

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

Acts 1:8

Day of Pentecost

May 19, 2024



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

Evening Prayer

-The Congregation is invited to stand

Opening Hymn

Come Thou Almighty King

Come Thou Almighty King Help us Thy name to sing Help us to praise Father all glorious O'er all victorious Come and reign over us Ancient of Days

Come Thou Incarnate Word Gird on Thy mighty sword Our prayer attend Come and Thy people bless And give Thy Word success Spirit of holiness On us descend

Come Holy Comforter
Thy sacred witness bear
In this glad hour
Thou who almighty art
Now rule in ev'ry heart
And ne'er from us depart
Spirit of pow'r

To Thee great One in Three Eternal praises be Hence evermore Thy sov'reign majesty May we in glory see And to eternity Love and adore

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The Acclamation

Celebrant: The Lord will pour out his Spirit upon all

flesh,

People: And your sons and daughters shall prophesy.

Celebrant: Your old men shall dream dreams,

People: And your young men shall see visions.

Celebrant: You shall know that the Lord is in the midst of

his people,

People: That he is the Lord and there is none else.

Celebrant: And it shall come to pass

People: That everyone who calls on the name of the

Lord shall be saved. Joel 2:27-28, 32; Acts 2:17, 21

Confession of Sins

- The Officiant says to the People.

Dearly beloved, the Scriptures teach us to acknowledge our many sins and offenses, not concealing them from our heavenly Father, but confessing them with humble and obedient hearts that we may obtain forgiveness by His infinite goodness and mercy. We ought at all times humbly to acknowledge our sins before Almighty God, but especially when we come together in His presence to give thanks for the great benefits we have received at His hands, to declare His most worthy praise, to hear His holy Word, and to ask, for ourselves and others, those things necessary for our life and our salvation. Therefore, come with me to the throne of heavenly grace as we pray together.

Almighty and most merciful Father,

we have erred and strayed from Your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the deceits and desires of our own hearts.

We have offended against Your holy laws.

We have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and apart from Your grace, there is no health in us.

O Lord, have mercy upon us.

Spare those who confess their faults.

Restore those who are penitent, according to Your promises declared to all people in Christ Jesus our Lord; And grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake, that we may now live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen.

The Absolution

- The Officiant says to the People.

The Almighty and merciful Lord grant you absolution and remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of His Holy Spirit. *Amen.*

The Invitatory

Officiant: O Lord, open our lips;

People: And our mouth shall proclaim Your praise.

Officiant: O God, make speed to save us; **People:** O Lord, make haste to help us.

Officiant: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the

Holy Spirit;

People: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever

shall be, world without end. Amen.

Officiant: Praise the Lord.

People: The Lord's name be praised.

PHOS HILARON "O Gladsome Light"

-All say together.

O gladsome light,
pure brightness of the everliving Father in heaven,
O Jesus Christ, holy and blessed!
Now as we come to the setting of the sun,
and our eyes behold the vesper light,
we sing your praises, O God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
You are worthy at all times to be praised by happy voices,
O Son of God, O Giver of Life,
and to be glorified through all the worlds.

Praise Song

Only A Holy God

Who else commands all the hosts of heaven Who else could make every king bow down Who else can whisper and darkness trembles Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises What other splendour outshines the sun What other majesty rules with justice Only a Holy God

Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God

What other glory consumes like fire What other power can raise the dead What other name remains undefeated Only a Holy God *(Chorus 2x's)*

Who else could rescue me from my failing Who else would offer His only Son

Who else invites me to call Him Father Only a Holy God Only my Holy God (*Chorus 3x's*)

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- The congregation may be seated.

First Lesson - Joshua 7

But the people of Israel broke faith in regard to the devoted things, for Achan the son of Carmi, son of Zabdi, son of Zerah, of the tribe of Judah, took some of the devoted things. And the anger of the LORD burned against the people of Israel.

² Joshua sent men from Jericho to Ai, which is near Bethaven, east of Bethel, and said to them, "Go up and spy out the land." And the men went up and spied out Ai. ³ And they returned to Joshua and said to him, "Do not have all the people go up, but let about two or three thousand men go up and attack Ai. Do not make the whole people toil up there, for they are few." ⁴ So about three thousand men went up there from the people. And they fled before the men of Ai, ⁵ and the men of Ai killed about thirty-six of their men and chased them before the gate as far as Shebarim and struck them at the descent. And the hearts of the people melted and became as water.

