ORDER OF WORSHIP

THEME:

Out of the darkness into His marvellous Light (Focus: Anxiety)

INTROIT- ReGeneration music

CALL TO WORSHIP- from Psalm 27:1-9 – Rev'd Charlene Burton

Leader: The LORD is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear?

The LORD is the stronghold of my life— of whom shall I be afraid?

Cong: Though an army besiege me, my heart will not fear; though war

breakout against me, even then I will be confident.

Leader: For in the day of trouble he will keep me safe in his dwelling; he will

hide me in the shelter of his sacred tent and set me high upon a rock.

All: Hear my voice when I call, LORD; be merciful to me and answer me. My heart says of you, "Seek his face!" Your face, LORD, I will

seek.

Opening Hymn / song- "I know who holds tomorrow" VIP 195

PRAYERS OF ADORATION, CONFESSION, THANKSGIVING-

(Tehri-Ann Brown)

WELCOME - Steward on Duty

DISTRICT PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

NOTICES (Video)

COLLECTION OF OFFERINGS / BLESSING OF BIRTHDAY AND WEDDING

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRANTS

TIME OF PRAISE AND WORSHIP- PMC Praise Team

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN

(After which the children <13 y depart for Sunday School)

TIME OF TESTIMONY

Hymn- "He touched me" VIP 181

SPEAKER- A Teaching on Anxiety (Chaday Nelson, psychologist)

MINISTRY OF THE WORD:

• Old testament- Isaiah 9: 1-4 (Bro. Daryl Pepple)

Epistle- 1 Corinthians 1: 10-18 (Sis. Lecia Julal)

Gospel- Matthew 4: 12-23

SERMON

RESPONSE

ReGeneration music

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION - Rev. Charlene Burton

Leader: The Lord be with you

Response: And also with you

Leader: Let us pray.

Lord, you have been our dwelling place in all generations and have enabled men and women to achieve great feats in your name. To you we commend the pioneers of our faith who have laboured and into whose labour we have entered.

Resp: Bless your servants now labouring in your vineyard as Ministers, Preachers, Class Leaders, Leaders of organizations and committees, Sunday School Teachers, Stewards and other Church workers. Inspire them to reflect the transforming power of your Word through the Holy Spirit.

Leader: As we confront the challenges of the present age, in particular those related to our environment and our human health and well-being, keep us focused on you and committed to our task to share the good news with everyone everywhere and to be witnesses in word and daily living.

Resp: Help us to be a Church which cares for all persons, challenges injustice, and seeks to revitalize home and family life and a church ever ready to build bridges through love for humanity. Guide the on-going deliberations of your church as we seek to serve successive generations.

Leader: Bear up the leaders of our nation and be present with us as we

grapple with our shared mandate to reform and build Jamaica Land

We Love.

Resp: Help us to be good examples in our proclamation of the

Gospel and in our motivations, actions, and relationships.

Closing Hymn - "Love lifted me" VIP 170

BENEDICTION

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES –29th – Sis. Soba Pepple; **30**th – Sis. Hyacinth Allen, Bro. Dave Mitchell; **31**st – Sis. Audrey Thomas

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE 8:30 A.M. SERVICE

Class 22 will meet in the Lower Hall. Leaders: Sis. Etta Whiteman & Sis. Hazel Campbell

TODAY: - 4:00 p.m. DISTRICT CONFERENCE SERVICE will be held at Saxthorpe Methodist Church

ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Tues. 28 Jan	6:00 p.m.	BIBLE STUDY – Focus on the Conference's
	I	Faith & Order Statement on Homosexuality.
Wed. 29 Jan	12 Noon.	PRAYER FELLOWSHIP
	6:30 p.m. (CLASS 40 will meet in the Upper Hall. Leader:
		Sis. Shirley Carby & Bro. Paul Singh
Thur 30 Jan	5:30 p.m.	VOICES AT DAWN
	7:15 p.m.	CHANCEL CHOIR
Fri. 31 Jan		JUNIOR CHOIR

FUTURE EVENTS

Sun. 02	Feb	6:00 a.m.	HOLY COMMUNION
			Rev'd Dr. Oral Thomas
		7:45 a.m.	ADULT CHURCH SCHOOL
		8:30 a.m.	HOLY COMMUNION
			Rev'd Dr. Oral Thomas
		5:00 p.m.	EVENING COMMUNION SERVICE
		·	Sis. Fay Nash-Campbell
Mon. 03	Feb	6:00 p.m.	PROPÉRTY COMMITTEE MEETING

Sun. 16 Feb 5:00 p.m. **ANNUAL CHOIR HYMN FESTIVAL** in memory of the late Rev. Dr Byron K. Chambers will be held

here at Providence.

CONDOLENCES TO:

- The Members of the JNCH on the recent death of one of their residents, Patricia Scott. The Funeral Service will be held here at Providence on Wednesday, January 29, 2020 at 10:00 a.m.
- The Family of Sis. Myra Lynch who died recently. The Thanksgiving Service will be held here at Providence on Friday, January 31, 2020 at 2:00 p.m.
- The Family of Inez Scott who died recently. The Funeral Service will be announced at a later date.
- The Family of the late Sis. Cynthia Gordon who died recently. The Funeral arrangements will be announced at a later date.
- The Family of Bro. Adrian Mitchell and wife on the death of their son.
 The Funeral Service will be announced at a later date.

