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# Sharon Moravian Church

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Sunday, May 14, 2023 **Sixth Sunday of Easter** Mother's Day 9:30 a.m.

Welcome to all, whether you are in the sanctuary or Welcome: online, at home or abroad; on this Mother's Day as we celebrate and give God thanks for our mothers. We give special welcome to all women as we express our appreciation for their maternal care. Welcome.

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WATCHWORD: Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; give to him glorious praise. (Psalm 66: 1,2)

# **Provincial Theme 2023:**

"SHIFT: Reclaiming Our Identity, Renewing Our Purpose, and Re-Igniting Our Passion"

# **ORDER OF SERVICE**



**Organ Prelude** 

**Introit** 

Call to Worship (Psalm 117):

Leader: Praise the LORD, all you Gentiles! Laud Him, all you peoples!

All: For His merciful kindness is great toward us, And the truth of the LORD endures forever. Praise the LORD!

Hymn 28 – "Praise My Soul, The King of Heaven"

Litany for Women & Mothers (p. 210 – Liturgy Book / Projected)

**WORSHIP IN TITHES & OFFERINGS** 

Offertory Sentence: "In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak; remembering the words the Lord Jesus Himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" (Acts 20:35)

Offertory Hymn: 351 – "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Prayer of Dedication of Tithes & Offerings- Sis. Lelia Gibbs

Offertory Doxology: "Thank, Thanks, I Give You Thanks"

Greetings, Celebrations & Notices - Sis. Joan Taylor

Poem: "To Mothers" - Sis. Etwin Parris

Hymn 681 – "When Mothers of Salem" – Sung by all Women

Presentations – Adventures in Worship

**Adoration in Songs & Choruses** 

MINISTRY OF THE WORD:

First Scripture Reading: Exodus 2:1 – 10 – Sis. Candace Barker

Choir Anthem - "You Raise Me Up"

Second Scripture Reading: Mark 5:25 – 34 – Sis. Ingrid Ibrahim

Hymn of Preparation: "Draw Me Close To You"

The Sermon – Sis. Kerry-Ann Doughty

**Prayer of Commitment and Intercession** 

Hymn 281 – "I am Thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice"

The Benediction & Organ Postlude



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### Hymn 28 -

Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
To his feet thy tribute bring;
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Who like thee his praise should sing?
Praise him, praise him,
Praise the everlasting King.

Praise him for his grace and favour
To our fathers in distress;
Praise him, still the same for ever,
Slow to chide and swift to bless:
Praise him, praise him,
Glorious in his faithfulness.

Father-like he tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame he knows;
In his hands he gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes:
Praise him, praise him,
Widely as his mercy flows.

Frail as summer's flower we flourish;
Blows the wind and it is gone;
But, while mortals rise and perish,
God endures unchanging on:
Praise him, praise him,
Praise the high eternal One.

Angels, help us to adore him; Ye behold him face to face; Sun and moon, bow down before him;
Dwellers all in time and space,
Praise him, praise him,
Praise with us the God of grace.



### WOMEN AND MOTHERS

### All standing.

Today, Lord God, we give thanks and praise for all women and mothers; all who have joined with you in the special task of co-creating.

### For them and their labours, we praise you.

For all women who have yielded their bodies as vehicles and borne children and replenished your creation.

### We give you thanks, O Lord.

For women who have nurtured and cared for other people's children and loved them as their own.

### We give you thanks, O Lord.

For women who each day make personal sacrifices as they toil to provide for fatherless children.

### We give you thanks, O Lord.

For women who have lost their lives while giving life to others.

## We give you thanks, O Lord.

For Mary, the mother of our Lord Jesus Christ, and for all other Christian women who taught their children the faith and to walk in your fear.

## We give you thanks, O Lord.

For women who have successfully served and excelled in their chosen careers and for those who have supported their efforts and lauded their achievements;

## We give you thanks, O Lord.

For those women who have given of their best, whether with the family, the marketplace, the Church, or seats of leadership;

### Father in heaven, we thank you.

Tune: Thank You Lord

Thank you Lord, thank you Lord, thank you Lord. I just want to thank you; I just want to thank you; I just want to thank you Lord.

**Traditional** 

### All seated.

We pray, O heavenly Father:

For mothers who have laboured with men to bring up their children in your faith and favour.

Strengthen them O Lord.

For women and mothers who teach our children in the classrooms of life.

Strengthen them O Lord.

