

## Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany (Proper 4)

*Psalm 71:1-6*



In you, O Lord, have I **taken refuge**;  
let me never **be a-shamed**.  
In your righteousness, deliver me and **set me free**;  
incline your ear to **me** and **save me**.

Be my strong rock, a **castle** to keep me **safe**;  
you are my crag **and** my **stronghold**.  
Deliver me, my God, from the **hand** of the **wicked**,  
from of the clutches of the evildoer **and** the op-pressor.

For you are my hope, O Lord God, my **confidence** since I was **young**.  
I have been sustained by you ever **since** I was **born**;  
from my mother's womb **you** have been my **strength**;  
my praise shall be **always** of you.