

Order of Worship for Sunday, April 10, 2022

Palm Sunday/Sunday of the Passion

Today we follow Christ from triumphal entry to the cross, each waypoint of the journey marked by Jesus' compassion for those who would betray, mock, accuse, or do violence to him. Though persecuted and beaten, Jesus the Son of God is not disgraced; instead, he asks forgiveness for those who put him to death. We have walked the Lenten pathway these forty days, each of us invited through baptism to "let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus." We enter this holy week accompanying Jesus to the cross with bold grief and thanksgiving in our hearts, trusting in God's redeeming love.

Gathering

**Indicates to stand if you are able*

Prelude and Bell

Procession with Palms *(on insert)*

"All Glory, Laud and Honor" #344 *(red hymnal)*

* Prayer of the Day

Word

Isaiah 50:4-9a *(page 640 OT in pew Bible)*

Psalms 31:9-16 *(on screen)*

Philippians 2:5-11 *(page 175 NT in pew Bible)*

Readings and Hymns for The Passion *(abridged from Luke 22 & 23)*

"Go to Dark Gethsemane" #327 *(vs 1)*

Reading

"Jesus, Remember Me" #616

Reading

"What Wondrous Love is This" #666 *(vs 1)*

Reading

"Jesus, Remember Me" #616 *(sing 3x)*

Reading

"What Wondrous Love is This" #666 *(vs 2)*

Reading

"Were You There" #353 *(vs 1)*

Reading

"Jesus, Remember Me" #616 *(sing 2x)*

Reading

"Go to Dark Gethsemane" #347 *(vs 3)*

Mediation

* Statement of Faith—Apostle's Creed pg. 105

Meal

Offering/Offertory "Create in Me a Clean Heart" #185

Offertory Prayer

* Prayers "The Spirit Intercedes for Us" #180

* Sharing the Peace

The Great Thanksgiving pg. 144

Proper Preface

"Holy, Holy, Holy" pg. 144

Words of Institution

* Lord's Prayer

Communion

Post Communion Prayer

Sending

Announcements

Benediction

"Prepare the Royal Highway" #264

Bell & Dismissal

Remember in your prayers

Gene Recibe, Jo Solvie, Mick Rose, those affected by COVID-19, those who serve in the military, families of victims of war, natural disasters, violence, those in our nursing homes and those who are homebound. Continue to pray for the overseas missionary we support, Reverend Dr. Philip J. Knutson and Lou Knutson serving in South Africa. Note: you may honor a loved one and support the Knutsons. Contact the church office for information.

upcoming events and announcements

Upcoming Lenten & Holy Week Worship

- † Maundy Thursday Worship on April 14th at 7:00pm, with First Communion for 5th graders. Seder Meal for 5th, 6th & 7th graders and their families at 5:00pm.
- † Good Friday Worship on April 15th at 7:00pm
- † Easter Sunday Worship on April 17th at 8:30am and 10:30am; both services with Holy Communion. Easter Breakfast served from 9:30-10:15am; free willing offering with proceeds to benefit Fusion Youth.

Coffee Hour will be served each Sunday in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service. If you can help out, please sign up on the bulletin board. *The Charity Service Group is in charge for the month of April.*

Element for Youth 6-8 Grade classes resume on Wednesday, April 20th from 6:00-7:30pm.

Join our Team! We are looking for a Choir Director and Senior Ministry Coordinator; both of these are paid positions. Please contact Pastor Dan or the church office for more information!

In today's service

Ushers: Al Harris, Tim Grove, Matt & Cowan Mortenson

Lector: Karen Bolling

Nursery: Kristin Grove

Acolyte: Braydon Carlson & Aaden Schultz

Communion: Ray & Robi Bowman

Video: Kyle Dougherty

TV slides: Giana Feuchtenberger

Next week's service: April 17

8:30am

Ushers: Bob Heck, Jim Krosch, Dennis Feuchtenberger & Michael Bjorklund

Lector: Jim Krosch

Acolyte: Hannah & Tyler Schneider

Comm Prep: Laurie Feuchtenberger

Nursery: Pam Wiese

Comm Servers: Jackie Krosch, Judy Buro, Ward Voorhees

Video: Steve Wagner

TV slides: Abigail Anderson

10:30am

Ushers: Dick Smith, Scott Staples, Karen Bolling

Lector: Bob Dalager

Acolyte: Kye Suess & Arora Nemmers

Comm Prep: Elizabeth Harris

Nursery: Lindy Ekola

Comm Servers: Al Harris, Paul & Sandy Grove

Video: Dave Jungst (audio)

TV slides: Cowan Mortenson

Palm Sunday



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this week at First

TODAY., April 10	9:30am Palm Sunday Worship with Holy Communion
	10-11:00am Sunday school
	10:30am Coffee/Fellowship
	6:30-8:00pm Sr. Fusion at First
Mon., April 11	— No events scheduled
Tues., April 12	11:00am Pastor's Text Study
Wed., April 13	6:00-7:15pm First Communion Class 5th graders and parents
Thurs., April 14	8:30am Share & Care (quilting group) 10:00am Pastor at Skyview Plaza Worship 5:00pm Seder Meal for 5-7 graders & families 7:00pm Maundy Thursday Worship
Fri., April 15	7:00pm Good Friday Worship
Sat., April 16	8:00am Men's Bible Study at Faith Lutheran
Sun., April 17	8:30am Easter Worship with Holy Communion 9:30-10:15am Easter Breakfast 10:30am Easter Worship with Holy Communion — No Sunday school

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

Procession Gospel

Hear the Holy Gospel, according to St. Mark, chapter 11:1-11

Hosana in the highest.

When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples ² and said to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it, you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. ³ If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately.'" ⁴ They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, ⁵ some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" ⁶ They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it. ⁷ Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it; and he sat on it. ⁸ Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields. ⁹ Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! ¹⁰ Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" ¹¹ Then he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple; and when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Blessing of the Palms

O God, bless us on this day of remembrance of Jesus' passion. Open our ears to hear the anguish, the suffering and the bitter death, of the One whom you sent into the world to free us from sin and death for life. Bless these palms and our hearts and minds and voices as we offer you glory and honor. Amen.

Let us go forth in peace, in the name of Christ. Amen.

The congregation, following the pastor, processes into the sanctuary, while singing the following hymn.

Hymn: "All Glory, Laud and Honor" #344

Refrain:

**All glory, laud, and honor,
to you, redeemer, king
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring.**

You are the Kind of Israel,
and David's royal Son,
who in the Lord's name coming,
the King and Blessed One. **Refrain**

The company of angels
are praising you on high,
creation and all mortals
in chorus make reply. **Refrain**

The multitude of pilgrims
with palms before you went;
our prayer and praise and anthems
before you we present. **Refrain**

To you, before your passion,
they sang their hymns of praise;
to you, now high exalted,
our melody we raise. **Refrain**

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*Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.*