



SHARON MORAVIAN CHURCH

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Sunday, May 10, 2026

The Sixth Sunday of Easter

Mother's Day

9:30 a.m.

Welcome: 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.

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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 2026:

"Grounded in Faith, Growing in Grace, Going in Power – Moving as One!"

Now faith is
assurance of things
hoped for,
conviction of things
not seen.

HEBREWS 11:1

ORDER OF SERVICE

LEADER: Sis. Angelus Hurdle

Introit – Choir

Call to Worship: *“Hold fast the form of sound words, which thou hast heard of me, in faith and love which is in Christ Jesus.”* 2 Timothy 1:13

Opening Prayer – Sis. Angelus Hurdle

Opening Hymn: 410 – *“God of Mercy, God of Grace”*

Litany for Women & Mothers (pp. 210 – 213 – CMP Liturgy Book)

Worship In Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Sentence: *“Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. Giving selflessly pleases God!”* (Hebrews 13:16)

Offertory Hymn: 351 – *“Great is Thy Faithfulness”*

Offertory Prayer: Sis. Kimoi Jones

Offertory Doxology: *“Thanks, Thanks, I Give You Thanks”*

Greetings, Celebrations & Notices

Presentation of Tokens (Musical Interlude)

The Ministry of the Word

1st Scripture Reading: Proverbs 31: 10 & 25 – 31 – Sis. Hazel Carter

2nd Scripture Reading: 2 Timothy 1: 1 – 8 – Sis. Etwin Parris

Choir Anthem – *“You Raise Me Up”*

Sermon – *“For One More Day”* – Sis. Cora Cumberbatch

Hymn of Reflection: 23 – *“When All Thy Mercies, O My God”*

Closing Prayer – Sis. Angelus Hurdle

Closing Hymn: 339 – *“When we walk with the Lord in the light of His Word”*

The Benediction

Organ Postlude



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Prelude

Introit – Choir

Call to Worship: *“Hold fast the form of sound words, which thou hast heard of me, in faith and love which is in Christ Jesus.” 2 Timothy 1:13*



Opening Prayer – Sis. Angelus Hurdle



Hymn 410 –

God of mercy, God of grace,
Show the brightness of thy face;
Shine upon us, Saviour, shine,
Fill thy Church with light divine;
And thy saving health extend
Unto earth’s remotest end.

Let the people praise thee, Lord;
Be by all that live adored;
Let the nations shout and sing
Glory to their Saviour King;
At thy feet their tribute pay,
And thy holy will obey.

Let the people praise thee, Lord;
Earth shall then her fruits afford;
God to man his blessing give,
Man to God devoted live;
All below and all above,
One in joy, and light, and love.



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*



Worship in Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Sentence: *“Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God. Giving selflessly pleases God!” (Hebrews 13:16)*

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 Tithes & Offerings – Sis. Kimoi Jones



Offertory Doxology:

Thanks, thanks, I give you thanks

*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



Presentation of Tokens (Musical Interlude)



Ministry of the Word:

First Scripture Reading: Proverbs 31: 10; 25 – 31 – Sis. Hazel Carter

10. Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies.
25. Strength and honour are her clothing; and she shall rejoice in time to come.
26. She openeth her mouth with wisdom; and in her tongue is the law of kindness.
27. She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness.
28. Her children arise up, and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her.
29. Many daughters have done virtuously, but thou excellest them all.
30. Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the LORD, she shall be praised.
31. Give her of the fruit of her hands; and let her own works praise her in the gates.



Second Scripture Reading: 2 Timothy 1: 1 – 8 – Sis. Etwin Parris

1. Paul, an apostle of Jesus Christ by the will of God, according to the promise of life which is in Christ Jesus,

2. To Timothy, my dearly beloved son: Grace, mercy, and peace, from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.
3. I thank God, whom I serve from my forefathers with pure conscience, that without ceasing I have remembrance of thee in my prayers night and day;
4. Greatly desiring to see thee, being mindful of thy tears, that I may be filled with joy;
5. When I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice; and I am persuaded that in thee also.
6. Wherefore I put thee in remembrance that thou stir up the gift of God, which is in thee by the putting on of my hands.
7. For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.
8. Be not thou therefore ashamed of the testimony of our Lord, nor of me his prisoner: but be thou partaker of the afflictions of the gospel according to the power of God;



Choir Anthem – “You Raise Me Up”



Sermon – “For One More Day” – Sis. Cora Cumberbatch



Hymn of Reflection: 23 –

When all Thy mercies, O my God,
 My rising soul surveys,
 Transported with the view, I'm lost
 In wonder, love and praise.

