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**We Are Here to Change Lives!**

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**THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**  
**January 22, 2023**  
**10:00 a.m.**

The Right Reverend Peter Eaton, Bishop

The Very Reverend Cori Olson, Rector  
The Reverend Charles Laskin David & The Reverend Sonley Joseph, Priests  
The Reverend Bob Sullivan & The Reverend April Alford-Harkey, Deacons

Blake Crane, Eucharistic Minister & Reader

Jim Barnette, Reader

Michael Hoagland & Joe Kolb, Ushers

Mary Nelson, Organist

James Balmer, Choir Director

Choir: Lucretia Alexandru, Ron Bukley, Linda Crisman, Jon Flath, Jane Grey-Ford,  
Dick Lewallen, Twig Morris, Carol Sink, Kathi Smith, Linda Sullivan

Rob Lucarelli, AVL Board

Michael Hoagland, Vestry Person of the Day

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## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Processional Hymn #304 – I Come with Joy to Meet My Lord

[1] *“I come with joy to meet my Lord, forgiven, loved and free, in awe and wonder to recall his life laid down for me.”*

[2] *“I come with Christians far and near to find, as all are fed, the new community of love in Christ’s communion bread.”*

[3] *“As Christ breaks bread and bids us share, each proud division ends. That love that made us makes us one, and strangers now are friends.”*

[4] *“And thus with joy we meet our Lord. His presence, always near, is in such friendship better known: we see and praise him here.”*

[5] *“Together met, together bound, we’ll go our different ways, and as his people in the world we’ll live and speak his praise.”*

*Celebrant* Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

*People* **And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen**

*Celebrant* There is one Body and one Spirit;

*People* **There is one hope in God’s call to us;**

*Celebrant* One Lord, one Faith, one Baptism;

*People* **One God and Father of all.**

### The Collect of the Day

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you,**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

GIVE US GRACE, O Lord, to answer readily the call of our Savior Jesus Christ and proclaim to all people the Good News of his salvation, that we and the whole world may perceive the glory of his marvelous works; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

## The Lessons

### A Reading from the Book of Isaiah chapter 9 verses 1-4

There will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations.

The people who walked in darkness  
have seen a great light;  
those who lived in a land of deep darkness--  
on them light has shined.  
You have multiplied the nation,  
you have increased its joy;  
they rejoice before you  
as with joy at the harvest,  
as people exult when dividing plunder.  
For the yoke of their burden,  
and the bar across their shoulders,  
the rod of their oppressor,  
you have broken as on the day of Midian.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord

*People* **Thanks be to God**

### Psalm 27:1, 5-13 found on page 617 in the BCP

- 1 The LORD is my light and my salvation;  
whom then shall I fear? \*  
the LORD is the strength of my life;  
of whom then shall I be afraid?
- 5 One thing have I asked of the LORD;  
one thing I seek; \*  
that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life;
- 6 To behold the fair beauty of the LORD \*  
and to seek him in his temple.
- 7 For in the day of trouble he shall keep me safe in his shelter; \*  
he shall hide me in the secrecy of his dwelling  
and set me high upon a rock.

- 8 Even now he lifts up my head \*  
above my enemies round about me.
- 9 Therefore I will offer in his dwelling an oblation  
with sounds of great gladness; \*  
I will sing and make music to the LORD.
- 10 Hearken to my voice, O LORD, when I call; \*  
have mercy on me and answer me.
- 11 You speak in my heart and say, "Seek my face." \*  
Your face, LORD, will I seek.
- 12 Hide not your face from me, \*  
nor turn away your servant in displeasure.
- 13 You have been my helper;  
cast me not away; \*  
do not forsake me, O God of my salvation.

### **A Reading from 1 Corinthians chapter 1 verses 10-18**

Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you be in agreement and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same purpose. For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. What I mean is that each of you says, "I belong to Paul," or "I belong to Apollos," or "I belong to Cephas," or "I belong to Christ." Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. (I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power.

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

*Reader* The Word of the Lord.

*People* **Thanks be to God.**

Gradual Hymn #707 – Take My Life

[1] *"Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee; take my moments and my days, let them flow in ceaseless praise. Take my hands, and let them move at the impulse of thy love; take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne."*

**The Holy Gospel** of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew  
*People Glory to you, Lord Christ*

When Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

“Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali,  
on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles—  
the people who sat in darkness  
have seen a great light,  
and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death  
light has dawned.”

