

May we thy bounties thus  
as stewards true receive  
and gladly, as thou blessest us,  
to thee our first fruits give.

O hearts are bruised and dead,  
and homes are bare and cold  
And lambs for whom the Shepherd bled,  
are straying from the fold.

To comfort and to bless,  
to find a balm for woe  
To tend the lone and fatherless,  
is Angels' work below.

The captive to release,  
to God the lost to bring  
To teach the way of life and peace,  
it is a Christ-like thing.

And we believe Thy Word,  
though dim our faith may be  
Whate'er for Thine we do,  
O Lord, we do it unto Thee

*William Walsham How (1858)*

✠ Closing Prayer ✠

✠ BENEDICTION ✠

#### UPCOMING EVENTS—OCTOBER

- \* Harvest Ingathering Service will be on Sunday, October 20, 2024. This will be followed by an activity at 5:00 p.m. featuring creative presentations by the classes.

#### MEMBERS TO BE REMEMBERED IN OUR PRAYERS

Sis. Ruby Beckford  
Sis. Enid Shand  
Sis. Enid Coke  
Sis. Claire Anderson  
Sis. Hazel Davis  
Sis. Violet McLeary  
Sis. Samantha Taylor-Brown  
Sis. June Dunkley  
Bro. Donald Miller  
Bro. David Levermore  
Bro. Frankie Dinnald  
Rev. and Mrs. Earl & Patricia Morgan



*If you can call, visit or say a prayer for these brethren, it would be appreciated tremendously.*



Pause on a Tuesday for  
**Midday Meditation** from  
11:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.



Participate in **Bible Study** on  
Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. on  
Zoom.

Please find the Zoom link below.

#### NOTES

**Midday Meditation:** Tuesday @ 11:45—12:45 p.m.  
Join us at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81889246904?wd=VU1nMDRaRWhObY9Xa1RzdjZkVdD1dz09>  
**Meeting ID:** 818 8924 6904 **Password:** 044267

**Women's Federation:** 2nd Sundays after worship  
**Finance Committee Meeting:** Third Tuesdays

**Prayer Meeting and Bible Study:** Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m. Join us at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88257758645?pwd=RjhuVllySGNzUINWeEpUMDAvaFISZz09>  
**Meeting ID:** 882 5775 8645 **Password:** 211236

**Youth Fellowship:** Fridays @ 7:00 p.m.  
**Praise Team Practice:** Saturdays @ 5:00 p.m.  
**Church Council Meeting:** Thursday before 1st Sunday

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**Musicians:** Francois Brown (on duty)  
Oneil Simpson  
Brett Blackellar  
**Sunday School Supt.:** Sis. Sharon Earle-Edwards  
**Sunday School:** 8:00 a.m.  
Join us at: <https://tinyurl.com/BBCSundaySchool>  
**Meeting ID:** 859 2802 5543 **Passcode:** 113204  
**New Members' Class:** 8:00 a.m.  
Join us at: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88115398995?pwd=VjVjVWVdoNmIzVTIEUkpaZ3MvQXRrUT09>  
**Meeting ID:** 881 1539 8995 **Passcode:** 269869  
**Golden Spring Church:** 11:00—12:30 p.m.

# Barbican Baptist Church

THE FRIENDLY CHURCH

## Sunday Morning Divine Worship Service

October 13, 2024  
9:15 A.M.

**Church Year Theme:** Keeping Faith With The Word In An  
Ever-Changing World: Pursuing Integrity  
**Theme for the Month:** The Stewardship of the Church



**Leader:**

Sister Jonilee Harris

**Speakers:**

Reverend Dr. Victor Chiana

**Deacon on Duty:**

Deacon Dezlin Clarke

**Pastor:**

Reverend Trevor Edwards  
*Barbican/Golden Spring  
Circuit of Baptist Churches*

## APPROACH TO WORSHIP



Leader: All that we are is a gift from God.

**People: The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it,**

Leader: All that we have is a gift from God.

**People: The world, and those who live in it;**

Leader: There are no words to describe the wonders of God's creation.

**People: For God has founded it on the seas,**

Leader: Rejoice as we join together in praise for God's great gifts.

**All: God established it on the rivers.**

### Choruses of Praise

- Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)
- I Can Sing of Your Love Forever

### Gathering Hymn

*Joyful, Joyful,  
We Adore Thee*

Joyful, joyful, we adore Thee,  
God of glory, Lord of love;  
Hearts unfold like flow'rs before Thee,  
Op'ning to the sun above.  
Melt the clouds of sin and sadness;  
Drive the dark of doubt away;  
Giver of immortal gladness,  
Fill us with the light of day!

