

# *The Church of the Redeemer*



WELCOME TO WORSHIP  
ON  
**THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT**  
March 20, 2022

**“Drawing near to God to make and equip disciples  
to live as faithful followers of Christ.”**

An Episcopal Parish in The Diocese of Upper South Carolina  
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## Prelude

*Please stand (as you are able)*

**Processional Hymn 149** ..... Eternal Lord of love

*The service continues with the Penitential Order on  
page 351 of the Book of Common Prayer.*

## THE WORD OF GOD

### A Penitential Order

Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

*People: His mercy endures for ever.*

Celebrant: Jesus said, "The first commandment is this: Hear, O Israel: The Lord your God is the only Lord. Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these." *Mark 12:29-31*

### Confession of Sin

BCP 352

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

*Celebrant and People:* 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.

*People: Amen.*

**Collect of the Day**

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.  
People: *And also with you.*  
Celebrant: Let us pray.

Almighty God, you know that we have no power in ourselves to help ourselves: Keep us both outwardly in our bodies and inwardly in our souls, that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*People: Amen.*

*You may be seated for the readings.*

**First Reading**

**Exodus 3:1-15**

Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. There the angel of the Lord appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. Then Moses said, "I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up." When the Lord saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, "Moses, Moses!" And he said, "Here I am." Then he said, "Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground." He said further, "I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob." And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God. Then the Lord said, "I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt." But Moses said to God, "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?" He said, "I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain." But Moses said to God, "If I come to the Israelites and say to them, 'The God of your ancestors has sent me to

you,' and they ask me, 'What is his name?' what shall I say to them?" God said to Moses, "I am who I am." He said further, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'I am has sent me to you.'" God also said to Moses, "Thus you shall say to the Israelites, 'The Lord, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you': This is my name forever, and this my title for all generations."

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

### **The Psalm**

**Psalm 63:1-8**

- 1     O God, you are my God; eagerly I seek you; \*  
      my soul thirsts for you, my flesh faints for you,  
      as in a barren and dry land where there is no water.
- 2     Therefore I have gazed upon you in your holy place, \*  
      that I might behold your power and your glory.
- 3     For your loving-kindness is better than life itself; \*  
      my lips shall give you praise.
- 4     So will I bless you as long as I live \*  
      and lift up my hands in your Name.
- 5     My soul is content, as with marrow and fatness, \*  
      and my mouth praises you with joyful lips,
- 6     When I remember you upon my bed, \*  
      and meditate on you in the night watches.
- 7     For you have been my helper, \*  
      and under the shadow of your wings I will rejoice.
- 8     My soul clings to you; \*  
      your right hand holds me fast.

### **Second Reading**

**1 Corinthians 10:1-13**

I do not want you to be unaware, brothers and sisters, that our ancestors were all under the cloud, and all passed through the sea, and all were baptized into Moses in the cloud and in the sea, and all ate the same spiritual food, and all drank the same spiritual drink. For they drank from the spiritual rock that followed them, and the rock was Christ. Nevertheless, God was not pleased with most of them, and they were struck down in the wilderness. Now these things occurred as examples for us, so that we might not desire evil as they did. Do not become idolaters as some of them did; as it is written, "The people sat down to eat and drink, and they rose up to play." We must not indulge in sexual immorality as some of them did, and twenty-three thousand fell in a single day. We must not put Christ to the test, as some of them did, and were destroyed by serpents. And

do not complain as some of them did, and were destroyed by the destroyer. These things happened to them to serve as an example, and they were written down to instruct us, on whom the ends of the ages have come. So if you think you are standing, watch out that you do not fall. No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

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

*Please stand*

## **The Holy Gospel**

**Luke 13:1-9**

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

At that very time there were some present who told Jesus about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. He asked them, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did. Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them--do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem? No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did." Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none. So he said to the gardener, 'See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?' He replied, 'Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it. If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down.'"

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

*Please be seated.*

## **Sermon**

The Rev. Catherine Tatem

**The Nicene Creed** (*Officiant and People together, all standing as able*)

BCP 358

## **Prayers of the People**

Lector:       The Lord of hosts is with us.  
People:       *The God of Jacob is our refuge.*

**The Peace** *Please stand*

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

*People: And also with you.*

*Please be seated*

**Announcements**

**HOLY COMMUNION**

Celebrant: Ascribe to the Lord the honor due his Name; bring offerings and come into his courts.

**Offertory Anthem, *Come my Way, my Truth my Life* .....*Vaughan Williams***

*Please stand while the people's gifts are brought forward*

**The Great Thanksgiving: *Eucharistic Prayer A*** BCP 361

**Sanctus** S-130

**The Lord's Prayer** BCP 364

**The Breaking of the Bread** BCP 364

*The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.*

**Agnus Dei** S-163

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 439** .....What wondrous love is this

**Postcommunion Prayer** BCP 365

*Solemn Prayer over the People*

Celebrant: Bow down before the Lord.  
Look mercifully on this your family, Almighty God, that by your great goodness they may be governed and preserved evermore; through Christ our Lord.

*People: Amen.*

**Blessing**

*Please stand*

**Recessional Hymn 401** .....The God of Abraham Praise

**Postlude**

**Spiritual Communion Prayer**

In union, blessed Jesus, with the faithful gathered at every altar of your Church where your blessed Body and Blood are offered this day, I long to offer you praise and thanksgiving, for creation and all the blessings of this life, for the redemption won for us by your life, death, and resurrection, for the means of grace and the hope of glory. I believe that you are truly present in the Holy Sacrament, and, since I cannot at this time receive communion, I pray you to come into my heart. I unite myself with you and embrace you with all my heart, my soul, and my mind. Let nothing separate me from you; let me serve you in this life until, by your grace, I come to your glorious kingdom and unending peace. Amen.