From that time Jesus began to proclaim, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”

As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the sea—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.” Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.

Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

**The Gospel** of the Lord.

*People Praise to you Lord Christ*

[2] *“Take my voice, and let me sing always, only, for my King; take my intellect, and use every power as thou shalt choose. Take my will and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.”*

**The Sermon**

**Dean Cori Olson**

**The Presentation of Rose Theresa Saint Fort born February 14, 2022**

*Parents and Godparents* I present this child, Rose to receive the Sacrament of Baptism.

*Celebrant* Will you be responsible for seeing that the child you present is brought up in the Christian faith and life?

*Parents and Godparents* I will, with God's help.

*Celebrant* Will you by your prayers and witness help this child to grow into the full stature of Christ?

*Parents and Godparents* I will with God's help.

*Question* Do you renounce Satan and all the spiritual forces of wickedness that rebel against God?

*Answer* I renounce them.

*Question* Do you renounce the evil powers of this world which corrupt and destroy the creatures of God?

*Question* Do you renounce all sinful desires that draw you from the love of God?

*Answer* I renounce them.

*Question* Do you turn to Jesus Christ and accept him as your Savior?

*Answer* I do.

*Question* Do you put your whole trust in his grace and love?

*Answer* I do.

*Question* Do you promise to follow and obey him as your Lord?

*Answer* I do.

## **The Baptismal Covenant**

*Celebrant* Do you believe in God the Father?

*People* **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

*Celebrant* Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

*People* **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.**

*Celebrant* Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

*People* **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.**

*Celebrant* Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of the bread, and in the prayers?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

*People* **I will with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

*People* **I will with God's help.**

*Celebrant* Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

*People* **I will, with God's help.**

### **The Prayers for the Candidate**

*Celebrant* Let us now pray for this child, Rose, who is to receive the Sacrament of new birth.

*Leader* Deliver her, O Lord, from the way of sin and death.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Open her heart to your grace and truth.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Fill her with your holy and life-giving Spirit.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Keep her in the faith and communion of your holy Church.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Teach her to love others in the power of the Spirit.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Send her into the world in witness to your love.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Leader* Bring her to the fullness of your peace and glory.

*People* **Lord, hear our prayer.**

*Celebrant* Grant, O Lord, that all who are baptized into the death of Jesus Christ your Son may live in power of his resurrection and look for him to come again in glory; who lives and reigns now and forever. **Amen.**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

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

*People* **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant*

We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life.

We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit. Therefore, in joyful obedience to your Son, we bring into his fellowship those who come in faith, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Now sanctify this water, we pray you, by the power of your Holy Spirit, that those who are here are cleansed from sin and born again may continue for ever in the risen life of Jesus Christ our Savior.

To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. **Amen.**

*Celebrant*

Eternal Father, whose blessed Son was anointed by the Holy Spirit to be the Savior and servant of all, we pray you to consecrate this oil, that those who are sealed with it may share in the royal priesthood of Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, forever and ever. **Amen.**

## **The Baptism**

Rose, I baptize you in the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**

Let us pray.

Heavenly Father, we thank you that by water and the Holy Spirit you have bestowed upon Rose, your servant the forgiveness of sin and have raised her to the new life of grace. Sustain Rose, O Lord, in your Holy Spirit. Give her an inquiring and discerning heart, the courage to will and to persevere, a spirit to know and to love you, and the gift of joy and wonder in all your works. **Amen.**

Rose, you are sealed by the Holy Spirit in Baptism and marked as Christ's own forever. **Amen.**



Let us welcome the newly baptized.

*Celebrant and people*

**We receive you into the household of God. Confess the faith of Christ crucified, proclaim his resurrection, and share with us in his eternal priesthood.**

**The Peace/Announcements/Welcome Visitors/Thank You to those rotating off of the Vestry**

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

*People* **And also with you.**

**The Holy Communion**

Offertory Sentence

*Offertory Anthem – Borning Cry ..... Daniel Kallman & John Ylvisaker*

**Doxology:** Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above the heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

**The Great Thanksgiving**

*The people remain standing. The Celebrant faces them and says:*

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts,

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

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

*People* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*Then, facing the Holy Table, the Celebrant proceeds*

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Because you sent your beloved Son to redeem us from sin and death, and to make us heirs in him of everlasting life; that when he shall come again power and great triumph to judge the world, we may without shame or fear rejoice to behold his appearing.

