



*THE LORD IS
GRACIOUS & COMPASSIONATE*



CHURCH OF THE
SAVIOR

SATURDAY, MARCH 20, 2021



Welcome to Church of the Savior

If You are Visiting: We'd love to meet you, even if only virtually! Please email Fr. Kevin at kevin@friendsofthesavior.org to introduce yourself and learn more about Church of the Savior.

About our Worship: We use an Anglican liturgy. Liturgy simply means that everyone gets to participate, so please join in as you feel comfortable. You can't make a mistake.

Children & Youth: While services are livestreamed, children and youth are strongly invited to join in alongside everyone else. For additional ideas to engage children, see Savior's family newsletter or contact Sarah Lindsay at sarah@friendsofthesavior.org. We also invite children to call Pastor Mary; email Mary at mary@friendsofthesavior.org to set up a time. Youth are meeting virtually; contact Fr. Andrew Unger at andrewdunger@gmail.com for details.

As we enter this Fifth Week in Lent, we are nearing the end of this season of fasting. Lent began in the long, cold days of February with sorrow, ashes, repentance, and fasting. But now, spring is arriving and the natural world reminds us that new life is just around the corner. And so, as we wait through these final days of Lent, let us watch for signs of the Resurrection: for the buds on the trees, for the greening grass, and for the life-giving movement of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

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THE WORD OF GOD

PRELUDE & WELCOME

You may stand.

During Lent, please take a few moments of silence to prepare for worship.

The Lord Is Gracious And Compassionate

The Lord is gracious and compassionate
Slow to anger and rich in love
The Lord is gracious and compassionate
Slow to anger and rich in love

And the Lord is good to all
And He has compassion
On all that He has made

*As far as the east is from the west
That's how far He has removed
Our transgressions from us*

Praise the Lord
Oh my soul praise the Lord
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Oh my soul praise the Lord

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

All: His mercy endures forever

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

Celebrant: Hear the commandments of God to his people:
I am the Lord your God who brought you out of Egypt.
You must not have any other gods but me.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not make for yourselves any idols.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not use the name of the Lord your God thoughtlessly.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: Keep the Sabbath as a holy day, to rest and remember the gifts of creation.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: Honor your father and your mother.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not kill.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not be guilty of adultery.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not steal.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not lie.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: You must not want what others have.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy.

Celebrant: If we claim we have no sin, we are only fooling ourselves and not living in the truth. But if we confess our sins to God, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all wickedness.

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Deacon: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Please sit or kneel for a time of silence.

All: 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.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. Amen.

Trisagion

Ho - ly God, Ho - ly and migh - ty, Ho - ly Im -
mor - tal One, Have mer - cy, have mer - cy on us.

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you alone can bring into order the unruly wills and affections of sinners: Grant your people grace to love what you command and desire what you promise; that, among the swift and varied changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed where true joys are to be found; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Please be seated.

THE LESSON

JEREMIAH 31:31-34

³¹ “The day is coming,” says the Lord, “when I will make a new covenant with the people of Israel and Judah. ³² This covenant will not be like the one I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand and brought them out of the land of Egypt. They broke that covenant, though I loved them as a husband loves his wife,” says the Lord.

³³ “But this is the new covenant I will make with the people of Israel after those days,” says the Lord. “I will put my instructions deep within them, and I will write them on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be my people. ³⁴ And they will not need to teach their neighbors, nor will they need to teach their relatives, saying, ‘You should know the Lord.’ For everyone, from the least to the greatest, will know me already,” says the Lord. “And I will forgive their wickedness, and I will never again remember their sins.”

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

- ¹ Have mercy on me, O God, according to your loving-kindness;
in your great compassion blot out my offenses.
- ² Wash me through and through from my wickedness
and cleanse me from my sin.
- ³ For I know my transgressions,
and my sin is ever before me.
- ⁴ Against you only have I sinned
and done what is evil in your sight.
- ⁵ And so you are justified when you speak
and upright in your judgment.
- ⁶ Indeed, I have been wicked from my birth,
a sinner from my mother's womb.
- ⁷ For behold, you look for truth deep within me,
and will make me understand wisdom secretly.
- ⁸ Purge me from my sin, and I shall be pure;
wash me, and I shall be clean indeed.
- ⁹ Make me hear of joy and gladness,
that the body you have broken may rejoice.
- ¹⁰ Hide your face from my sins
and blot out all my iniquities.
- ¹¹ Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
- ¹² Cast me not away from your presence
and take not your holy Spirit from me.
- ¹³ Give me the joy of your saving help again
and sustain me with your bountiful Spirit.

