

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE AND INVOLVEMENT**

- † **Today:** TRINITY SUNDAY  
 † **This Week:**  
 † **Office Hours:** Tuesday & Fridays 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. & 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. (D.C. Moore Centre.)  
 † **Mon.:** Touch of Love Ministry at 7:30 p.m.  
 † **Tues.:** Women's Fellowship at 6:30 p.m.  
 † **Wed.:** Bible Study at 7:00 p.m.  
 † **Fri.:** New Generation Ministries at 6:30 p.m.  
 † Church Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m.  
 † **Sat.:** Prayer Meeting at 6:30 a.m.  
 † **Next Sunday:** Christian Education Hour: Adults – 8:00 a.m.; Youth – 9:30 a.m.  
 † Divine Worship & Holy Communion at 9:30 a.m.

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Be still, for the presence of the Lord,  
 The Holy One, is here;  
 Come bow before Him now  
 With reverence and fear:  
 In Him no sin is found – We stand on holy ground.  
 Be still, for the presence of the Lord,  
 The Holy One, is here.

Be still, for the glory of the Lord  
 Is shining all around;  
 He burns with holy fire,  
 With splendour He is crowned:  
 How awesome is the sight – Our radiant King of light!  
 Be still, for the glory of the Lord  
 Is shining all around.

Be still, for the power of the Lord  
 Is moving in this place:  
 He comes to cleanse and heal,  
 To minister His grace – No work too hard for Him.  
 In faith receive from Him.  
 Be still, for the power of the Lord  
 Is moving in this place.

**Prayer Needs:**

**Our Shut-ins:** Eunice Applewhaite, Aileen Bowen, Royle Deane, Carl Forde, Clement Harper, Grace Lashley, Erla Reid, Carol St. John.



**The Sick/Recovering:** Cynthia Walrond, Harold Carrington

Thanks to our readers, ushers, contributors to the Basket of Hope, our floral donors/arrangers, our sound technicians and visual aids technicians.



**Today:** Tricia Babb, Heather Barker, Natalie Carmichael & Deighton Davis

**Advanced:** Shania Goddard (29<sup>th</sup>), Shonda Forde & Macario Maynard (30<sup>th</sup>), Sharon Greaves (June 1<sup>st</sup>)

**MORAVIAN BIRTHDAY SONG**

With Thy presence, Lord, our Head and Saviour,  
 Bless them all we humbly pray;  
 Our dear heavenly Father's love and favour  
 Be their comfort every day.  
 May the Holy Ghost in each proceeding,  
 Favour them with his most gracious leading;  
 Thus shall they be truly blessed,  
 Both in labour and in rest.

**Thought for the Day**

Holy, holy, holy Lord God almighty!  
 Early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee!  
 Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty!  
 God in three persons, blessed Trinity. — Heber. —

TO UNDERSTAND GOD IS IMPOSSIBLE; TO WORSHIP HIM IS IMPERATIVE.

**PROVINCIAL THEME 2018:**

*Fulfilling the Mandate – Live As Kingdom Citizens.*



Take a cell-phone moment: Take the time now to set your phone to silent or turn it off. Help us to maintain our worship focus.

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Sunday, May 27, 2018

TRINITY SUNDAY

9:30 a.m.

**Welcome:** The heavens declare His righteousness, And all the peoples see His glory (Psalm 97:6). Welcome is extended to you today on this Trinity Sunday. May you become aware of the majesty of God as you worship.

**Pastor:** Rev. Ezra Parris  
(Manse: 246-546-0344)

**Associate Pastor:**  
Rev. Movelle Kellman

**Organist:** Bro. Carl Ifill

**WATCHWORD:** Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory. (Isaiah 6:3)



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Organ Prelude

Introit

Litany for Trinity Sunday (pg. 153 – *Liturgy Book, Leaflet/projected*)

Opening Hymn: 19 – “*Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty*” (16)

Litany for Trinity Sunday (continued – pg 153)

Canticle 6 – St. Patrick’s Hymn (*Canticle 8*)

Welcome, Celebrations & Notices

Greeting Song: 594 – “*Let us share true peace*” (x4)

