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**Morning Worship**  
10:45 a.m.

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# Welcome to Church Creek Presbyterian

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

**Visitors**, we are so glad you are here! Please locate a 'Visitor's Card', and fill out any info you'd like to share with us so that we may get to know you better. You can place it in the offering plate during the collection or hand it to one of the pastors, ushers, or greeters

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**\*\*Due to allergy sensitivities, CCP is a scent-free congregation\*\***

## Announcements for Sunday, January 24<sup>th</sup>

If you or anyone in your household becomes infected with COVID-19 and you attended worship in person at CCP, please notify the church by e-mailing [session@church-creek.org](mailto:session@church-creek.org) or call and leave a message at the church office: 843-766-1381. Your identity will be kept confidential.

**Outdoor Family Ministry** – Families and children gather outside, behind the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 am, weather permitting. This time will include some singing and a Bible lesson, followed by time for fellowship and for children to play outside prior to the worship service.

**Outdoor Youth Sunday School** – Youth will meet for Sunday School outside, behind the Fellowship Hall at 10:00 am, weather permitting. If weather is inclement, they will meet in the Worship Training Room.

### **Women's Bible Study:**

**-Morning group** is studying *The Word of the Lord: Seeing Jesus in the Prophets*, by Nancy Guthrie every Wednesday from 10:30 am-noon at Mary McLellan's. Contact Karyl Doyle for details.

**-Evening group** is continuing their study of *The Son of David: Seeing Jesus in the Historical Books*, by Nancy Guthrie every Wednesday at 7:30 pm via Zoom - links for joining are shared on CCPLife/Facebook each week.

**Congregational Meeting**– A meeting of the corporation will be held **next Sunday, January 31<sup>st</sup>** immediately following worship in the sanctuary.

**Pastoral Search Committee Requests**– If you have a pastor to recommend, please fill out a Google Referral Form with contact information. <https://bit.ly/Pastor-Recommendation>

### **Deacon On Call**

**January:** Ken Fipps – 843-557-4258; backup Matt Guffey

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**Today's service is being livestreamed in the Fellowship Hall, which is designated as a no-singing space and offers physically distanced seating.**

Calendars for the month of January are available in the Narthex and Fellowship Hall.

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# The Order of Public Worship

January 24, 2021

Morning Service

10:45 a.m.

Our passion is that Church Creek Presbyterian  
be a place where people experience  
the awesome presence of God in Word and worship,  
the restful presence of Jesus through a transformed community,  
and the powerful presence of the Holy Spirit in witness and ministry.



Prelude:  
Dr. Soohyun Yun

## PRELUDE

Deacon Matthew  
Guffey

## GREETING

**JESUS, OUR BLESSED REDEEMER!  
TELL OF HIS EXCELLENT GREATNESS!**

✠ Congregation  
Standing

## ✠ DOXOLOGY OF PRAISE

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

## ✠ PRAYER OF INVOCATION

## ✠ HYMN

*Praise Him! Praise Him! 173*

*Praise him! praise him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
Sing, O earth, his wonderful love proclaim!  
Hail him! hail him! highest archangels in glory;  
Strength and honor give to his holy name!  
Like a shepherd, Jesus will guard his children,  
In his arms he carries them all day long:*

*Praise him! praise him! tell of his excellent greatness,  
Praise him! praise him! ever in joyful song!*

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*Praise him! praise him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
For our sins he suffered and bled and died;  
He our Rock, our hope of eternal salvation,  
Hail him! hail him! Jesus the crucified.  
Sound his praises! Jesus who bore our sorrows,  
Love unbounded, wonderful, deep and strong:*

*Praise him! praise him! tell of his excellent greatness,  
Praise him! praise him! ever in joyful song!*

*Praise him! praise him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer!  
Heav'nly portals loud with hosannas ring!  
Jesus, Saviour, reigneth for ever and ever;  
Crown him! crown him! Prophet and Priest and King!  
Christ is coming! Over the world victorious,  
Power and glory unto the Lord belong:*

*Praise him! praise him! tell of his excellent greatness,  
Praise him! praise him! ever in joyful song! Amen!*

## FOR OUR SINS HE SUFFERED AND BLED AND DIED

### CONFESSION OF SIN

Stop telling lies. Let us tell our neighbors the truth,  
for we are all members of the same body.

*Silent confession*

Don't sin by letting anger control you.  
Don't let the sun go down while you are still angry,  
for anger gives a foothold to the devil.

*Silent confession*

From  
*Ephesians 4:25-32*  
NLT

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If you are a thief, quit stealing.  
Instead, use your hands for good hard work,  
and then give generously to others in need.