Unnumbered comforts to my soul
 Thy tender care bestowed,
 Before my infant heart conceived
 From Whom those comforts flowed.

When in the slippery paths of youth
 With heedless steps I ran,

Thine arm unseen conveyed me safe,
And led me up to man.

Through hidden dangers, toils, and deaths,
It gently cleared my way;
And through the pleasing snares of vice,
More to be feared than they.

When worn with sickness, oft hast Thou
With health renewed my face;
And, when in sins and sorrows sunk,
Revived my soul with grace.

Ten thousand thousand precious gifts
My daily thanks employ;
Nor is the least a cheerful heart
That tastes those gifts with joy.

Through every period of my life
Thy goodness I'll pursue
And after death, in heaven with thee,
The glorious theme renew.



Closing Prayer – *Sis. Angelus Hurdle*



Closing Hymn: 339 –

When we walk with the Lord in the light of His Word
What a glory He sheds on our way!
While we do His good will, He abides with us still,
And with all who will trust and obey.

*Trust and obey, for there's no other way
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.*

Not a shadow can rise, not a cloud in the skies,
But His smile quickly drives it away;
Not a doubt or a fear, not a sigh nor a tear,
Can abide while we trust and obey.

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share,

But our toil He doth richly repay;
Not a grief nor a loss, not a frown or a cross,
But is blessed if we trust and obey.

But we never can prove the delights of His love
Until all on the altar we lay;
For the favor He shows, and the joy He bestows,
Are for them who will trust and obey.

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at His feet,
Or we will walk by His side in the way;
What He says we will do, where He sends we will go,
Never fear, only trust and obey.



The Benediction



Organ Postlude

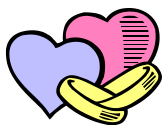


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*Today: Tiffany Chase & Wendy Davis
Advanced: Lucine Baker (13th), Gwendolyn Brewster & Gabrielle
Cumberbatch (14th), Dawn Maynard & Sharon Hinds (15th)*



Congratulations to Bro. Dennis & Sis. Julia Depeiza who will celebrate their 48th Wedding Anniversary on May 13, 2026; Bro. Martin & Sis. Sophia Codrington who will celebrate their 22nd Wedding Anniversary on May 15, 2026.



Flowers today were donated by Sis. Wendy Davis in celebration of her birthday, and by Sis. Dawn Maynard in celebration of her birthday and in memory of her mother, the late Sis. Cynthia Moore.



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: **MOTHERS' DAY**
- † Divine Worship at 9:30 a.m.
- † Adventures in Worship (All ages) – 9:45 a.m. in the D.C. Moore Centre
- † Adventures In Worship Bread Pudding Sale – After worship.

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 – First & Third Tuesdays: In Sanctuary at 3:30 p.m. All other Tuesdays: 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. (Including the Blessing of an infant)
 - † Adventures in Worship (All ages) – 10:00 a.m. in the D.C. Moore Centre
 - † Soup Sunday – the Choir will have soup on sale. Place your orders.



Activities in the Month of May 2026:

- † Mother's Day – Sunday, 10th
- † Soup Sunday – Sunday, 17th. The Choir will have soup on sale. Place your orders.
- † Pentecost / Whit Sunday & Testimony Service – 24th
- † Annual Choir Retreat – 25th
- † Trinity Sunday / Green Sunday (near World Environment Day) – 31st. As we seek contributions towards repairs to our church building, we invite

attendees to wear green and to present a walk-up offering of green Barbados currency.