⁶ Then Joshua tore his clothes and fell to the earth on his face before the ark of the LORD until the evening, he and the elders of Israel. And they put dust on their heads. ⁷ And Joshua said, "Alas, O Lord God, why have you brought this people over the Jordan at all, to give us into the hands of the Amorites, to destroy us? Would that we had been content to dwell beyond the Jordan! ⁸ O Lord, what can I say, when Israel has turned their backs before their enemies! ⁹ For the Canaanites and all the inhabitants of the land will hear of it

and will surround us and cut off our name from the earth. And what will you do for your great name?"

¹⁰ The LORD said to Joshua, "Get up! Why have you fallen on your face? 11 Israel has sinned; they have transgressed my covenant that I commanded them; they have taken some of the devoted things; they have stolen and lied and put them among their own belongings. 12 Therefore the people of Israel cannot stand before their enemies. They turn their backs before their enemies, because they have become devoted for destruction. I will be with you no more, unless you destroy the devoted things from among you. 13 Get up! Consecrate the people and say, 'Consecrate yourselves for tomorrow; for thus says the LORD, God of Israel, "There are devoted things in your midst, O Israel. You cannot stand before your enemies until you take away the devoted things from among you." 14 In the morning therefore you shall be brought near by your tribes. And the tribe that the LORD takes by lot shall come near by clans. And the clan that the LORD takes shall come near by households. And the household that the LORD takes shall come near man by man. 15 And he who is taken with the devoted things shall be burned with fire, he and all that he has, because he has transgressed the covenant of the LORD, and because he has done an outrageous thing in Israel."

¹⁶ So Joshua rose early in the morning and brought Israel near tribe by tribe, and the tribe of Judah was taken. ¹⁷ And he brought near the clans of Judah, and the clan of the Zerahites was taken. And he brought near the clan of the Zerahites man by man, and Zabdi was taken. ¹⁸ And he brought near his household man by man, and Achan the son of Carmi, son of Zabdi, son of Zerah, of the tribe of Judah, was taken. ¹⁹ Then Joshua said to Achan, "My son, give glory to the LORD God of Israel and give praise to him. And tell me now what you have done; do not hide it from me." ²⁰ And Achan answered Joshua, "Truly I have sinned against the LORD God of Israel, and this is what I did: ²¹ when I saw among the spoil a beautiful cloak from Shinar, and 200 shekels of silver, and a

bar of gold weighing 50 shekels, then I coveted them and took them. And see, they are hidden in the earth inside my tent, with the silver underneath."

²² So Joshua sent messengers, and they ran to the tent; and behold, it was hidden in his tent with the silver underneath. ²³ And they took them out of the tent and brought them to Joshua and to all the people of Israel. And they laid them down before the LORD. ²⁴ And Joshua and all Israel with him took Achan the son of Zerah, and the silver and the cloak and the bar of gold, and his sons and daughters and his oxen and donkeys and sheep and his tent and all that he had. And they brought them up to the Valley of Achor. ²⁵ And Joshua said, "Why did you bring trouble on us? The LORD brings trouble on you today." And all Israel stoned him with stones. They burned them with fire and stoned them with stones. ²⁶ And they raised over him a great heap of stones that remains to this day. Then the LORD turned from his burning anger. Therefore, to this day the name of that place is called the Valley of Achor.

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

Second Lesson - John 14:8-17

⁸ Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and it is enough for us." ⁹ Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you so long, and you still do not know me, Philip? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? ¹⁰ Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority, but the Father who dwells in me does his works. ¹¹ Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me, or else believe on account of the works themselves.

¹² "Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father. ¹³ Whatever you ask in my name, this I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. ¹⁴ If you ask me anything in my name, I will do it.

¹⁵ "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. ¹⁶ And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Helper, to be with you forever, ¹⁷ even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, for he dwells with you and will be in you.

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

The Sermon - The Very Rev. David Ball

The Apostles' Creed

- All please stand and say together.

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Prayers

- The congregation may stand, or be seated.

Officiant: The Lord be with you. **People:** And with your spirit.

Officiant: Let us pray.

Officiant: Lord, have mercy upon us. **People:** Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

- All pray together.

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,
forever and ever. Amen.

Officiant: O Lord, show your mercy upon us;

People: And grant us Your salvation.

Officiant: O Lord, guide those who govern us;

People: And lead us in the way of justice and truth.

Officiant: Clothe Your ministers with righteousness;

People: And let your people sing with joy.

Officiant: O Lord, save Your people; *People:* And bless Your inheritance.

Officiant: Give peace in our time, O Lord;

People: And defend us by your mighty power.

Officiant: Let not the needy, O Lord, be forgotten; **People:** Nor the hope of the poor be taken away.

Officiant: Create in us clean hearts, O God;

People: And take not Your Holy Spirit from us.

Collects for the Day

-The Officiant prays.

Heavenly Father, You made us for Yourself, and our hearts are restless until they rest in You: Look upon the heartfelt desires of Your humble servants, and stretch forth the strong hand of Your Majesty to be our defense against our enemies; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, world without end. *Amen*.