For those who are frustrated with demands and responsibilities of nurturing young lives.

Strengthen and encourage them O Lord.

For those who feel broken and bruised by the pressures of this life.

Strengthen and encourage them O Lord.

### All Women:

Loving God, you created us for yourself. Forgive us where we have taken lightly the tasks of motherhood and the blessings of womanhood.

For those who have not given love and care to others in need;

For those who have not lived out their faith so that others can see;

For those who have failed to be who you call us to be, we seek forgiveness, Lord. Help us to see that you desire to fill us with yourself and make us whole.

Tune: Fill My Cup

Like the woman at the well, I was seeking For things that could not satisfy; And then I heard my Saviour speaking: 'Draw from my well that never shall run dry.'

Fill my cup Lord, I lift it up Lord!

Come and quench this thirsting of my soul;

Bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more –

Fill my cup, fill it up and make me whole!

*Richard E. Blanchard* (1925 – 2004)

Lord, we pray for women who are victims of war and poverty and for those who are raped and brutalized daily.

Speak your peace, Lord, to the troubled sea of their lives and change their course. Speak your courage and your power that they may rise up and change the course of their lives.

Lord, we pray for women and mothers who struggle to make ends meet and have nothing to set before their children. We lift up before you women and others who live in situations of domestic violence; those who feel small and worthless to change their situation; those who feel ashamed and endure their pain in silence. Lord, hear our prayer.

### And let our cry come unto you.

Loving Lord, we think of those women, who as mothers, have suffered the loss of children. We remember especially the children who have died in their youth and infancy. We are confident, good Lord, that you have taken them into your everlasting arms. Help us to not forget the women who are mothers of unborn children – pregnancies which have been miscarried or aborted. We also lift before you women who patiently await the joys of motherhood and those who have not had that privilege.

Give your grace and strength, merciful Lord.

Lord, we thank you for all women and for our mothers. We are grateful for the sacrifice they have made. We thank you too for the Christian example they have set by raising those entrusted to their care in the house of God. Forgive us where we have neglected to express our love and gratitude to those women whose lives have impacted ours. Lead us to honour and respect our mothers and the women in our lives.

May Almighty God bless all women and mothers. May Jesus Christ empower them to do His will. And, may the Holy Spirit lead them into all truth, in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

\*\*Amen\*\*

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### WORSHIP IN TITHES & OFFERINGS

Offertory Sentence: "In everything I did, I showed you that by this kind of hard work we must help the weak; remembering the words the Lord Jesus Himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'" (Acts 20:35)

## Offertory Hymn: 351 -

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father,
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not,
As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be.

Great is Thy faithfulness: Great is Thy faithfulness!

Morning by morning new mercies I see

All I have needed, Thy hand hath provided,

"Great is Thy faithfulness", Lord unto me!

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon and stars in their courses above, Join with all nature in manifold witness, To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!



# Prayer of Dedication of Offerings – Sis. Lelia Gibbs

### Offertory Doxology

Thanks, thanks, I give you thanks
For all you've done
I am so blessed, my soul is at rest
O Lord, I give you thanks.



Greetings, Celebrations & Notices – Sis. Joan Taylor



Poem: "To Mothers" - Sis. Etwin Parris



## Hymn 681 – (Sung by all Women)

When mothers of Salem their children brought to Jesus,
The stern disciples drove them back and bade them depart;
But Jesus saw them e're they fled, and sweetly smiled, and kindly said,
'Suffer little children to come unto Me.'

'For I will receive them and fold them in My bosom;
I'll be a shepherd to these lambs, O drive them not away;
For, if their hearts to Me they give, they shall with Me in glory live:
Suffer little children to come unto Me.'

How kind was our Saviour to bid these children welcome! But there are many thousands who have never heard His name; The Bible they have never read, they know not that the Saviour said, 'Suffer little children to come unto Me.'

O soon may the heathen of every tribe and nation Fulfill Thy blessed word, and cast their idols all away;
O shine upon them from above, and show Thyself a God of love,
Teach the little children to come unto Thee.



Presentations – Adventures in Worship



**Adoration in Songs & Choruses** 



### MINISTRY OF THE WORD

# First Scripture Reading: Exodus 2:1 – 10 – Sis. Candace Barker

- **1.** And there went a man of the house of Levi, and took to wife a daughter of Levi.
- 2. And the woman conceived, and bare a son: and when she saw him that he was a goodly child, she hid him three months.
- 3. And when she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink.
- **4.** And his sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him.
- 5. And the daughter of Pharaoh came down to wash herself at the river; and her maidens walked along by the river's side; and when she saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it.
- **6.** And when she had opened it, she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him, and said, This is one of the Hebrews' children.
- 7. Then said his sister to Pharaoh's daughter, Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for thee?
- **8.** And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, Go. And the maid went and called the child's mother.

