & O&E)
- (v) Two representatives appointed by the Circuit Pastoral Council
- (vi) One representative from each Commission appointed by the Cir. O&E Com.

Please ensure your congregation is represented

Do You hear God calling you to serve His church as a Preacher or Minister? Are you wondering what it takes? Well, this is for you.

On Saturday 26th October, 2024, all roads lead to Parham Church for a Prospective Candidates Retreat from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Who should attend? Anyone who is seeking to respond to the Call of God on their lives to proclaim His Word or to serve in various forms of ministry. The retreat will explore the ministries of: - The Itinerant Presbyter, The Deacon, The Local Presbyter, The Lay Preacher.

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Please call the Circuit Office by **Monday 21**st **October** to indicate your interest and attendance, See you there!