NEWS, INFORMATION & REMINDERS

1. The Provincial Board makes the following announcements:

- 1.1. Please be advised that the Provincial Elders Conference (PEC) will convene its second official meeting for 2026 in St. Thomas, Virgin Islands Conference from May 13-18, 2026. Your prayers are requested for members of the Provincial Board as they seek God's wisdom and guidance in leading the Province.**
- 1.2. Rev. Vera Waithe of the Barbados Conference proceeded to official retirement on April 30, 2026 after more than forty-five years of faithful service to the Moravian Church Eastern West Indies Province. Sis. Waithe served in the Antigua and Barbados Conferences. A retirement service for Sis. Waithe will be held on June 14, 2026, at 4:00 pm at the Clifton Hill Moravian Church, St. Thomas, Barbados.**
- 1.3. Rev. Delroy Burley who has been on leave, resumed active pastoral ministry on May 4, 2026.**
- 1.4. Let us pray for Sis. Vera Waithe and Bro. Delroy Burley and their families as they make these transitions.**

2. At a meeting of the Board of Elders held on April 30, 2026, the Elders were assigned to Districts as follows:

No.	DISTRICT	ELDERS
1	Edgehill Rd., Near Sharon, Upper Jackson.	Sis. Ismay Straker
2	Cane Garden, Cane Garden Park, Cane Garden New Development, Cane Garden Crescent, Cane Garden Heights.	Bro. Anthony Ifill
3	Lower Jackson, 1st Avenue Jackson, Browne's Gap, Arthur Seat (West – West of Quarry Road to Warrens).	Bro. Edwin Sandiford
4	Canewood Road, Lears Corner, St. George, St. Joseph, St. John, Brittons Hill, Christ Church.	Bro. Victor Hurdle
5	Bridgefield, Whitehall – St. Thomas, Hopewell, Bloomsbury.	Sis. Merville Franklyn
6	Jackson Terrace, Jackson Tenantry, Arsenal Playing Field Rd.	Sis. Waveney Hinds
7	Arthur Seat (East – Quarry Road to Downes Gap.)	Sis. Ingrid Ibrahim
8	Melrose, Arthur Seat (Central), Welches, Padmore Village.	Sis. Grace Sandiford

9	Edgehill Terrace, Edgehill Heights, Shop Hill, Content, Spring Farm, Farm Path, White Hill Terrace, Hillaby.	Sis. Angelus Hurdle
10	Eden Lodge, Under Lodge Hill, White Hall – St. M, Cave Hill, Grazettes, Codrington Hill, Spooners Hill, Green Hill.	Bro. Steven King
11	Friendship Terrace, Lodge Hill, Rock Dundo Park, Farm Road, Clermont, Lodge Terrace, Mahaica Gap.	Sis. Marva Gibbons-Potts
12	Black Rock, Fitts Village, West Terrace, Oxnards, Wanstead Heights & Gardens, Husbands, Hinds Hill, Thorpes, Holders Hill, Hoytes Village, Prior Park.	Sis. Cora Cumberbatch
13	Warrens, Welches — North, Redman’s Village, Bagatelle, Baywoods, Bakers Woods, Mt. Brevitor.	Sis. Hazel Carter

3. From the Moravian Church Barbados Conference 260th Anniversary Committee:

3.1. As we approach the culmination of our 260th Anniversary Celebrations, MORAVIAN FEST 260, the Moravian Church Barbados Conference will be holding a Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony on September 19, 2026 from 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. at Savannah Beach Club Hotel, Hastings Main Road, Christ Church. You are invited to join us for an unforgettable evening as we honour individuals and team who have gone above and beyond in the service of Christ and the church. The Dinner and Awards Ceremony is BD \$200. A payment plan is available for May 15 – Aug 15, 2026.



MORAVIAN HISTORY CENTENARY



Centenary Moravian Church Part 2

The chapel initially served as both a school and a “Chapel at Ease” for members of the Sharon congregation who lived in Shop Hill, Grand View, White Hall, Christie Village, and the Mess Hill area. Evening services were held on Sundays. Sunday School was started in 1896. In later years, Sunday morning services were introduced at 11 a.m., except on the first Sunday of each month when members travelled to Sharon to share in Holy Communion. One of its cherished traditions was the annual Harvest Festival.