- **9.** And Pharaoh's daughter said unto her, Take this child away, and nurse it for me, and I will give thee thy wages. And the women took the child, and nursed it.
- **10.** And the child grew, and she brought him unto Pharaoh's daughter, and he became her son. And she called his name Moses: and she said, Because I drew him out of the water.



Choir Anthem - "You Raise Me Up"



## Second Scripture Reading: Mark 5: 25 – 34 – Sis. Ingrid Ibrahim

- 25. And a certain woman, which had an issue of blood twelve years,
- **26.** And had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse,
- **27.** When she had heard of Jesus, came in the press behind, and touched his garment.
- 28. For she said, If I may touch but his clothes, I shall be whole.
- **29.** And straightway the fountain of her blood was dried up; and she felt in her body that she was healed of that plague.
- **30.** And Jesus, immediately knowing in himself that virtue had gone out of him, turned him about in the press, and said, Who touched my clothes?
- **31.** And his disciples said unto him, Thou seest the multitude thronging thee, and sayest thou, Who touched me?
- **32.** And he looked round about to see her that had done this thing.
- **33.** But the woman fearing and trembling, knowing what was done in her, came and fell down before him, and told him all the truth.
- **34.** And he said unto her, Daughter, thy faith hath made thee whole; go in peace, and be whole of thy plague.



### Hymn of Preparation: "Draw Me Close To You"

Draw me close to you

Never let me go

I lay it all down again

To hear you say that I'm your friend

You are my desire

No one else will do

'Cause nothing else can take your place

To feel the warmth of your embrace

Help me find the way

Bring me back to you

You're all I want – You're all I've ever needed You're all I want – Help me know you are near

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Sermon – Sis. Kerry-Ann Doughty



### **Prayer of Commitment & Intercession**



Closing Hymn: 281 –

I am Thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice, And it told Thy love to me; But I long to rise in the arms of faith, And be closer drawn to Thee.

Draw me nearer, nearer blessèd Lord, To the cross where Thou hast died; Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer, blessèd Lord, To Thy precious, bleeding side.

Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord,
By the power of grace divine;
Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope,
And my will be lost in Thine

Oh, the pure delight of a single hour
That before Thy throne I spend,
When I kneel in prayer, and with Thee, my God,
I commune as friend with friend.

There are depths of love that I cannot know
Till I cross the narrow sea;
There are heights of joy that I may not reach
Till I rest in peace with Thee.



### The Benediction



# **Organ Postlude**



### Welcome, Celebrations & Notices

Welcome to all, whether you are in the sanctuary or online, at home or abroad; on this Mother's Day as we celebrate and give God thanks for our mothers. We give special welcome to all women as we express our appreciation for their maternal care. Welcome.



<u>Today:</u> Gwendolyn Brewster & Gabrielle Cumberbatch <u>Advanced:</u> Dawn Maynard (15<sup>th</sup>), Jarad Lewis & Kianna Rouse (20<sup>th</sup>)



Congratulations to Bro. Martin & Sis. Sophia Codrington who will celebrate their 19<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary on May 15, 2023.

### **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.



### **OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE & INVOLVEMENT**

- **† Today:** MOTHER'S DAY
  - **†** Divine Worship at 9:30 a.m.
- † This Week:
- → Office Hours Tuesday and Friday, 8:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 4:30 p.m. (D. C. Moore Centre).
- **†** Tuesday: Women's Fellowship − Online via Zoom at 6:00 p.m.
- † Wednesday: Bible Study − 6:00 p.m. online via Zoom. Meeting ID: 861
   4335 8604 / Passcode: 244093.
- † Friday: Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 p.m.
- **♦ Next Sunday: Divine Worship at 9:30 a.m.** 
  - **♦** Adventures in Worship (All Ages) 10:00 a.m. at the D. C. Moore Centre



## In the Month of May 2023:

- **♦** Meeting of the Provincial Elders Conference (The Administrative Board of the Province) May 24 28, 2023 in Barbados.
- **₱** Pentecost Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> (Testimony Service)

