



St. Helena's Church at  
**FRIPP ISLAND**

KNOWING *the Savior* ALIGNING *with the Lord* SEEING *the Kingdom come*

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**SUNDAY SERVICE**  
**10:00 AM**

*St. Helena's will boldly proclaim the saving  
Gospel and Lordship of Jesus Christ, and through  
intentional discipleship, will raise up servant leaders  
and worshipping communities in Beaufort and beyond,  
seeing the Kingdom come.*

*An Anglican Congregation*

**March 14, 2021**

## **Welcome and Call to Worship**

Officiant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People: **His mercy endures for ever.**

### **Come Thou Fount**

Come thou Fount of every blessing,  
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace.  
Streams of mercy never ceasing,  
Call for songs of loudest praise.  
Teach me some melodious sonnet.  
Sung by flaming tongues above  
Praise the mount oh fix me on it.  
Mount of God's unchanging love

Here I find my greatest treasure,  
Hither by Thy help I've come.  
And I hope by Thy good pleasure,  
Safely to arrive at home.  
Jesus sought me when a stranger  
Wandering from the fold of God.  
He to rescue me from danger,  
Interposed His precious blood

Oh to grace how great a debtor,  
Daily I'm constrained to be.  
Let Thy goodness like a fetter,  
Bind my wandering heart to Thee.  
Prone to wander Lord I feel it,  
Prone to leave the God I love.  
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it,  
Seal it for Thy courts above

Oh that day when freed from sinning,  
I shall see Thy lovely face.  
Clothed then in the blood washed linen,  
How I'll sing Thy wondrous grace.

Come my Lord, no longer tarry,  
Take my ransomed soul away.  
Send Thine angels now to carry,  
Me to realms of endless day

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## Graves into Gardens

I searched the world but it couldn't fill me  
Man's empty praise and treasures that fade  
Are never enough  
Then You came along and put me back together  
And every desire is now satisfied here in Your love

Chorus: Oh there's nothing better than You  
There's nothing better than You  
Lord there's nothing  
Nothing is better than You

I'm not afraid to show you my weakness  
My failures and flaws, Lord You've seen them all  
And You still call me friend  
'Cause the God of the mountain  
Is the God of the valley, And there's not a place  
Your mercy and grace won't find me again

You turn mourning to dancing,  
You give beauty for ashes  
You turn shame into glory  
You're the only one who can

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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.**

## Prayers of the People

## Confession (saying 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.

## The Peace

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

People: **And with your spirit.**

## The Reading: Exodus 34:29-35

<sup>29</sup> When Moses came down from Mount Sinai, with the two tablets of the testimony in his hand as he came down from the mountain, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God.

<sup>30</sup> Aaron and all the people of Israel saw Moses, and behold, the skin of his face shone, and they were afraid to come near him. <sup>31</sup> But Moses called to them, and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses talked with them. <sup>32</sup> Afterward all the people of Israel came near, and he commanded them all that the Lord had spoken with him in Mount Sinai. <sup>33</sup> And when Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil over his face. <sup>34</sup> Whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would remove the veil, until he came out. And when he came out and told the people of Israel what he was commanded, <sup>35</sup> the people of

Israel would see the face of Moses, that the skin of Moses' face was shining. And Moses would put the veil over his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

**The Sermon:** "The Glory of the Lord"

Rev. Todd Simonis

### **Holy Communion**

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And with your spirit.**

Officiant: Lift up your hearts.

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

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

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

### **Words at the Table**

Officiant: Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

People: **Christ has died.**

**Christ is risen.**

**Christ will come again.**

### **The Lord's Prayer (saying 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.**

## Glory be to God

To You we bring our hymn of praise, Glory be to God  
Hearts and hands together raised, Glory be to God  
Who spoke before the dawn of time, Glory be to God  
Veil of darkness torn by light, Glory be to God

And with unceasing voice all heaven sings, Glory be to God  
The anthem of the Lord's redeemed, Glory be to God

You purchased captives for Your saints, Glory be to God  
And opened wide the kingdom gates, Glory be to God  
You overcame the sting of death, Glory be to God  
And clothed us in Christ's righteousness, Glory be to God

And all Your children cry with loud acclaim, Glory be to God  
Sing O church Your sweet refrain, Glory be to God

Glory glory glory glory forever and ever  
Glory glory glory glory forever and ever

Father Spirit risen Son, Glory be to God  
Who was and is and is to come, Glory be to God

Glory glory glory glory forever and ever  
Glory glory glory glory forever and ever  
Forever and ever, Forever and ever

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### Post-Communion Prayer (saying together)

**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 for ever. Amen.**

### The Blessing

## In Christ Alone

In Christ alone my hope is found  
He is my light my strength my song  
This Cornerstone this solid Ground  
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm  
What heights of love what depths of peace  
When fears are stilled when strivings cease  
My Comforter my All in All  
Here in the love of Christ I stand

In Christ alone who took on flesh  
Fullness of God in helpless babe  
This gift of love and righteousness  
Scorned by the ones He came to save  
Till on that cross as Jesus died  
The wrath of God was satisfied  
For every sin on Him was laid  
Here in the death of Christ I live

There in the ground His body lay  
Light of the world by darkness slain  
Then bursting forth in glorious Day  
Up from the grave He rose again  
And as He stands in victory  
Sin's curse has lost its grip on me  
For I am His and He is mine  
Bought with the precious blood of Christ

No guilt in life no fear in death  
This is the power of Christ in me  
From life's first cry to final breath  
Jesus commands my destiny  
No power of hell no scheme of man  
Can ever pluck me from His hand  
Till He returns or calls me home  
Here in the power of Christ I'll stand

## The Dismissal

Officiant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

*Please take your bulletin with you and be mindful of social-distancing recommendations as you leave.*

### Spring Schedule

March 21 - 10:00am on the Beach

March 28 - 9:00am at the Beach Club Patio

April 4 - 9:00am at the Beach Club Patio (Easter)

April 11 - May 23 - 9:00am at the Beach Club Patio

- *If you have any prayer requests or questions about the Christian faith, our pastor, Todd Simonis, is available at 843.522.1712 or at [TSimonis@StHelenas1712.org](mailto:TSimonis@StHelenas1712.org)*
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