**WELCOME VISITORS!**  
PLEASE STOP BY THE VISITOR TABLE  
We ask that you sign the Guest Book and take a Welcome Bag as our gift to you.  
See you again soon!



# THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER

Announcements for March 20, 2022

## THIS WEEK AT REDEEMER!

March 20 to March 26, 2022

<b>Sunday</b>	8:30AM 9:30 AM 2:00 PM	Online Morning Prayer In person Worship with Holy Eucharist (also live stream) Hispanic Service
<b>Monday</b>	6:00 PM 7:00 PM	ACOA ALANON
<b>Tuesday</b>		
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:30 AM 12:00 PM 6:30 PM	Worship with Holy Eucharist AA Meeting Choir
<b>Thursday</b>		
<b>Friday</b>		Church Office Closed
<b>Saturday</b>	11:00AM	AA/Alanon Meeting

### Readings for Sunday, March 27, 2022

First: Joshua 5:9-12  
Psalm: Psalm 32  
Second: 2 Corinthians 5:16-21  
Gospel: Luke 15:1-3, 11b-32

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

## March

22 Jackie Smith  
23 Carolyn Irwin  
23 Sharon Parrott  
24 Don Howard  
24 Will Jennings  
24 Judy Moline  
25 Mark Moline  
26 Cameron Jernigan  
26 Katherine Jernigan  
26 Lizzie Zeager

### Altar Flower Dedication

*To the Glory of God*

**All are welcome for Coffee Hour  
after service in the transept.**

Please sign up to bring simple snacks  
for Coffee Hour after Sunday  
services. There is a sign up sheet in  
the transept.

This time for socializing is such a  
blessing.

Thank you from  
The Fellowship Committee



***Flower Dedications***

*Think about offering the flowers on the altar  
in honor of someone special in your life.*



*The 2022 Altar dedication book  
is on the communication table  
for your dedications.*

*Dedications are \$35 to offset  
the cost of the flowers.  
Thank you for  
your generosity!*

**Join the Choir**

We need you! Come join the choir! We rehearse  
on Wednesday evenings from 6:30pm to 7:30pm  
in the choir room. We welcome everyone to join.  
Let Bob know if you would like to join, or just  
show up for practice.

**YOUTH & Adult  
Christian Education  
LENT STUDY**

All ages will meet at  
10:45 in the Meeting  
Room each Sunday  
morning during Lent.

Today we will begin the  
study of the Stations of  
the Cross.

## Prayers of the People

The Church of the Redeemer has a faithful and strong prayer ministry. If you would like to add someone's name to the prayer list, please fill out a form in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate or contact the parish office. Please let the parish office know when a name can be removed from our prayers.

Thank you for your help in keeping our prayer list up to date!

### **Please Pray for:**

Claire Allen	Joyce Desantis	Teresa Leslie	Beverly Poe	Melanie Tinnelly
Stephany Austell	Allison Espinosa	Betty Lupo	Gary Powell	Bob Weinstein
Debbie Bauer	Jessie Hazel	Lynne Massengill	Ed Roberts	Bricelyn Cantey
Pat Blackburn	Aislinn Johnson	Jason McCord	Jackie Smith	
Jean Bowe	Hank Johnson	June Moore	Steve Smith	
John Carter	Elizabeth Koontz	Jean Ohmsen	Elyette Taylor	

**For the repose of the soul of:** All who died this past week

**Diocesan Cycle of Prayer:** Church of Our Saviour, Rock Hill

**For those serving in the military, especially:**

Fred Aldrich	Matthew Howard	Andrew Lupo	Michael Reardon
Elijah Johnson	Chris McDowell	Christopher Tyminiski	

**For those studying in undergraduate and graduate programs:**

Riley Hawkins	Thomas Jennings	George Poleski
Morgan Helm	John Phillips	Andrew Reardon

If you know anyone in the hospital, please call the Church Office: 277-4562  
or send bulletin prayer requests to [parishadmin@corgsc.org](mailto:parishadmin@corgsc.org)

## **2022 VESTRY**

Rector	Rev. Catherine Tatem	Membership	Greg Brown (2022)
Sr. Warden/ Administrative	Daniel McCullough (2022)	Outreach	Robin Mill (2022)
Jr. Warden/ Property	Betty Boesch (2023)	Outreach	Rick Hankinson (2024)
Grounds	Annette Burdette (2022)	Member	Stephany Austell (2023)
Treasurer	Rebekah Webb	Asst. Treasurer	Jack Blackburn

	<b>This Week</b>	<b>Next Week</b>
<b>Vergers</b>	Bill Heizer	Jack Blackburn
<b>Ushers</b>	Steve Webb	Jason Houston
<b>Crucifer</b>	Riley Hawkins	Will Derrick
<b>Lector 1</b>	David Poleski	Bill Heizer
<b>Lector 2</b>	Wallace Lightsey	Wallace Lightsey
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Debbie Price, Margie Hankinson, Joanie Mullin	Janet Poleski, Judy Derrick
<b>Counters</b>	Bill Lee, Steve Webb	Jane Bouton, Meg Coffey
<b>Video</b>	Pat Condon	Rick Hankinson

**An opportunity to share your gifts of ministry contact:**

Counters (Jane Bouton)	Ushers (Steve Webb)
Acolytes (Wallace Lightsey)	Lectors (Katie Houston)
Altar Guild (Margie Hankinson)	Flower Guild (Lauren McCullough)
Vergers (Bill Heizer)	Video (Rick Hankinson)
Contact the lead, or call the parish office to volunteer.	

**Redeemer's Photograph Policy**

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