# In the Month of June 2023:

**†** Trinity Sunday − 4th

- **†** Fellowship Sunday Outdoor Worship − 11th. We will invite our friends and people from our community to have an open-air worship experience with us; then we will open our picnic baskets and have lunch and fellowship on the grounds.
- **†** Father's Day − 18th
- **♦** Conference Evangelism 25th 30th

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### **NEWS, INFORMATION & REMINDERS**

- 1. The Women's Fellowship will hold a Farmer's Market immediately after Church on Sundays. Seventy-five percent (75%) of the financial proceeds will go to the Church. Items will cost either \$3.00 or \$5.00.
- 2. From the Chairman of P.E.C:
- The Provincial Elders' Conference will meet from May 24 28, 2023 in the Barbados Conference. Your prayers are requested as we deliberate on significant matters before the Province while also interacting with members of the Barbados Conference.
- The Provincial family celebrates with Rev. Kevin St. Hill and his wife, Dr. Shanele Chase-St. Hill on the birth of their son, Justice Kai St. Hill on April 29, 2023 in Barbados. Both mom and baby are doing well. Please pray for the St. Hill family as they celebrate this new birth. May the Spirit of God continue to keep them.
- 3. We are thankful for your financial support.
- We do need your ongoing support so that we can maintain our ministry, our facilities and paying property insurance. So we ask for your continued faithfulness in giving as you are able.
- You are reminded that labelled envelopes can be dropped into the slot in the front door of the Manse.
- Generally, those who would give electronically can do so by direct deposit to our account at Scotiabank, Warrens 40274. You can also give via SurePay at a walk-in kiosk or using your online account. At SurePay you can make payments anonymously to the Moravian Church (Account No: 1765-1768-0000, Name: Sharon Moravian Church), or if you need your donations recorded for tax purposes and you have a box of envelopes; make payments to the Moravian Church (Account No: 1765-1768-0-[your 3-digit envelope number], Name: Your Name). Visit <a href="www.sharonmoravian.info/giving-monetary">www.sharonmoravian.info/giving-monetary</a> for these details.
- 4. Remember to listen to the Moravian Radio Programme: "Moravian Voice" on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m. on Life 97.5 FM.

- Our radio broadcast ministry Moravian Voice has been on the air for some 32 years, since Wednesday, July 18, 1990. We rejoice that we have been able to offer this ministry and we are thankful to all our listenership and all who hosted and provided content over the years. We are thankful to our congregations which faithfully sponsored the programme.
- **We** invite you to tune in for inspiration and information to enable you in your Christian walk and service.
- Moravian Voice will also be available on Instagram (<a href="www.instagram.com/moravianvoice/">www.instagram.com/moravianvoice/</a>) and the YouTube Channel of the Moravian Church Barbados Conference (<a href="https://youtube.com/c/TheMoravianChurch-BarbadosConference">https://youtube.com/c/TheMoravianChurch-BarbadosConference</a>).
- **You can email your comments and requests to:** moravianvoice@gmail.com
- 5. Our Bus is back on route on Sundays. Invite someone to get on board! The Route to Sharon: Quarry Road (8:40 a.m.), Padmore Village (8:45), Melrose, Edge Hill Terrace (8:50), First Ave. Jackson (8:55), Lodge Hill (9:00), Sharon (9:15). Contributions to the Bus Fund are welcome. Envelopes are available from the vestry.



### **Provincial Theme 2023:**

"SHIFT: Reclaiming Our Identity, Renewing Our Purpose, and Re-Igniting Our Passion"

"Broadly speaking, renewing identity speaks of who we are as Christ-followers; renewing our purpose speaks to why the church exists; re-igniting our passion speaks to our willingness to share our faith with others. – Chairman of PEC



### PRAYER NEEDS:



- 1. Our Shut-ins: Sis. Aileen Bowen, Sis. Thora Moore
- 2. The Sick/Recovering:
  - † Of our congregation: Sis. Marva Craigwell, Bro. Athelston Lawrence, Sis. Norma Nicholls, Sis. Cynthia Eversley
- 3. The Bereaved: We express condolences to and pray for: The Waithe family, on the passing of Bro. Hugh Waithe.
- 4. World Peace



## **AVAILABLE (Through the Church Office):**

- **♦** Moravian Daily Text 2023: American Paperback Edition − \$25
- Offering Envelopes for 2023 We invite each member of the congregation to receive a box of envelopes and thereby seek to faithfully support the work of the

