

"Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." *Matthew 11:28-30* 

## The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany January 30, 2022



Welcome to Church of Our Savior. We are a part of the Gulf Atlantic Diocese of the Anglican Church in North America. We proudly uphold the traditional faith and values of our Anglican heritage, while seeking new ways to reach people with the transformational love of Jesus Christ.

We believe that Jesus Christ is Lord and Savior over heaven and earth and that He has called those who follow Him to be His witnesses in the world. Those who put their faith in Him have been transformed by the power of the Holy Spirit into a new life, a resurrection life. We believe that because Jesus rose from the dead all people can experience the promise of abundant life through a personal relationship with Him.

The great Christian thinker C.S. Lewis once described the transformational power of walking through life with Jesus when he wrote:

## "I believe in Christianity as I believe that the sun has risen: not only because I see it, but because by it I see everything else."

It is our hope and prayer that as you join us you will know for yourself the unconditional love and grace of Our Savior Jesus Christ, in your own life.

The Rev. David Ball

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

#### **Musical Prelude**

#### Welcome

-The Congregation is invited to stand

## **Opening Hymn**

#### **O** Worship The King

O worship the King all glorious above And gratefully sing His power and His love Our Shield and Defender the Ancient of Days Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise

O tell of His might O sing of His grace Whose robe is the light whose canopy space His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form And dark is His path on the wings of the storm

Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite It breathes in the air it shines in the light It streams from the hills it descends to the plain And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain

Frail children of dust and feeble as frail In Thee do we trust nor find Thee to fail Thy mercies how tender how firm to the end Our Maker Defender Redeemer and Friend

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## The Acclamation

Officiant:	I will make you as a light for the nations,
People:	that my salvation may reach to the end of the
-	earth." Isaiah 49:6

## The Collect for Purity

-The Celebrant and the People pray together

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### The Summary of the Law

#### -The Celebrant continues

Hear what our Lord Jesus Christ says:

You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets. *Matthew* 22:37-40

#### The Kyrie

Celebrant:	Lord, have mercy upon us.
People:	Christ, have mercy upon us.
Celebrant:	Lord, have mercy upon us.

#### **Praise Song**

#### Ancient Of Days

Though the nations rage Kingdoms rise and fall There is still one King Reigning over all So I will not fear For this truth remains That my God is the Ancient of Days None above Him none before Him All of time in His hands For His throne it shall remain and ever stand All the power all the glory I will trust in His name For my God is the Ancient of days

Though the dread of night Overwhelms my soul He is here with me I am not alone O His love is sure And He knows my name For my God is the Ancient of Days

None above Him none before Him All of time in His hands For His throne it shall remain and ever stand All the power all the glory I will trust in His name For my God is the Ancient of days

Though I may not see What the future brings I will watch and wait For the Saviour king Then my joy complete Standing face to face In the presence of the Ancient of Days

None above Him none before Him All of time in His hands For His throne it shall remain and ever stand All the power all the glory I will trust in His name For my God is the Ancient of days

#### For my God is the Ancient of Days

## The Collect of the Day

Celebrant:	The Lord be with you.
People:	And with your spirit.
Celebrant:	Let us pray.

-The Celebrant prays the Collect of the Day

-The congregation may be seated

-9am Service: Children age 5 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to "Splash Kids".

#### The Lessons

#### A Reading from Psalm 71:11-20

<sup>11</sup> and say, "God has forsaken him; pursue and seize him, for there is none to deliver him." <sup>12</sup> O God, be not far from me; O my God, make haste to help me! <sup>13</sup> May my accusers be put to shame and consumed; with scorn and disgrace may they be covered who seek my hurt. <sup>14</sup> But I will hope continually and will praise you yet more and more. <sup>15</sup> My mouth will tell of your righteous acts, of your deeds of salvation all the day, for their number is past my knowledge. <sup>16</sup> With the mighty deeds of the Lord GOD I will come; I will remind them of your righteousness, yours alone. <sup>17</sup> O God, from my youth you have taught me, and I still proclaim your wondrous deeds. <sup>18</sup> So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, until I proclaim your might to another generation, your power to all those to come. Your righteousness, O God, reaches the high heavens.