*Silent confession*

Don't use foul or abusive language.  
Let everything you say be good and helpful,  
so that your words will be an encouragement  
to those who hear them.

*Silent confession*

And do not bring sorrow to God's Holy Spirit  
by the way you live.  
Get rid of all bitterness, rage, anger, harsh words, and slander,  
as well as all types of evil behavior.

*Silent confession*

Be kind to each other, tenderhearted,  
forgiving one another,  
just as God through Christ has forgiven you.

*Silent confession*

## **ABSOLUTION**

**THE LORD HAS PROMISED GOOD TO ME,  
HIS WORD MY HOPE SECURES**

## **CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

## **COLLECTION**

Deacon Matthew  
Guffey

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✠ OFFERTORY HYMN

Amazing Grace 460

*Amazing grace—how sweet the sound—  
That saved a wretch like me!  
I once was lost, but now am found—  
Was blind, but now I see.*

*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,  
And grace my fears relieved;  
How precious did that grace appear  
The hour I first believed!*

*Thro' many dangers, toils and snares,  
I have already come;  
'Tis grace has brought me safe thus far,  
And grace will lead me home.*

*The Lord has promised good to me,  
His Word my hope secures:  
He will my shield and portion be,  
As long as life endures.*

*And when this flesh and heart shall fail,  
And mortal life shall cease,  
I shall possess within the veil  
A life of joy and peace.*

*When we've been there ten thousand years,  
Bright shining as the sun,  
We've no less days to sing God's praise  
Than when we've first begun. Amen!*

**YOUR WORD SHALL BE MY CHIEF DELIGHT,  
AND I WILL NOT FORGET YOUR LAW**

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON**

*Psalm 119:9-16*

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You may carry your offering to the plate on the table in the front of the church during the Offertory Hymn or place it in the plate nearest you as you leave

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✠ **HYMN**

*How Shall the Young Direct Their Way?* 148

*How shall the young direct their way?  
What light shall be their perfect guide?  
Thy Word, O Lord, will safely lead,  
If in its wisdom they confide.  
Sincerely I have sought thee, Lord,  
O let me not from thee depart;  
To know thy will and keep from sin  
Thy Word I cherish in my heart.*

*O blessed Lord, teach me thy law,  
Thy righteous judgments I declare;  
Thy testimonies make me glad,  
For they are wealth beyond compare.  
Upon thy precepts and thy ways  
My heart will meditate with awe;  
Thy Word shall be my chief delight,  
And I will not forget thy law. Amen!*

**SERMON TEXT**

*James 1:22-25* ESV

<sup>22</sup> But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. <sup>23</sup> For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. <sup>24</sup> For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like. <sup>25</sup> But the one who looks into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and perseveres, being no hearer who forgets but a doer who acts, he will be blessed in his doing.

Pastor John Olson

**SERMON**

“Doers of the Word of Truth”

✠ **HYMN**

*God, in the Gospel of His Son* 141

*God, in the gospel of his Son,  
Makes his eternal counsels known;  
Where love in all its glory shines,  
And truth is drawn in fairest lines.*

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*Here sinners of a humble frame  
May taste his grace, and learn his Name;  
May read, in characters of blood,  
The wisdom, pow'r, and grace of God.*

*The pris'ner here may break his chains;  
The weary rest from all his pains;  
The captive feel his bondage cease;  
The mourner find the way of peace.*

*Here faith reveals to mortal eyes  
A brighter world beyond the skies;  
Here shines the light which guides our way  
From earth to realms of endless day.*

*O grant us grace, Almighty Lord,  
To read and mark thy holy Word;  
Its truths with meekness to receive,  
And by its holy precepts live. Amen!*

✠ **BENEDICTION**

✠ **RESPONSE**

*Psalm 72.18 – 19 DUNDEE*

*Now blessed be the Lord our God, the God of Israel,  
For He alone doth wondrous works in glory that excel.  
And blessed be His glorious Name to all eternity:  
The whole earth let His glory fill. Amen, so let it be. Amen.*

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**POSTLUDE**



# **Morning Sermon Notes**

**James 1:22-25**

“Doers of the Word of Truth”

## **A. BE A REAL CHRISTIAN**

1. Faith in Christ
2. Follower of Jesus
3. Guided by the Word

## **B. TAKE A GOOD LOOK AT YOURSELF**

1. The mirror of God's Word
2. What there is to see here:
  - a. The image of God
  - b. Fallen and sinful
  - c. Forgiven and redeemed
  - d. A constant challenge

## **C. DON'T FORGET WHAT YOU SEE**

1. Keep looking
2. Thank God
3. Make adjustments
4. God will bless

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