- church. Please request that a box be provided for you if none has been provided as yet.
- Missionary Collection Boxes 2023 If you had a box last year, please collect it from the Vestry. If you desire a box for the first time, please inquire at the vestry after worship or at the Church Office.
- **♦** Sharon Burgundy Shirts: Polos − \$30 / T-Shirts − \$15
- **†** Copies of Sunday sermons on CD − \$2.00.
- **†** Books:
- Rev. Neilson Waithe: <u>Understanding the Caribbean Worker</u> \$25; Provocation \$20.
- Rev. Dr. Winelle Kirton-Roberts: <u>Created in Their Image: Evangelical Protestantism in Antigua and Barbados 1834-1914</u> \$50.
- **Rev. Dr. Joseph Nicholas:** <u>Baptism Is a Gift of God: As Such It Is More Than</u> Water \$35.
- **†** Greeting Cards (\$2.00) and Prints (\$20.00) of a painting of Sharon Church.









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### **ANTIGUA CONFERENCE**

Minister of Christian Education

Lebanon (1838) Enon (1817)

Cedar Hall (1822) Cashew Hill (1993)

Potters Zion (1881) Judges Hill (1993)

Greenbay (1845) Five Islands (1838)

Gracehill (1773) Cana (1863) Gracebay (1797) Urlings (1987)



### **BARBADOS CONFERENCE**

Calvary (1834) Gracehill (1882) Fulnec (1894)



Rev. Ezra Parris (Sup't) Sharon (1768) Dunscombe (1860) Rev. Dr. Cicely Athill-Horsford Mount Tabor (1825) Penuel (1914)

Rev. Dr. Adrian Smith Rev. Delroy Burley (Assoc) Clifton Hill (1841) Centenary (1866) Bethlehem (1964) Faith (2018) Rev. Roslyn Hamblin Rev. David Ince (Assoc)

Minister of Christian Edu.



### ST. KITTS CONFERENCE

Rev. Adelyn Mgonela

Bro. Ivyn Williams Sis. Isilin Lewis

Sis. Kerstin Petty

Bethesda (1819) New Dawn (2012) Estridge (1839) Zion (1777)

Lay Pastor



Rev. Hilton Joseph Spring Gardens (1756)
Rev. Judy Winspeare-Philip (Assoc) Gracefield (1839) Bethany (1870)

Rev. Dr. Patmore Smith (Sup't)

Sis. Marleen Browne Sis. Beverly Job

Minister of Music L'Anse Noire (1905) Rosehill (1890) Chaguanas (1894)

Memorial (1983) Minister of Christian Education



Rev. Julie Joefield-Parris

### **TOBAGO CONFERENCE**

Rev. Nigel Daniel (Sup't) Rev. Belinda Manswell-Daniel Rev. Esther Moore-Roberts

Rev. Andrew Roberts

Rev. Liselle Roberts Sis. Marilyn Alexander

Spring Gardens (1851) Bethesda (1874) Buccoo (1996)

Montgomery (1790) Minister of Christian Edu Bon Accord (1861) Black Rock (1869)

Evangel (1989) Moriah (1840) Minister of Christian Edu



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Rt. Rev. Dr. Conrad Spencer Rev. Dr. Jeremy B. Francis

Rev. Walton Frederick Rev. Kirk Barker

Rev. Elva Richards-Goodwin Sis. Rena Warner-Francis

Memorial (1843)

Faith (1999) Friedensberg (1771)

Friedensfeld (1801) New Herrnhut (1737) Emmaus (1783) Bethany (1754)

Lay Minister of Christian Education







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Rev. Erflin Browne

### "SHIFT: Reclaiming our Identity, Renewing our Purpose, and Re-igniting our Passion"

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Mar 1: The founding of the Unitas Fratrum at Lititz,

Mar 26: The election of the first Minister of the Unitas Fratrum, 1467. The Sun- day nearest March 26 is observed as a day of Prayer for Theological Education

Jun 17: The founding of Herrnhut 1722. Jul 6: The Martyrdom of John Hus, 1415

Aug 13: The Manifestation of the Holy Spirit at Hermhut 1727.

Aug 17: The revival among the children of Herrnhut, 1707.

Aug 21: The departure of the first Moravian Missionaries from Herrnhut, 1732

Nov 13: The Proclamation of the Headship of Christ in the Moravian Church, 1741. (Christ as Chief Elder of the Moravian Church.)

Dec 13: The beginning of the Moravian Missions, St. Thomas, V. I., 1732