You who have done great things, O God, who is like you?
<sup>20</sup> You who have made me see many troubles and calamities will revive me again;
from the depths of the earth you will bring me up again.

Reader:The Word of the Lord.People:Thanks be to God.

-All stand

#### The Gradual

#### Ancient Words

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

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#### Gospel Lesson from Luke 4:21-32

Celebrant:	The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
	according to Luke.
People:	Glory to you, Lord Christ.

<sup>21</sup> And he began to say to them, "Today this Scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing." <sup>22</sup> And all spoke well of him and marveled at the gracious words that were coming from his mouth. And they said, "Is not this Joseph's son?" <sup>23</sup> And he said to them, "Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, "Physician, heal yourself." What we have heard you did at Capernaum, do here in your hometown as well." <sup>24</sup> And he said, "Truly, I say to you, no prophet is acceptable in his hometown. <sup>25</sup> But in truth, I tell you, there were many widows in Israel in the days of Elijah, when the heavens were shut up three years and six months, and a great famine came over all

the land, <sup>26</sup> and Elijah was sent to none of them but only to Zarephath, in the land of Sidon, to a woman who was a widow. <sup>27</sup> And there were many lepers in Israel in the time of the prophet Elisha, and none of them was cleansed, but only Naaman the Syrian." <sup>28</sup> When they heard these things, all in the synagogue were filled with wrath. <sup>29</sup> And they rose up and drove him out of the town and brought him to the brow of the hill on which their town was built, so that they could throw him down the cliff. <sup>30</sup> But passing through their midst, he went away.

<sup>31</sup> And he went down to Capernaum, a city of Galilee. And he was teaching them on the Sabbath, <sup>32</sup> and they were astonished at his teaching, for his word possessed authority.

Reader: The Gospel of the Lord. *People: Praise to you Lord Christ.* 

#### The Gradual, continued

Ancient words, ever true Changing me, changing you We have come with open hearts O let the ancient words impart

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-The Congregation may be seated

## The Sermon

-All stand

## The Nicene Creed

-Officiant and People together

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, visible and invisible.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through Him all things were made. For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate from the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

-The Congregation may remain standing or be seated.

## The Prayers of the People

Celebrant:	Let us pray for the Church and for the world, saying, "hear our prayer."
Reader:	For the peace of the whole world, and for the well-being and unity of the people of God. Lord, in your mercy:
People:	Hear our prayer.

Reader: <i>People:</i>	For Foley, our Archbishop, and Neil, our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people of our diocese and congregation. Almighty God, giver of every good gift: Look graciously on your Church, and so guide the minds of those who shall choose the next Bishop for our Diocese that we may receive a faithful pastor who will preach the Gospel, care for your people, equip us for ministry, and lead us forth in fulfillment of the Great Commission; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Lord, in your mercy: <i>Hear our prayer.</i>
Reader: <i>People:</i>	For all those who proclaim the Gospel at home and abroad; and for all who teach and disciple others. Lord, in your mercy: <i>Hear our prayer</i> .
Reader: <i>People:</i>	For our brothers and sisters in Christ who are persecuted for their faith. Lord, in your mercy: <i>Hear our prayer.</i>
Reader: <i>People:</i>	For our nation, for those in authority and for all in public service. Lord, in your mercy: <i>Hear our prayer.</i>
Reader:	For all those who are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

-The Congregation is invited to offer up their own prayers and petitions

Reader: <i>People:</i>	Lord, in your mercy: <i>Hear our prayer.</i>
Reader:	For all those who have departed this life in the certain hope of the resurrection in thanksgiving
People:	let us pray. Lord in your mercy: <i>Hear our prayer</i> .

-The Celebrant concludes with the following prayer

Heavenly Father, grant these our prayers for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. *Amen*.

#### The Confession and Absolution of Sin

Celebrant: Let us humbly confess our sins to Almighty God.

#### -All pray together

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

-Priest stands and says

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who in his great mercy has promised forgiveness of sins to all those who sincerely repent and with true faith turn to him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

## The Comfortable Words

-The Celebrant may then say one or more of the following sentences, first saying

Celebrant: Hear the Word of God to all who truly turn to him.

Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. *Matthew* 11:28

God so loved the world, that he gave his only-begotten Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. *John 3:16* 

The saying is trustworthy and deserving of full acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. *1 Timothy 1:15* 

If anyone sins, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world. *1 John 2:1-2* 

#### The Peace

Celebrant:The Peace of the Lord be always with you.People:And with your spirit.

-The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord

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## Offering

#### Ways to give on Sunday morning

-Give online at church-savior.org -Text a donation amount to (904) 606-1165 -Place offering in the basket at the end of Service

#### The Lord's Supper

#### **Preparation Hymn**

#### I Surrender All

All to Jesus I surrender All to Him I freely give I will ever love and trust Him In His presence daily live

I surrender all I surrender all All to Thee my blessed Savior I surrender all

All to Jesus I surrender Humbly at His feet I bow Worldly pleasures all forsaken Take me Jesus take me now

I surrender all I surrender all All to Thee my blessed Savior I surrender all

All to Jesus I surrender Lord I give myself to Thee Fill me with Thy love and power Let Thy blessing fall on me

I surrender all I surrender all All to Thee my blessed Savior I surrender all

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-All Stand

#### The Sursum Corda

Celebrant:	The Lord be with you.
<i>People:</i>	And also with you.
Celebrant:	Lift up your hearts.
<i>People:</i>	<i>We lift them to the Lord</i> .
Celebrant: <i>People:</i>	Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. <i>It is right to give Him thanks and praise.</i>

-The Celebrant continues

It is right, our duty and our joy, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who forever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

#### The Sanctus

#### -Celebrant and People

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

#### The Prayer of Consecration

#### -The Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and when we had sinned against you and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent your only Son into the world for our salvation. By the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary he became flesh and dwelt among us. In obedience to your will, he stretched out his arms upon the cross and offered himself once for all, that by his suffering and death we might be saved. By his resurrection he broke the bonds of death, trampling Hell and Satan under his feet. As our great high priest, he ascended to your right hand in glory, that we might come with confidence before the throne of grace.

On the night that he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my Body which is given for you: Do this in remembrance of me."

Likewise, after supper, Jesus took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, "Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the forgiveness of sins: Whenever you drink it, do this in remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

-Celebrant and People

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, and we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Word and Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Sanctify us also, that we may worthily receive this holy sacrament, and be made one body with him, so that he may dwell in us and we in him. And bring us with all your saints into the fullness of your heavenly kingdom, where we shall see our Lord face to face.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ: By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and forever. *Amen*.

#### The Lord's Prayer

#### -The Celebrant then says

And now as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray:

#### -Officiant and People

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy Name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

Celebrant:Alleluia. Christ our Passover Lamb has been<br/>sacrificed, once for all upon the Cross.People:Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.

## The Ministration of Communion

-Facing the People, the Celebrant may say the following invitation

The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

-The Celebrant will receive the Lord's Supper on behalf of those who are unable to receive themselves at this time.

-All who have made the decision to put their faith in Jesus Christ and have been baptized in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit are invited to come and receive this Holy Communion.

-The Lord's Supper will be distributed as congregants come forward by row, when released by the usher.

-Gluten Free wafers are available. Please ask the Celebrant.

## **Communion Hymn**

#### Jesus Strong And Kind

Jesus said That if I thirst I should come to him No one else can satisfy I should come to him

Jesus said If I am weak I should come to him No one else can be my strength I should come to him

For the Lord is good and faithful He will keep us day and night We can always run to Jesus Jesus strong and kind Jesus said That if I fear I should come to him No one else can be my shield I should come to him

For the Lord is good and faithful He will keep us day and night We can always run to Jesus Jesus strong and kind

Jesus said If I am lost He will come to me And he showed me on that cross He will come to me

For the Lord is good and faithful He will keep us day and night We can always run to Jesus Jesus strong and kind

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Jesus strong and kind

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## **The Post Communion Prayer**

-After Communion, the Celebrant says

Let us pray.