In 1984, the church was granted autonomous congregation status by the Barbados Conference. By this time, the building had become somewhat dilapidated, but through the dedicated efforts of the Women’s Fellowship (established in 1967), the Youth Group (formed in 1976), and support from the Conference, the structure was refurbished. At the official rededication Service, the name Centenary was restored, giving rise to the present-day Centenary Moravian Church. With this steady development of congregational life here, Centenary was eventually recognised as an autonomous congregation on August 02, 1984, properly weaned from its mother, Sharon.

**DID YOU
KNOW?**

4. We have resumed the “Basket of Hope” ministry. Each Sunday you are invited to make contributions of non-perishable food items, which will be distributed to those in need. Contributions can be made during the offertory hymn. We are appealing for volunteers to provide the needed management and helping-hands for this ministry. Please let the Pastors know of your interest.
5. We are thankful for your financial support.
 - 5.1. 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.
 - 5.2. You are reminded that labelled envelopes can be dropped into the slot in the front door of the Manse.
 - 5.3. 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 www.sharonmoravian.info/giving-monetary for these details.

6. Remember to listen to the Moravian Radio Programme: “Moravian Voice” on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m. on Life 97.5 FM.
 - 6.1. 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.
 - 6.2. We invite you to tune in for inspiration and information to enable you in your Christian walk and service.
 - 6.3. Moravian Voice will also be available on Instagram (www.instagram.com/moravianvoice/) and the YouTube Channel of the Moravian Church Barbados Conference (<https://youtube.com/c/TheMoravianChurch-BarbadosConference>).
 - 6.4. You can email your comments and requests to: moravianvoice@gmail.com



AVAILABLE (Through the Church Office):

- ✚ MORAVIAN FEST 260 Cards (My Special Anniversary Gift) – You are invited to set aside and / or invite others to join you raising \$260 to support the work of the Moravian Church Barbados Conference, as we celebrate the 260th Anniversary of the commencement of Moravian work on the island.
- ✚ Missionary Collection Boxes 2026 – If you had a box last year, please collect it at the main entrance of the church. If you desire a box for the first time, please inquire at the vestry after worship or at the Church Office.
- ✚ Offering Envelopes for 2026 – 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.
- ✚ Sharon Burgundy Shirts: Polos – \$30 / T-Shirts – \$15
- ✚ Copies of Sunday sermons on CD – \$2.00.
- ✚ Books:
- 📖 Rev. Neilson Waithe: Understanding the Caribbean Worker – \$25; Provocation – \$20.

- ▣ Rev. Dr. Winelle Kirton-Roberts: Created in Their Image: Evangelical Protestantism in Antigua and Barbados 1834-1914 – \$50.
- ▣ Rev. Dr. Joseph Nicholas: Baptism Is a Gift of God: As Such It Is More Than Water – \$35.
- ✝ Greeting Cards (\$2.00) and Prints (\$20.00) of a painting of Sharon Church.



PRAYER NEEDS:



1. Our Shut-ins:
 - a. Sharon: *Sis. Aileen Bowen, Sis. Vernice Alberta Osbourne, Sis. Cynthia Walrond, Sis. Fraulene Headley.*
2. The Sick/Recovering: *Sis. Shanna King (USA), Sis. Brenda Herbert, Bro. Stephen Greaves, Sis. Andrea Maynard, Sis. Sheila Foster-Clarke, Sis. Cianna Downes, Sis. Violet Ellis.*
3. World Peace



PROVINCIAL WATCHWORD FOR 2026

September 9, 2026: *Yet our God turned the curse into a blessing. Nehemiah 13:2*

Provincial Theme 2026:

“Grounded in Faith, Growing in Grace, Going in Power – Moving as One!”

