

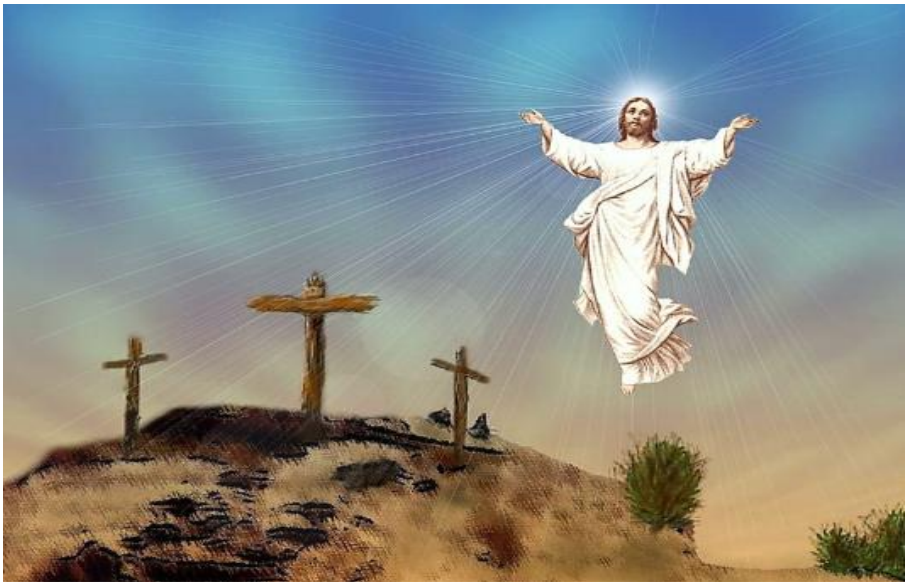


*The Providence
Methodist Church
Barbados*

5th Lord's Day of the Resurrection

Sunday, May 03, 2026

9:00 a.m.



***Preacher: Sis. Dr. Evelyn McCollin-Worrell
Congregational Steward: Sis. Althea Carter
Liturgist: Sis. Thelma Blackman
Musicians: Bro. Kumar Whitehead***

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Organ Prelude

Introit

Call to Worship

Leader: O come let us sing to the Lord: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Congregation: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

All: *For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all Gods.*

Opening Hymn: VIP # 23a O Lord My God, When I In Awesome Wonder

Opening Prayers and Lord's Prayer

Ministry by the Worship Team

Welcome, Greetings and Notices *(Sis. Althea Carter)*

Address to Children and Youth
(Sis Dr. McCollin-Worrell)

Ministry of Music by the Choir

Presentation and Blessing of Tithes and Offerings

Ministry of the Word

The Collect –God our redeemer, you have delivered s from the power of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of your Son: grant that as by his death he has recalled us to life, so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy: through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. ***Amen.***

Psalm 31: 1-5, 15- 16 [VIP 586]

Acts 7: 55-60

Epistle: 1 Peter2: 2-10

Gospel: John 14: 1-14

Hymn of Preparation : VIP # 142 - Rejoice, The Lord Is King!

Theme: *God's Remedy For Troubled Hearts*

Quiet Reflection and Prayers of Intercession

Closing Hymn: # VIP 455 - I The Lord of Sea and Sky

Kindly note Fellowship song

Benediction

WELCOME

We welcome you to the Providence Methodist Church and hope you will find our worship inspiring, as we sing, pray and worship God. We acknowledge the presence of the Preacher for today, Sis. Dr. Evelyn McCollin-Worrell

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

May 06, 2026 – Sis. Fay Marsh

May 09, 2026 – Bro. Liam Browne

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

PRAYERS

Prayers are requested for our nation and people, those mourning the loss of loved ones, as well as the sick and homebound: Sisters: Sylvia Daniel, Verona Trotman, Cynthia Layne Patricia Felix, Yvonne Weekes. We give God thanks and praise for their lives, work and witness in our church and community.

NOTICES

Kindly note that the bathrooms in Auditorium are being refurbished. During this period, males are requested to use the toilets located on the outside of the auditorium and females are requested to use the washroom in the annex. Any inconvenience caused is regretted, as we work to improve our surroundings.

Kindly note that the Five Loaves, Two Fish and Storehouse - Care Ministries have been combined under the name Storehouse Ministry. Members are encouraged to contribute to this ministry by placing the offering in container provided.

From Monday, April 27, 2026 until Friday, May 08, 2026 – The Annual Heritage Exhibition featuring The Right Excellent Sarah Ann Gill hosted by the Ann Gill Memorial Methodist Church, at the church Fairfield, St. Michael. The exhibition will be held during this period from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. daily. You are encouraged to attend.

Thursday, May 07, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. – Sunlight Bible Study facilitated by Rev. Pearson Blackman. Everyone is invited to attend.

Sunday, May 10, 2026, 6th Lord's Day of the Resurrection and Mothers' Day. Join us in a service at 9:00 a.m. when Rev. Dr. Marcelle Brathwaite will be the preacher. There will be a meeting for all women immediately after service. The readings are as follow: Acts 17: 22-31, Psalm 66: 8-20 [VIP 603], 1 Peter 3: 13-22, John 14: 15-21. Proverbs 2:1-15, Psalm 139:7-18 [VIP 652], 2 Timothy 1: 1-7, Matthew 15:21-28.

Sunday, May 10, 2026 (Mother's Day) at Vauxhall Methodist Church at 1:00 p.m. - Class 2 of the Vauxhall Methodist Church warmly invites you to their Annual Mother's Day Luncheon. let's gather for an afternoon of delicious food, wonderful fellowship, and heartfelt appreciation for all mother figures. Contribution: Adults: \$60.00 and Children under 12: \$30.00

Sunday, May 17, 2026 - Decision Day will be held. Please note that further details will be published at a later date

Activities for Methodist Heritage Month - May 2026

- Wednesday, May 13, 2026 at 7.00 p.m. at Bethel Methodist Church - The Sarah Ann Gill Memorial Lecture 2026. Ambassador David Comissioning will present under the theme: "John Wesley's Thoughts Upon Slavery: A Prism Through Which to Assess The Methodist Church's Anti-slavery Record and the Claim For Reparations"
- Sunday May 24th, 2026. 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. at the St. Leonard's School Hall: The National Aldersgate Convention 2026 will bring together members of the 20 Methodist Churches in Barbados, for a time of worship, fellowship and renewal. The theme for 2026 is "***Shifting the Atmosphere for Greater Impact***"
- Members of the congregational choirs and other interested persons are invited to be a part of the National Choir for the Convention. Sis Annette Bruce of the James Street Congregation will make contact with Organists and Choir Directors to make appropriate arrangements for participation of all choirs.

- Members are encouraged to bring along their meals to the Convention. However, the Heritage Month Committee will provide packaged refreshments which will be served during the lunch break.
- Each congregation is required to make transportation arrangements for its members. All ministries leaders and congregants are encouraged to see the convention as a day of worship and not time off from church. Every effort should be made to mobilize and facilitate the attendance children and young people.
- The Circuits are assigned the following colour schemes of **James Street Speightstown - Yellow**, **Bethel - Blue** and **Ebenezer - Green**
- Heritage Bus Tour: More information will be provided soon.

We are excited for this opportunity for the Methodist community in Barbados to gather in one place.

Additional information is posted on the notice board or available on our website at www.provmethchurchbb.com.



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