-Celebrant and People together say the following

Heavenly Father,
we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious body and blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal Kingdom.
And now Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord.
To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

## The Blessing

-The Bishop when present, or the Priest, gives this or an alternate blessing

The peace of God which passes all understanding keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. *Amen* 

## **Closing Hymn**

#### It Is Well With My Soul

When peace like a river Attendeth my way When sorrows like sea billows roll Whatever my lot Thou hast taught me to say It is well It is well with my soul It is well with my soul It is well It is well with my soul My sin O the bliss Of this glorious tho't My sin not in part but the whole Is nailed to the cross And I bear it no more Praise the Lord Praise the Lord O my soul

It is well with my soul It is well It is well with my soul

And Lord haste the day When the faith shall be sight The clouds be rolled back as a scroll The trump shall resound And the Lord shall descend Even so it is well With my soul

It is well with my soul It is well It is well with my soul

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#### Dismissal

Celebrant:	Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
People:	Thanks be to God. Alleluia! Alleluia!
	Alleluia!

#### **Musical Postlude**



## **Recurring Events**

Events are held at COOS unless otherwise noted and are subject to change. Check with the office to confirm!

## <u>Worship God</u>

#### Sunday Worship Services 9:00 & 11:00am

**Nursery**: Polka-Dot Playhouse: *Loving care in a clean, safe playhouse*. Infants thru 4yrs @ **both services**.

Kid's Program: Splash Kids: *Dive in - Get Soaked!* 5yrs thru 5th grade. <u>Exclusively at 9:00am Service</u>

## <u>Love One Another</u>

#### <u>Fellowship</u>

Enjoy "Snacks & Chats" after Sunday Service on the Fellowship Patio. Fellowship Groups- Meeting throughout the week.

#### Finance

Crockpot Finance - Wednesday 6:00pm. Financial fellowship & meal. Financial Peace University - Sunday 12:30pm. Begins Feb 6. **Men** 

Breakfast Bible Study: Tuesday, 7-8:30am, IHOP- Hodges Blvd

#### <u>Women</u>

Bible Study- Friday, 9:30am Youth

Youth Group: 6-12th grade - TBD

Trail Life USA Troop: Tuesday, 6:30pm, Boys K & Up!

American Heritage Girls: Tuesday, 6:30pm, Girls K & Up!

## <u>Share Christ</u>

Mission House: Serve a meal at a local homeless shelter, 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays

Avante Nursing Home: Monday, 2:00pm. Communion Service with the residents and staff.

<u>**Prayer requests & Praise reports**</u> - Share via Connect Cards, online at church-savior.org or, emailed to church@church-savior.org.

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## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>Annual Meeting:</u> View the presentation and report at church-savior.org/annualmeeting2022

**Fellowship Groups** are where we really get to know one another. They are fun, easy, and meaningful opportunities to enjoy and care for others at Church of Our Savior. These groups are currently meeting! We want you to stop by this week and check one out!

Sunday	10:15am	Fellowship Hall Group	Chuck, host
Tuesday	6:30pm	Ponte Vedra Beach Group	Fannin Home
Wednesday	5:30pm	Neptune Beach Group	Conolly Home
Wednesday	7:00pm	Atlantic Beach Group	Brodeur Home

#### New Fellowship Group Offering:

A great new group offering is meeting on Sundays following the 9am service. Enjoy the convenience of attending church and a small group at one location and day. **Upstairs in the Fellowship Hall. Snacks provided.** 

**<u>Financial Peace University</u>**- Everyone can benefit from this life-changing course from Dave Ramsey. Begins Sun Feb 6 at 12:30pm at COOS. Lunch provided. Sign up after service.

## 2022 Iron Sharpens Iron - Men's Equipping Conference:

Join the men of Church of Our Savior and gather to attend this powerful and empowering event. Seniors and students alike should attend. Contact Larry Wagner for details. 904-891-9163

Serving This Week			
Service Time	9:00	11:00	
Assisting Priest		Jim+	
1st Reading	Judy S	Ginny	
Prayers	Bill M	Ginny	
Ushers	Bill M	Cheri T	
Nursery	Mary & Roxane	Mary & Roxane	

# CHURCH of Our SAVIOR

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#### Clergy

The Rev. David Ball, Senior Pastor The Rev. Chuck Holliday, Asst Pastor of Evangelism & Disipleship The Rev. Canon James McCaslin, Assisting Priest The Rev. Lynne Ashmead, Assisting Priest The Rev. Bruce Ford, Assisting Priest

#### Vestry

Trey MamoBuff WagnerDebby FligerRob RichardsonAbby ConollyMike ParsonsMonthly Vestry Meeting: 3rd Tuesday of the Month at 6pm

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