Deacon: The Holy Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

All: Glory to you, Lord Christ.

²⁰ Some Greeks who had come to Jerusalem for the Passover celebration ²¹ paid a visit to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee. They said, “Sir, we want to meet Jesus.” ²² Philip told Andrew about it, and they went together to ask Jesus.

²³ Jesus replied, “Now the time has come for the Son of Man to enter into his glory. ²⁴ I tell you the truth, unless a kernel of wheat is planted in the soil and dies, it remains alone. But its death will produce many new kernels—a plentiful harvest of new lives. ²⁵ Those who love their life in this world will lose it. Those who care nothing for their life in this world will keep it for eternity. ²⁶ Anyone who wants to serve me must follow me, because my servants must be where I am. And the Father will honor anyone who serves me.

²⁷ “Now my soul is deeply troubled. Should I pray, ‘Father, save me from this hour’? But this is the very reason I came! ²⁸ Father, bring glory to your name.”

Then a voice spoke from heaven, saying, “I have already brought glory to my name, and I will do so again.” ²⁹ When the crowd heard the voice, some thought it was thunder, while others declared an angel had spoken to him.

³⁰ Then Jesus told them, “The voice was for your benefit, not mine. ³¹ The time for judging this world has come, when Satan, the ruler of this world, will be cast out. ³² And when I am lifted up from the earth, I will draw everyone to myself.” ³³ He said this to indicate how he was going to die.

Deacon: The Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE SERMON

Jesus Surrenders His Will to the Father: Will You?

Karen Miller
Associate Rector

THE APOSTLES CREED

Officiant: Let us confess our faith in the words of the Apostles Creed:

All: 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 power of 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 OF THE PEOPLE

Intercessor: Lord, we cry to you:

All:

Kyrie Eleison*



* Greek: Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy.

THE PEACE

Celebrant: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: And also with you.

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Lamb of God



Lamb of God, You take a-way the sins of the world, mi-se-re-re no - -
-bis. Lamb of God, You take a-way the sins of the world,
mi-se-re-re no - bis. Lamb of God, You take a-way the
sins of the world, do-na no-bis pa - -
-cem, do-na no-bis pa - -cem.

* "Misere nobis" is a Latin phrase that means "have mercy on us." Dona nobis pacem means "grant us peace."

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord; who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

There - fore we praise you, joi - ning our voi - ces with
 an - gels and arch - an - gels and with all the com - pa - ny of hea - ven,
Slowing
 who for - e - ver sing this hymn to pro - claim the glo - ry of your name.

Sanctus

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow'r and might. Hea - ven and earth are
 full of Your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the
 high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.
 Bles - sed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
 Bles - sed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho san -
 na in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Celebrant: Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself, and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself, in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

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

Celebrant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All:

Christ has died. Christ is ri - sen.
Christ will come a - gain.

The image shows two staves of musical notation in a 2/4 time signature with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The first staff contains the lyrics "Christ has died. Christ is ri - sen." and the second staff contains "Christ will come a - gain." The music consists of simple, rhythmic notes with some phrasing slurs.

Celebrant: We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body of your Son, the holy food of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

Celebrant: All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ:

All: 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 for ever. Amen.

Celebrant: Let us pray in the words our Savior Christ has taught us:

All: 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 sins, as we forgive those who sin 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.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant: Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;
All: Therefore let us keep the feast.

Celebrant: 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.

COMMUNION SONGS

Have Thine Own Way

Have Thine own way Lord have Thine own way
Thou art the Potter I am the clay
Mold me and make me after Thy will
While I am waiting yielded and still

Have Thine own way Lord have Thine own way
Wounded and weary help me I pray
Power all power surely is Thine
Touch me and heal me Savior divine

Have Thine own way Lord have Thine own way
Hold o'er my being absolute sway
Fill with Thy Spirit till all shall see
Christ only always living in me

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

All to Jesus I surrender
Make me Savior wholly Thine
Let me feel the Holy Spirit
Truly know that Thou art mine

I Will Worship You (Ye be ham ni da; Korean Song)

Title: "The Virgin Mary of Peace" by Shim, Soon-hwa Catherine (South Korean)

Perfect You are my God
Righteous and Holy
In all of Your ways
Revealing Your glory
In all that You do
All hearts will worship You

*Ye be ham ni da (I will worship You)
Chan yang ham ni da (I will praise Your name)
For You are the only Lord and King
Ye be ham ni da (I will worship You)
Chan yang ham ni da (I will praise Your name)
My desire is to honor You Lord*

Celebrant: Let us pray.

All: Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE BLESSING

Celebrant: Keep this your family, Lord, with your never-failing mercy, that relying solely on the help of your heavenly grace, they may be upheld by your divine protection; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

All: Amen.