From Shift To A New Season Of Growth, Mission, And Strategic Alignment

Over the last triennium, the Moravian Church Eastern West Indies Province journeyed under the transformative theme: *SHIFT – Reclaiming Our Identity, Renewing Our Purpose, Reigniting Our Passion.*

This theme called us to acknowledge where we were spiritually, organizationally, and missionally. It helped us confront the realities of declining membership, financial crisis, a pandemic, post-pandemic fatigue, storms, hurricanes, crime and violence and shifting societal landscapes, while challenging us to rediscover our Moravian heritage, rekindle our passion for ministry, and realign ourselves with God’s purpose.

SHIFT was a turning point, a moment of reorientation that allowed the Province to evaluate, refocus, and reset. However, SHIFT was never intended to be the final destination. It was the preparation for a new movement of God among us.

As we look toward the next triennium, we sense the Spirit calling us not just to shift – but to advance, grow, and move forward together. Where SHIFT helped us face the right direction, our next theme calls us to walk boldly in that direction, united in mission and strengthened by grace.

The proposed theme for the 2026 – 2028 triennium captures this progression: ***Grounded In Faith, Growing In Grace, Going In Power – Moving As One!***

This theme builds intentionally on the foundation laid by SHIFT and aligns directly with the Four Strategic Pillars of the Eastern West Indies Province:

1. Three-Dimensional Growth (Spiritual, Numerical, Financial)

Grounded in Faith calls the Province to deeper spiritual roots.

Growing in Grace speaks to maturing disciples, strengthening congregations, and encouraging numerical and financial health.

2. Community Engagement

Going in Power emphasizes Spirit-empowered mission, evangelism, digital outreach, and meaningful presence within our Caribbean communities.

3. Sustainability

Growing in grace and grounding ourselves in faith ensures long-term ministry vitality, leadership development, and congregational resilience.

4. Asset Utilization

Moving as One reflects unified stewardship of our resources – land, buildings, finances, partnerships, and people – for Kingdom mission rather than isolated effort.

Thus, this theme is not only spiritual – it is strategic. It calls us to deepen our faith, expand our capacity, strengthen our witness, and operate as a unified Province committed to transformation and mission.

Where SHIFT reclaimed our identity, this new theme invites us to live that identity, together, purposefully, and powerfully.

It represents a maturing of our provincial vision, a continuation of our renewal journey, and a commitment to walk forward as one Church, rooted in Christ and aligned in mission for the next chapter of ministry in the Eastern West Indies Province.

Grounded In Faith, Growing In Grace, Going In Power – Moving As One!

This theme acknowledges that after a shift, the Church must:

- **Be rooted (Grounded in Faith),**
- **Be nurtured (Growing in Grace),**
- **Be mobilized (Going in Power),**
- **Be united (Moving as One).**



**MORAVIAN CHURCH BARBADOS
CONFERENCE - MORAVIAN FEST 260**

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May 15 - Aug 15, 2026



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**&
AWARDS CEREMONY**

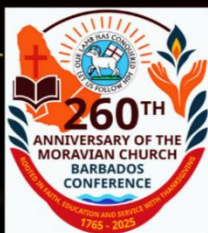
Join us for an unforgettable evening as we honour individuals and teams who have gone above and beyond.

19TH SEPTEMBER, 2026

**SAVANNAH BEACH CLUB HOTEL
HASTINGS MAIN ROAD, CH CH**

Parking will be available next door

6:00 P.M. - 11:00 P.M.



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MONTH OF OCTOBER



- WEEK 1 - THE MISSIONARIES
- WEEK 2 - BUNKERS HILL
- WEEK 3 - CUSTOMS & PRACTICES
- WEEK 4 - EDUCATION

MONTH OF FOCUS FOR EACH CONGREGATION

❁ NOVEMBER - FAITH (2018)	❁ MAY - DUNSCOMBE (1860)
❁ DECEMBER - BETHLEHEM (1964)	❁ JUNE - CLIFTON HILL (1841)
❁ JANUARY - PENUEL (1914)	❁ JULY - CALVARY (1834)
❁ FEBRUARY - FULNEC (1894)	❁ AUGUST - MOUNT TABOR (1825)
❁ MARCH - GRACE HILL (1882)	❁ SEPTEMBER - SHARON (1768)
❁ APRIL - CENTENARY (1865)	

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