O God our King, by the resurrection of Your Son Jesus Christ on the first day of the week, You conquered sin, put death to flight, and gave us the hope of everlasting life: Redeem all our days by this victory; forgive our sins, banish our fears, make us bold to praise You and to do Your will; and steel us to wait for the consummation of Your kingdom on the last great Day; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

Collect for Missions

- All pray together.

Lord Jesus Christ, you stretched out your arms of love on the hard wood of the cross that everyone might come within the reach of Your saving embrace: So clothe us in Your Spirit that we, reaching forth our hands in love, may bring those who do not know You to the knowledge and love of You; for the honor of Your Name. Amen.

⁻ The congregation is invited to offer up their own prayers and petitions.

The General Thanksgiving

- All pray together.

Almighty God, Father of all mercies, we Your unworthy servants give You humble thanks for all Your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom You have made. We bless You for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for Your immeasurable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And, we pray, give us such an awareness of Your mercies, that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth Your praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives, by giving up our selves to Your service, and by walking before You in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with You and the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

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

Announcements

Offering

Ways to give on Sunday morning

- -Online at church-savior.org/give
- -Text a donation amount to (904) 606-1165
- -Place offering in the plate as it is passed

Offertory/Preparation of the Lord's Table

Breathe On Me Breath Of God (Trentham)

Breathe on me breath of God Fill me with life anew That I may love what Thou dost love And do what Thou wouldst do

Breathe on me breath of God Until my heart is pure Until with Thee I will one will To do and to endure

Breathe on me breath of God Till I am wholly Thine Till all this earthly part of me Glows with Thy fire divine

Breathe on me breath of God So shall I never die But live with Thee the perfect life Of Thine eternity

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A Prayer of St. John Chrysostom

- The Officiant continues in prayer.

Almighty God, You have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications to You; and You have promised through Your well beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in His name You will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of Your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. *Amen*.

Officiant: Let us bless the Lord. **People:** Thanks be to God.

- All stand

Closing Hymn

Revive Us Again

We praise Thee O God For the Son of Thy love For Jesus who died And is now gone above

Hallelujah Thine the glory Hallelujah amen Hallelujah Thine the glory Revive us again

We praise Thee O God For Thy Spirit of light Who has shown us our Savior And scattered our night (Chorus)

Revive us again
Fill each heart with Thy love
May each soul be rekindled
With fire from above (Chorus)

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Closing Sentence of Scripture

- The Officiant concludes the service.

Glory to God whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine: Glory to Him from generation to generation in the Church, and in Christ Jesus forever and ever. *Amen.* - *Ephesians 3:20-21*





Church on the Move

2092 Beach Blvd is an active construction site! For your safety and that of the building crews, PLEASE DO NOT VISIT! Watch for upcoming scheduled opportunities scheduled for us to check out the progress.

The Church Office has a temporary location at 402 16th Ave S, Jax Bch

Can I stop by the office? Please <u>call or text</u> to make sure COOS staff is onsite and Ocean Park Baptist doesn't have an event. We want to be courteous to our generous hosts.

How do I contact the office? Please call or text our <u>NEW</u> office number (904) 747- COOS (2667) or email church@church-savior.org

Where do I send mail? 2092 Beach Blvd, Jax Bch 32250



Baby Bottles IT'S TIME FOR

Help Save lives Isolay! Every penny donated goes directly toward saving lives in our community.





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<u>Fellowship Meal</u>: Today after service. Everyone is invited to the Education Building to share a meal.

First Coast Women's Services Baby Bottle Campaign

Celebrate the LIFE God gives us by taking an empty bottle home and bringing it back by **Father's Day, June 16**, full of coins, bills, and checks!

Your donation allows FCWS to provide these services:

- Free lab-grade pregnancy tests & limited ultrasounds
- Maternity and baby clothes, diapers, cribs, and newborn items for
- Earn While You Learn participants
- Education on pregnancy, adoption, parenting, and abortion risks
- Men's mentoring ministry
- Abortion healing assistance

Happening Now:

Women's Bible Study: Fridays, 9:30a - 11:30a. Meeting at 402 16th Ave S. Fellowship Hall located in the Education Building.

Men's Breakfast Study: Tuesday 7:15-8:15at IHOP: 3250 Hodges Blvd

4:00pm Tea Time

Every Sunday before service, enjoy a time of fellowship. Tea Time begins at 4pm, with an assortment of teas, coffee and some sweet treats!

Serving This Week	
Welcoming	Jane
Reading	Veronica
Ushers	Charlie & Camilla

CHURCH of Our SAVIOR

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