Our Annual Benefit Play... This year it is "Once a man Twice a Wife" and will be held on Saturday 29th February 2020 at 5.00pm at the Little Little Theatre. Cost. \$1,800.00 Tickets are now available from members of the Fundraising Committee.

TEHILLÂH BENEFIT CONCERT in aid of the Medical Tuition Fundraising Efforts for Devon Malcolm Brewster will be held, for a second time, at the University Chapel on February 29, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. The concert will feature Mr. Aldrick "Allie" McNab, Mr. Michael Sean Harris, a special Soloist from the National Dance Theatre Company and the JAMAICA YOUTH CHORALE among other performances Tickets cost \$2,000 and will be available for purchase next week. Evangelistic Services: Our 2020 Crusade, Week of Evangelistic Services, will be from 15-22 March under the Theme: JESUS is calling YOU! Mathew 28:16-20 commands us "to make disciples". This presents a real opportunity since renewing our Covenant (first Sunday in January) to commit our time, talent and treasure to be used to build the Kingdom. Listen for the many ways in which we can each share in the Mission, testify to the change God has made in our life and encourage others to respond to Jesus' call.

THE 8TH QUINQUENNIAL ASSEMBLY OF MCCA WOMEN is scheduled to be held in Port-of-Spain, Trinidad at the Hyatt Regency Hotel during the period July 22nd – July 27th 2020. Information on registration and accommodation is available on their website www.mccawomen.org Early registration is in progress and ends January 31, 2020.

PLEASE REMEMBER PRAYERFULLY, CALL AND VISIT - Sis. Laurel Bruce, 15 Deanery Ave, 928-1873; Sis. Verona Cameron; Sis. Helen Chambers, 34 Charlemont Drive. 927-0747; Sis. Keturah Forrest, 10 Old Henry Lane(6), 927-5395; Sis. Lois Kelly-Miller, Gordon Town. St. Andrew: Sis. Pearl Morgan, 5 Elliott Ave(8), 924-0005; Sis. Inez Morrison, Trafalgar Apartments, 1 Caribbean Close, 667-1963; Sis. Gertrude Phillips, 4 Finchley Close(6), 977-9861; Sis. Violet Tapper, 1 Phadrian Ave. (6); Sis. Cynthia Walsh, 11 Ravinia Mews (6), 927-0275; Sis. Jean Andrade, 14 Roseneath Ave. 946-2769; Sis Ina Chambers, 1 Chambers Lane (6), 978-6398; Sis. Lilith Johnson, 29 Hope Mews (6),927-7021; Sis Mavis Mitchell, (970 1688); Bro. Horace Brown, 8 Halifax Cres, 978-0091; Sis. Lauris Goldson, 30 Glendon Circle, 927-0711; Sis. Clover Treasure, 816-2424; Sis. Winsome Jameson, 453-6983; Bro. Carlton Brown, Sis. Bernice Saunders, 7 Maynard Dr, Patrick City. Sis. Grace Boyne, Sis. Joyce Bolton, Sis. Alma Smith, Sis. Verna George, Sis. Isolene Livingstone, Sis. Beryl Miles; Bro. Lester Palmer, Sis. Gwendoline Thomas, Sis. Sybil Francis, Sis Lesma Brown, Sis. Pam Morris, Sis. Muriel Lewis, Sis. Pauline Mason, Sis. Enid Phillips, Sis. Marjory Smythe, Sis. Sadie Mitchell, Sis. Carmen Subaran, Sis. Elaine Rickards, Sis. Mae Polack, Rev'd Claude Cadogan; Sis. Lena Anderson, Sis. Janice Robinson, Sis. Inez Bernard, Bro. Eric King, Rev'd Dr. Rupert Young, Sis. Patricia Welsh, Sis. Gerda Theobalds, Sis. Hazel Cobran, Bro. **Roy Thomas**

THIS WEEK'S DEVOTIONAL READINGS FROM "OUR DAILY BREAD"

Sun. 26 Jan Revelation 4 Holy, Holy, Holy Mon. 27 Jan Ecclesiastes 5:1-7 The Last Word Tues. 28 Jan Psalm 92 Joy Wed. 29 Jan Matt 18:1-5;19-13-4 Like a Little Child

Thur 30 Jan Psalm 46 Able and Available Fri. 31 Jan Isaiah 1:16-20 White as Snow Sat. 01 Feb Matthew 21:12-16 National Treasure

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DIVINE WORSHIP DISTRICT COUNCIL LORD'S DAY

3rd LORD'S DAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

Sunday, January 26, 2020 8:30 a.m.

PREACHER

Rev'd Charlene Burton Youth

ORGANIST

Bro. Godfrey Taylor

STEWARD ON DUTY

Sis. Cesna McCain, Sis. Pamella McKenzie, Sis. Sharda Small, Sis. Soba Pepple