



*The Providence
Methodist Church
Barbados*

3rd Lord's Day After Pentecost

**Sunday, June 14, 2026
9:00 a.m.**



***Preacher: Sis. Shanika Best
Congregational Steward: Sis. Althea Carter
Musicians: Bro. Kumar Whitehead &
Bro. Anthony Mayers***

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Introit (*Choir*)

CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 116: 1-2, 17-19

Leader: I love the Lord because he has heard my voice and my supplications.

Congregation: Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

Leader: I will offer to you a thanksgiving sacrifice and call on the name of the Lord.

Together: I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people, in the courts of the house of the Lord, in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord!

Opening Hymn: VIP #254 – Love Divine, All Love Excelling

Opening Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

RENEWAL OF FELLOWSHIP:

Praise in Worship (*Worship Team*)

Welcome, Greetings & Announcements (*Sis. Althea Carter*)

Receiving of Offering (*Ushers Team*)

CHILDREN & YOUTH FOCUS:

Address - God Has a Job for Me

Hymn: VIP #483– This Little Light of Mine

MINISTRY OF THE WORD:

Collect: O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. **Amen**

Old Testament Reading - Genesis 18:1-15

(Sis. Robertine Chaderton)

Epistle Reading - Romans 5:1-8 *(Bro. Dominick Alleyne)*

Music Ministry - *Choir*

Gospel Reading - Matthew 9:35–10:23 *(Sis. Marlene Lovell)*

Hymn of Preparation: VIP #294 – Have Thine Own Way,
Lord!

Sermon – *“Called to Serve”*

Call to Action:

Reflection

Prayers of Intercession

Closing Hymn: VIP#186 – I Surrender All

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. Shanika Best

CONDOLENCES

The Minister and members of the Providence Methodist

Church extend condolences to the family of Rev. Pearson Blackman who passed away on June 09, 2026 12 days after his 80th birthday. Rev. Blackman was a stalwart in the Methodist Church of the Caribbean and the Americas. He was a member of the Providence Methodist Church in Barbados for over 60 where he served as Sunday School Teacher, Society Steward, and Local Preacher. He later became a Presbyterian within the MCCA where he served in not only in Barbados but also in Grenada, Trinidad and Tobago.

He was married to Sis. Thelma Blackman for 54 years and father to Lester, Kevin and Trudy and the doting grandfather of four. A service celebrating his life will be announced at a later date. Let us continue to keep his family in prayer as they grieve their loss. May his soul rest in peace. Well Done Thy Good and Faithful Servant! ***(A period of silence will be observed for the dearly departed)***

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

June 15, 2026 - Sis. Brianna Browne

June 16, 2026 - Bro. Ambrose Yarde

June 17, 2026 - Sis. Jeanette Warde & Sis. Carmetta Rouse

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

June 15, 2026 - Sis Claire Best and husband Errol

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

Tuesday June 16, 2026 at the Providence Chapel at 2:00 p.m. – The funeral for the late *Dorial Anita Sargeant* will take place. Please be guided accordingly.

Thursday, June 18, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. – Sunlight Bible Study will focus on the book of *Acts*. Everyone is invited to attend.

Friday, June 19, 2026, at 5:30 p.m. at the Donald Henry Auditorium - The Bethel Circuit Organizations and Education Committee invites all students and parents in the community to *The Big Leap: Transitioning to Secondary School (New School. New Rules. New Adventures.* A session designed to make this transition smooth. It will be facilitated educators Mrs. Astrid Carrington and Mr. Terrence Coppin.

Saturday, June 20, 2026 at 8:00 a.m.– The Providence Prayer Fellowship will meet.

Saturday, June 20, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. - The Providence Women's League will meet in the Providence Annex. An invitation is extended to all Women in the congregation to attend this meeting.

Saturday, June 20, 2026 at 4:00 p.m. at the Providence Methodist Church – Confirmation classes will continue. Rev. Dr. Marcelle Brathwaite will be leading these sessions.

Saturday, June 20, 2026 at 5:30 p.m. – At King George V Memorial Park at 5:30 p.m. The Pre-Fathers' Day T20 Classic Teams representing the Bethel Circuit and the Ebenezer Circuit compete for the Michael Charles Challenge Trophy. Food and drinks will be on sale.

Sunday, June 21, 2026, 4th Lord's Day After Pentecost and Fathers' Day - Join us for service at 9:00 a.m. when Rev. Dr. Marcelle Brathwaite will be the preacher. The readings are: Jeremiah 20:7-13, Psalm 69: 7-18, Romans 6:1b – 11, Matthew 10:24-39, Deuteronomy 6:1-9, Psalm 128, Hebrews 12:1-11, Mark 5:21-24, 35-43, During the service the ***Sacrament of Holy Communion*** will be celebrated.

Sunday, June 21, 2026, at 1:00 p.m. at the Vauxhall Methodist Church - Class 3 of the Vauxhall Methodist Church is hosting a celebratory Father's Day Luncheon. on the church grounds. Tickets are available for \$60 (Adults), \$30 (Children). Everyone is encouraged to support this venture.

Sunday, June 28, 2026 at 10:30 a.m. - South District Methodist Church Annual Bus Tour 2026. We will be journeying along the Scenic East Coast, making a stop at Barclays Park, before heading onto the Farley Hill National Park. Please contact Sis. Sandra Moore at 437-4020 to reserve your seats. Contribution is Adults: \$40 and Children: \$20. Invite a neighbor or friend for a wonderful Sunday afternoon out.

Saturday, July 04, 2026 from 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. via the ZOOM Platform - The MCCA South Caribbean District (Department of Mission, Evangelism and Church Growth) is hosting Youth Mental Health Seminar, designed specifically for children and youth to openly discuss and navigate the unique challenges they face today. Wednesday, July 01, 2026 is the deadline to submit registration (***forms are available online***). Please send your completed registration forms to natsuze28@gmail.com or WhatsApp/Phone: 231-1791. Let's equip our young people with the tools they need to thrive mentally, emotionally, and spiritually!

South Caribbean District Children's Camp 2026

Members are kindly asked to remember in prayer our children and chaperones who are preparing for an exciting and life-changing experience as they to journey to the South Caribbean District Children's Camp 2026, scheduled for July 15-22, 2026, in Grenada under the theme *"Impacting My World for Jesus."*

Support is being sought to help make this opportunity possible for our campers and chaperones. You can contribute by: Sponsoring a child (fully or partially). or monetary contributions can be made towards the fundraising cake sales. Every prayer, donation, and act of support helps invest in the spiritual growth and development of our children. If you would like to sponsor a child or contribute to the cake sale, please contact the Church School Superintendent or Sis. Annette Cherry, Secretary of the Youth Commission, at 247-5824.

The Methodist Church – Bethel Circuit invites applications for the position of Accounts Clerk. Applications should be in writing and must include a Curriculum Vitae, two Letters of Reference. All documents must be submitted in PDF format. Closing date for applications is June 30, 2026

Applications should be addressed to the Superintendent Minister – Bethel Circuit at: bethel.circuit@methodistscd.org. Further information is available on our official website.

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



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