Choruses

**Worship in Tithes & Offerings: Offertory Sentence:** “*Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal; but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.*”

(Matt. 6:19-21)

Tithes/Offertory Hymn: 527 – “*Be still for the presence ...*”

(Hymn of the Month)

Prayer of Dedication of Offerings

Choral Response: 718 vs. 1 & 2 – “*We give thee but thine own*” (678)

### Ministry of the Word:

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1 – 8

Second Reading: John 3:1 – 17

Church Choir Anthem – “*Holy Art Thou*”

**Sermon** – – *Rev. Ezra Parris*

Prayer of Commitment & Intercession

Hymn 543 – “*This child we dedicate to thee*” (500)

Baptism of Infants (pg. 1 – *CMP/projected*)

Closing Hymn: 20 – “*Praise we God the Father’s Name*” (17)

**Benediction**

**Organ Postlude**



I bind unto myself today  
the strong Name of the Trinity,  
by invocation of the same,  
the Three in One, and One in Three.



## NEWS, INFORMATION & REMINDERS

1. Team members needed! We want to strengthen our **media ministry** and we are in need of volunteers to be trained in the use of our hymn projection system. If you are interested, please submit your names to the pastors or the Church Office.
2. The 2019 (North American) **Moravian Women’s Conference** will be held June 20-23, 2019 under the Theme: *Unleash Your Power!* at Embassy Suites by Hilton, Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Featured speaker will be New York Times Bestselling Author, Rachel Held Evans, with additional Keynotes by Bishop Kay Ward and the Rev. Christie Melby-Gibbons. Registration opens July 1, 2018 at [www.moravian.online/women](http://www.moravian.online/women).
3. The **32nd Provincial Synod of the Moravian Church Eastern West Indies Province** will be held July 5 to 11, 2019. We invite members and friends of the Moravian Church to make weekly contributions of at least \$1.00 towards those costs for which this Conference will be responsible. This contribution will be collected on the First Sunday of each month. Envelopes are available.
4. **Flowers are needed for our church!** You will find on the Notice Board next to the main door to the church, a roster in the shape of flower. You may sign up to indicate that you would (1) cover the cost to obtain flowers for the arrangements or (2) provide the complete arrangements, for a particular Sunday(s). Feel free to join with others to provide the flowers to celebrate your birthday(s) etc.
5. Sunday Morning **Bus Route to Sharon:** Quarry Road (8:30 a.m.), Redman’s Village (8:35), Padmore Village (8:45), Melrose, Edge Hill Terrace (8:50), Canewood, Jackson Tenantry (9:00 a.m.), Sharon (9:05).
6. **Bus Fund** – Contributions for the up-keep of the Bus can be made making use of brown envelopes which are available from the vestry.
7. Remember the “**Basket of Hope**” ministry wherein you have opportunity to make contributions of non-perishable food items, which are distributed to those in need. Contributions can be made every Sunday, during the offertory hymn.



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8. **Moravian Radio Programme:** “Moravian Voice” on LIFE 97.5 FM, Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m.
9. **Provincial Theme 2018: “Advance the Kingdom: Live As Kingdom Citizens”** There are many keys but ONE door. By studying the many keys to the kingdom we will be brought to the knowledge that keys are accessible, available and ought be fully utilized: **The Key of Jesus** (Philippians 2:1-11, Revelation 3:7-13); **The Key of the Word** (John 8:31-36, Psalm 1, Luke 4:4); **The Key of Knowledge** (Proverbs 3:5-12); **The Key of the Holy Spirit** (Luke 4).

### In the Month of June 2018:

- † **Moravian Credit Union AGM** – Postponed
- † **Meeting of the Provincial Ministers of Music** – 3<sup>rd</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> in Barbados
- † **Gracehill Preschool Tea Party** – Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m. on the school grounds.
- † **Songs From Our Hymnal** (with Provincial Ministers of Music) — Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.
- † **Father’s Day** – Sunday, 17<sup>th</sup>
- † **Missionary Festival at Mount Tabor** – Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup>
- † **Conference Prayer Breakfast** – Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> at Fulnec
- † **Sharon Women’s Fellowship 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Service** – Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 a.m.
- † **Conference Evangelistic Services** – Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup>

