

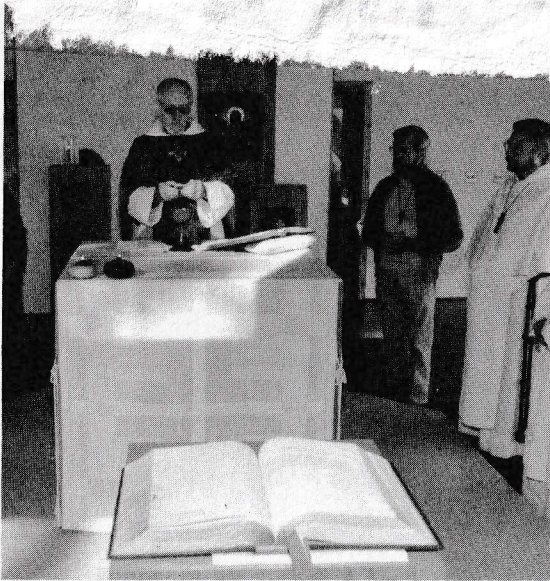
# HOLY SAVIOR PRIORY

A House of Prayer  
for all  
who seek God

The monastic community of *Holy Savior* offers a center for those who want to explore the journey towards God through the age-old disciplines of community, work, prayer, and solitude.



Located in Pineville, South Carolina (near Charleston), *Holy Savior* is a Priory of the Episcopal Order of the Holy Cross.



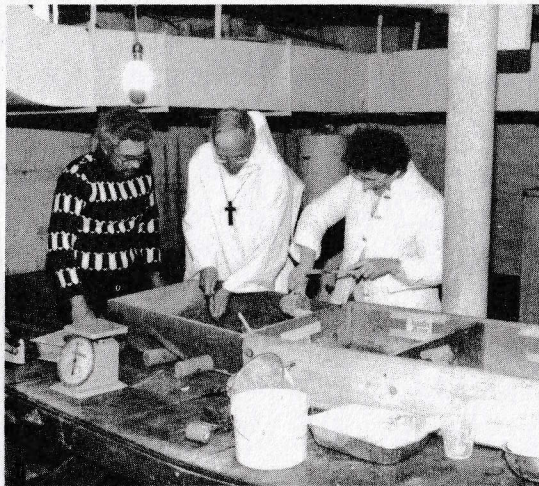
## YOUR RETREAT AT HOLY SAVIOR

The Priory is located in several hundred acres of pine forest in the South Carolina Low Country. It consists of a large central house containing several guest rooms and common areas for eating, working and gathering, and a village of one-room hermitages. At the center of its life are the monks of the Episcopal Order of the Holy Cross. They maintain the life of prayer, work and study that is the backbone of the life of *Holy Savior*.

Guests are welcome to visit, to stay for a while, and to participate in the life of the community. Four Monastic Offices and the Eucharist are offered in the Chapel each day. Guests may share with the monks the work of preparing three communal meals, raising vegetables, blending incense and maintaining the large grounds and buildings.

As a guest you may occupy one of the rooms in Marion House (the central house) or, if you seek greater solitude, you may reside in one of the hermitages. You are welcome to participate in the corporate life, worship, and work of the monks, or you may structure your time to fit your own needs. Spiritual direction is available to help interpret your experience, and channel it towards living a life of prayer and service under the conditions of ordinary life.

For all who have not had previous experience with productive use of solitude, we ask that you participate in some of the common prayer and work each day.



## OTHER OPTIONS

- We are able to accommodate small groups overnight and can provide programs in the areas of Christian prayer and spirituality.
- Larger groups can be accommodated for daytime visits.
- Private direction retreats are also available.
- After your initial visit, you may feel drawn to spending a longer period of time with the community and we are willing to consider such requests. Please consult the Prior.

## TO ARRANGE VISIT

Please give as much notice as possible, particularly for groups or directed retreats.

Address letters to:

**Guestmaster  
Holy Savior Priory  
Pineville, SC 29468**

If phoning, please call (803) 351-4356 between 9 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

We ask for a donation of \$35 a day to cover expenses. No one is turned away for lack of ability to pay. Those who can afford to give more will help to provide accommodations for those who cannot give much.

Bring informal clothes and heavy shoes, suitable for outdoor living. There are no sidewalks, and shoes and clothes may get damp or dusty. Our life is informal — dress for work and relaxation.

## TRAVEL

You will find Pineville is located between Lake Marion and Lake Moultrie, S.C. *Holy Savior Priory* is 2.2 miles west of the Pineville Post Office on S.C. Route 45.

We can meet guests at the Charleston Airport or the Amtrak Station in Kingstree. The cost of the round trip is \$20. There is no charge for meeting guests at the bus (Greyhound) station in nearby St. Stephen. If possible, plan your arrival before 5 p.m.

