## Raffle Ticket Available for Pickup

A Stay in Barbados Raffle tickets are available for pickup starting this Sunday. The winner does not need to be present to win so this is an excellent opportunity to reach out to friends, family and groups to ask for their support. The raffle tickets cost \$5 and there are only 1000 being sold. So, if someone buys 5 tickets, they have a 1 in 200 chance of winning. And Barbados in late February was wonderful!

The Grand Prize is a 3-night all-inclusive stay at a resort in Barbados and at least a \$500 voucher good for airfare. Value approximately \$2300.

Raffle tickets are being distributed in envelopes of 5 and parishioners are being asked to pay in advance to simplify the process. Cash, check and hopefully credit card will be available starting this week. Contact Lacy Hamilton for more information at Lacy. Hamilton 57@gmail.com.

## Some Details About a Taste of Barbados

We have been telling you for weeks to mark your calendar for May 20<sup>th</sup> but now we want to give you some details.

The event is from 4 pm to 9 pm on May 20<sup>th</sup> at the Rafters. A ticket entitles you to appetizers, dinner, desert, one bar drink, music, games and other entertainment. More bar drinks may be purchased separately. Tickets are expected to go on sale by the end of the month.

There will be two dinner seatings: 5 pm and 7:30 pm. Full tables of 8 can request a specific seating on a first come, first serve basis. Food will be served to the table family style.

Appetizers and bars will be outside on the flat area of the lawn between the Rafters and the new playground.

We need volunteers to help prepare for and run the event. All skill levels are needed. Contact Lacy Hamilton <u>Lacy.Hamilton57@gmail.com</u> to be put on the volunteer list. Volunteers will be needed the 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, and 20<sup>th</sup> for a variety of activities and time frame.

This is St. Mark's largest fund raiser and everyone is needed to make it a success and enable it to be a success for years to come!