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WELCOME TO OUR DRIVE-IN SERVICE

Vans, trucks, SUVs: Please try to leave the front rows for cars to maximize visibility. Thank you!

If you are comfortable backing your car to park, please take the back-row parking spaces. Please drive with caution.

When the service is over, you can exit directly on to Barracksview Road or on to Peace Haven (gate is unlocked).

PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 5, 2020

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***OPENING HYMN**

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

LSB 443

- 1. Hosanna, loud hosanna, The little children sang;
Through pillared court and temple The lovely anthem rang.
To Jesus, who had blessed them, Close folded to His breast
The children sang their praises The simplest and the best.**
- 2. From Olivet they followed Mid an exultant crowd,
The victor palm-branch waving And chanting clear and loud.
The Lord of earth and heaven Rode on in lowly state
Nor scorned that little children Should on His bidding wait.**
- 3. "Hosanna in the highest!" That ancient song we sing,
For Christ is our Redeemer, The Lord of heav'n our King.
Oh, may we ever praise Him With heart and life and voice
And in His blissful presence Eternally rejoice!**

***INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C:  Amen.

L: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

C: **Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!**

L: Lo, your King comes to you; triumphant and victorious is He;

C: **Humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt the foal of a donkey.**

L: And the crowds that went before Him and that followed Him shouted:

C: **Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord: Hosanna in the highest!**

L: And when He entered Jerusalem, all the city was stirred, saying, "Who is this?"

C: **And the crowds said, "This is the prophet, Jesus from Nazareth of Galilee."**


L: Remember, O Lord, Your tender mercies and Your loving kindnesses;

C: **For they have been ever of old.**

L: O keep my soul, and receive my confession, gracious Lord:

C: **Merciful heavenly Father, for the sake of the suffering and death of Your Son, Jesus Christ, be gracious and merciful to me, a poor sinful being. Forgive my sins, give me Your Holy Spirit for the amending of my sinful life, and bring me to life everlasting. Amen.**

***THE ABSOLUTION**

C:  Amen.

***THE GLORIA PATRI** LSB page 186

♪ Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

***THE KYRIE**

♪ Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us. Amen.

***THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

L: The Lord be with you.

C: **♪ And with thy spirit.**

L: Let us pray.

C: **♪ Amen.**

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING For Palm Sunday is from Isaiah 50:4-9a, page 611:

⁴The Lord GOD has given me the tongue of those who are taught, that I may know how to sustain with a word him who is weary. Morning by morning he awakens; he awakens my ear to hear as those who are taught. ⁵The Lord GOD has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious; I turned not backward. ⁶I gave my back to those who strike, and my cheeks to those who pull out the beard; I hid not my face from disgrace and spitting. ⁷But the Lord GOD helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame. ⁸He who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who is my adversary? Let him come near to me. ⁹Behold, the Lord GOD helps me.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **♪ Thanks be to God.**

THE EPISTLE is from Philippians 2:5-11, page 980-981:

⁵Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, ⁶who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. ⁹Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.


***ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

C: **♪ Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.**

***THE HOLY GOSPEL** - The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twelfth chapter, verses 12-19, page 899:

C: **♪ Glory be to Thee, O Lord.**

¹²The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. ¹³So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" ¹⁴And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, ¹⁵"Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" ¹⁶His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. ¹⁷The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. ¹⁸The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. ¹⁹So the Pharisees said to one another, "You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him."

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.
C:  Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

***THE APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

CHILDREN'S SONG *Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng* **LSB 813**

1. Rejoice, O pilgrim throng! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing;
Your festal banners wave on high, The cross of Christ your king.

Refrain: Rejoice! Rejoice! Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!

2. Yet on and onward still, With hymns an chant and song,
Through gate and porch and columned aisle
The hallowed pathways throng. (Refrain)

3. Still life your standard high Still march in firm array,
As pilgrims through the darkness wend
Till dawns the golden day. (Refrain)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Christina Stackle

HYMN OF THE DAY *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* **TLH 160**

1. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.
Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's royal Son,
Who in the Lord's name comest, The King and Blessed One.


2. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.
The company of angels Are praising Thee on high,
And mortal men and all things Created make reply.

3. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.
The people of the Hebrews With psalms before Thee went;
Our praise and prayer and anthems Before Thee we present.

THE SERMON "The Lord God Helps Us" (Isaiah 50:4-9a)

VOLUNTARY *Be Thou Faithful Unto Death*

***THE OFFERTORY** LSB page 192

 Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.


***PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven; give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

***THE BENEDICTION**

**L: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.**

C:  Amen. Amen. Amen.

***RECESSIONAL HYMN**

Jesus, Lead Thou On

LSB 718

- 1. Jesus, lead Thou on Till our rest is won;
And although the way be cheerless, We will follow calm and fearless.
Guide us by Thy hand To our fatherland.**
- 2. When we seek relief From a long-felt grief,
When temptations come alluring, Make us patient and enduring.
Show us that bright shore Where we weep no more.**
- 3. Jesus, lead Thou on Till our rest is won.
Heav'nly Leader, still direct us, Still support, console, protect us.
Till we safely stand In our fatherland.**

***SILENT PRAYER / POSTLUDE**

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Jon C. Furgeson

Liturgist: The Rev. Dr. Dennis A. Kastens

Organist: Burnell Hackman, DMM

Cantors: Scott Kennebeck, Alex Arensmeier

KFUE 850 AM Broadcaster/Engineer: Alan Hopfer/Jeanette Mattingly

NEWS AND NOTES: PALM SUNDAY APRIL 5, 2020

GOOD FRIDAY "Drive-In" service at 6:00 p.m. Rev. Jerry Joersz, preaching.

EASTER SERVICES "Drive-In" services on Saturday at 3:30 and 5:00 p.m., and Sunday 6:30, 8:00, 9:20, 10:30 a.m. and Noon.

LIVE BROADCAST over KFUE radio (850 AM dial) of Peace's 8a.m. service today is sponsored by Gina and Ken Werkmeister in memory of Gloria Menz.

EASTER FLOWER ORDER CANCELLED Monies received for the Easter flowers will be applied to the Christmas Poinsettias or other flowers that appear for the Advent and Christmas season upcoming.

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