There will now be a few announcements.

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THE RECESSIONAL

My friends, may you grow in grace, and in the
5 know-ledge of our Lord and Sav-ior. My friends, may you
10 grow in grace, and in the know-ledge of Je-sus Christ.
16 To God be the glo-ry, now and for-ev-er, now and for-
22 ev-er, a-men. To God be the glo-ry,
27 now and for-ev-er, now and for-ev-er, a-men.

THE DISMISSAL

Deacon: Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.
All: Thanks be to God.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Saturday Service LiveStream: We continue to worship on Saturday through Zoom. [Access our services here.](#) To assist with worship, a copy of our Order of Worship is available on our [Sermons webpage](#) and will be emailed out every Friday through Breeze by Whitney Burns, our Communications Director.

Zoom-iversary Tailgate Party: It's our Zoom-iversary tomorrow! Join us for some outdoor tailgating fun tomorrow, Sunday, March 21, 3:00-5:00pm at PHCC. Pop your trunk, unfold the lawn chairs and enjoy prepackaged snacks! Come with your cars decorated, as prizes will be awarded starting at 4:00pm.

Holy Week Guide - Let's get ready! Last year we released our first Holy Week Guide and we've brought it back! This updated guide will help you prepare for our hybrid in-person and at-home Holy Week experience. Take a moment to read the [Holy Week Guide](#), and gather what you'll need to fully participate this year.

What's New This Year? Good question! We will join together outdoors (at PHCC) for our **Saturday Palm Procession** (March 27, 12pm) and again for an **Easter Sunday Celebration** (April 4, 3pm). And for the first time ever we will journey through **Stations of the Cross**, hosted indoors at PHCC's gym.

Stations of the Cross - Sign Up: This devotional service is good for all ages, and moves you through the final 14 moments of Jesus's earthly life, from his betrayal to his burial. To ensure social distancing, please sign up for a 30-minute time slot [here](#).

Good Friday Gift: This year, the Vestry has chosen to partner with DuPage Pads, a Wheaton organization that provides temporary shelter for homeless people and works to get them established in permanent housing. You can give from now until 2 weeks after Easter. Simply mark "Good Friday" on the memo line of your check and mail to Church of the Savior, PO Box 507, Wheaton, IL 60187.

Donations to Church of the Savior: There are two ways to give to Church of the Savior in this season: MAIL: Church of the Savior, PO Box 507, Wheaton, IL 60187 and ONLINE: Visit the [Giving page](#) on our website.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Outdoor Youth Group: Tomorrow evening, youth group will gather outdoors at All Souls Church, Sunday, March 21 at 4:00-5:30pm. This gathering is socially distanced with masks. Future in-person gathers are April 11 and May 16. *This was rescheduled from last week.*

Zao Zoom Youth Room: There will be no virtual Youth Group meeting this Sunday (March 21), because of the in-person gathering.

Youth Event Calendar: Stay connected with Youth Group [events!](#)

CURRENT SERMON SERIES

“The Lord Is Gracious & Compassionate” - Season of Lent

February 17: *Ash Wednesday*, Ted Olsen

February 20: Fr. Kevin Miller

February 27: Fr. Kevin Miller

March 6: Fr. Kevin Miller

March 13: Fr. Kevin Miller

March 20: Mtr. Karen Miller

2021 HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

Saturday, March 27 - Monday, April 5

Palm Procession & Service of the Passion

Saturday, March 27

Palm Procession: 12:00-12:30pm (Outdoors at PHCC)

Reserved Sacrament Pick-up: 12:30-2:00pm (Outdoors at PHCC)

Service of the Passion: 5:00pm (Zoom)

Stations of the Cross

Various days and times (Gym at PHCC)

Wednesday, March 31: 5:00-8:00pm

Thursday, April 1, 10:00am--1:00pm

Friday, April 2, 12:00-3:00pm

(Or online, starting April 1)

Maundy Thursday

Thursday, April 1: 7:00pm (Zoom)

Good Friday

Friday, April 2: 4:00pm (Zoom)

The Great Vigil of Easter

Saturday, April 3: 5:00pm (Zoom)

Easter Sunday Celebration *

Sunday, April 4: 3:00pm (Outdoors at PHCC)

**In the case of rain, we will celebrate on Wednesday, April 7 at 6:30pm instead.*

Easter Monday

Monday, April 5: The church office is closed, and all staff will be away from work.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Thank you for your faithful giving!

As of March 13:

Actual = \$58,261

Budget = \$68,595

Over/(Under) = (\$10,334)

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