All Thy works with joy surround Thee,  
Earth and heav'n reflect Thy rays,  
Stars and angels sing around Thee,  
Center of unbroken praise.  
Field and forest, vale and mountain,  
Flow'ry meadow, flashing sea,  
Singing bird and flowing fountain  
Call us to rejoice in Thee.

Thou art giving and forgiving,  
Ever blessing, ever blest,  
Wellspring of the joy of living,  
Ocean depth of happy rest!

Thou our Father, Christ our Brother,  
All who live in love are Thine;  
Teach us how to love each other,  
Lift us to the joy divine.

Mortals, join the happy chorus,  
Which the morning stars began;  
Father love is reigning o'er us,  
Brother love binds man to man.  
Ever singing, march we onward,  
Victors in the midst of strife,  
Joyful music leads us Sunward  
In the triumph song of life.

*Henry Van Dyke (1907)*

### Prayer Chorus

*This Is the  
Air I Breathe*

### PRAYER OF PRAISE, ADORATION & CONFESSION

#### The Lord's Prayer

*Our Father who art in heaven,  
Holy, holy, holy be Thy name  
Our Father who art in heaven, holy be Thy  
name.*

*Thy kingdom come on earth, Thy will be done  
on earth,  
Thy kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread (Repeat x 3)  
And forgive us our trespasses (Repeat)  
As we forgive those who trespass against us,  
Forgive us our trespasses.*

*Do not lead us into temptation (Repeat)  
But deliver us from all evil, (Repeat)*

*Amen, Amen, Amen! Amen, Amen, Amen!  
(Fr. Richard HoLung)*

### Responsive Reading Psalm 22:1-15 (NRSV)

Leader: My God, my God, why have You forsaken me? Why are You so far from helping me, from the words of my groaning?

**People: O my God, I cry by day, but You do not answer; and by night but find no rest.**

Leader: Yet You are holy, enthroned on the praises of Israel.

**People: In You our ancestors trusted; they trusted, and You delivered them.**

Leader: To You they cried and were saved; in You they trusted and were not put to shame.

**People: But I am a worm and not human, scorned by others and despised by the people.**

Leader: All who see me mock me; they sneer at me; they shake their heads;

**People: "Commit your cause to the LORD; let Him deliver-- let Him rescue the one in whom He delights!"**

Leader: Yet it was You who took me from the womb; You kept me safe on my mother's breast.

**People: On you I was cast from my birth, and since my mother bore me you have been my God.**

Leader: Do not be far from me, for trouble is near, and there is no one to help.

**People: Many bulls encircle me; strong bulls of Bashan surround me;**

Leader: they open wide their mouths at me, like a ravening and roaring lion.

**People: I am poured out like water, and all my bones are out of joint; my heart is like wax; it is melted within my breast;**

**All: my mouth is dried up like a potsherd, and my tongue sticks to my jaws; you lay me in the dust of death.**

**All: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. As it was in the beginning is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

### WORSHIP THROUGH CONGREGATIONAL FELLOWSHIP

Brief Welcome

Announcements

Tithes and Offering and Doxology

*Offertory song: Praise the Lord, Praise Him.*

Sunday School Minute

Prayer with the Children and Youth

### Junior Church

Prayer of Intercession & Thanksgiving

### WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

**Scripture Readings** O.T.—Amos 5:6-9  
N.T.—Luke 19:12-13

**Hymn of Preparation** *Ancient Words*

**H**oly words long preserved  
For our walk in this world,  
They resound with God's own heart  
Oh, let the Ancient words impart.  
Words of Life, words of Hope  
Give us strength, help us cope  
In this world, where e'er we roam  
Ancient words will guide us Home.

*Ancient words ever true  
Changing me, and changing you.  
We have come with open hearts  
Oh let the ancient words impart.*

Holy words of our Faith  
Handed down to this age.  
Came to us through sacrifice  
Oh heed the faithful words of Christ.

Holy words long preserved  
For our walk in this world.  
They resound with God's own heart  
Oh let the ancient words impart.

*Lynn DeShazo, (2001)*

### PREPARATION CHORUS

*Bless Thy word unto our hearts  
And glorify Thy name (rept.)  
Glorify Thy name (rept.)  
Bless Thy word unto our hearts  
And glorify Thy name.*

Message



Reverend Dr.  
Victor Chiana

**Hymn of Response** # 530  
BHB  
*We Give Thee  
but Thine Own*

**W**e give thee but thine own,  
whate'er the gift may be;  
all that we have is thine alone,  
a trust, O Lord, from thee.