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:

*Celebrant & People - S130*

**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.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

*The people stand or kneel*

We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in the last days, you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, 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."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: 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 for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

*Celebrant and People*

**We remember his death,  
We proclaim his resurrection,  
We await his coming in glory.**

*Celebrant*

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with Mary, Joseph, Andrew and all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters, through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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.**

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to sing,

*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*

**The Breaking of the Bread** – *silence is kept*

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

*People* **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia!**

**Agnus Dei – S164**

**Jesus, Lamb of God: have mercy on us.**

**Jesus, bearer of our sins: have mercy on us.**

**Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world: give us your peace, give us your peace.**

*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 Hymn #321 – My God, Thy Table Now is Spread

[1] *“My God, thy table now is spread, thy cup with love doth overflow; be all thy children thither led and let them thy sweet mercies know.”*

[2] *“O let thy table honored be and furnished well with joyful guests; and may each soul salvation see, that here its sacred pledges tastes.”*

[3] *“Drawn by thy quickening grace, O Lord, in countless numbers let them come and gather from their Father’s board the Bread that lives beyond the tomb.”*

[4] *“Nor let thy spreading Gospel rest till through the world thy truth has run, till with this Bread shall all be blessed who see the light or feel the sun.”*

Day by Day #654 – “Day by day, dear Lord, of thee three things I pray: to see thee more clearly, follow thee more nearly, day by day.”

## Post Communion Prayer

Let us pray.

### *Celebrant and People*

**Almighty and everliving God, 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 you 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 service 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

Recessional Hymn #539 – O Zion Haste Thy Mission

[1] *“O Zion, haste, thy mission high fulfilling, to tell to all the world that God is Light; that he who made all nations is not willing one soul should fail to know his love and might.”*

[Refrain] *“Publish glad tidings: tidings of peace, tidings of Jesus, redemption and release.”*

[2] *“Proclaim to every people, tongue and nation that God, in whom they live and move, is Love; tell how he stooped to save his lost creation, and died on earth that all might live above.”*

[Refrain] *“Publish glad tidings: tidings of peace, tidings of Jesus, redemption and release.”*

[3] *“Send heralds forth to bear the message glorious; give of thy wealth to speed them on their way; pour out thy soul for them in prayer victorious till God shall bring his kingdom’s joyful day.”*

[Refrain] *“Publish glad tidings: tidings of peace, tidings of Jesus, redemption and release.”*

[4] *“He comes again! O Zion, ere thou meet him, make known to every heart his saving grace; let none whom he hath ransomed fail to greet him, through thy neglect, unfit to see his face.”*

[Refrain] *“Publish glad tidings: tidings of peace, tidings of Jesus, redemption and release.”*

## Dismissal

*Postlude – Allegro Maestoso from ‘Water Music’ ..... G.F.*

### **Please remember in your prayers:**

*Henrietta, Stefone, Mary Kay, Janet, Chuck, Hank, Elaine, Carole Ann, Pam, Dominic, Mary, Laura, Gladys, Jason, Rod, Nicole, Bev, Harriet, Ginny, Debbie & Jim, Sue, Patricia, Noreen, Leo, Patrick, Caleb, Vincent, Matthew, Michael, Margaret, Karen, Joan, Greg, Robert, Don.*

## Announcements

**Annual Meeting Today** immediately following the service!

In case of emergency, call Rev. Cori at 561.788.5125

**2023 Pledge Cards** are available in the Narthex

**Choir** rehearsal Thursdays at 7:00p.m. All are welcome!

**Large print bulletins** are available for the visually impaired. Please let the ushers know if you would like a large print bulletin.

### **Christian Education Opportunities**

Bible Study with Deacon Bob on Sundays at 9:00a.m. and with Rev. Cori on Wednesdays immediately following the 10:00a.m. service and at 6:00p.m. via Zoom.

The Daughters of the King meet the first Sunday of every month following the service. Prayer request cards and travel-size toiletry donation basket is in the Narthex.

### SAVE THE DATES:

**February 11 - The Absalom Jones Celebration** at  
Church of the Incarnation 1835 NW 54th St, Miami, FL 33142

**February 12** at 2:00p.m. – The Camerata di Magdalena Youth Orchestra

**February 22** – Lent begins with Ash Wednesday services at 10:00a.m. & 7:00p.m.

**Mon-Fri:** Join Rev. Cori for Morning Prayer at 7:30 a.m. live on Facebook.



