

The Worship of God

Palm/Passion Sunday

April 5, 2020

We Gather in God's Presence

Greeting

Rev. Ben Lucas

Prelude

Max Refer

Small Prelude on *All Glory, Laud and Honor*

As you gather for worship in whatever space you find yourself, center your heart and spirit on God's presence in your life.

Call to Worship

Rev. Dr. Jeff Hayes

Psalm 118:24-29

Hymn 172

ELLACOMBE

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

*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*

*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.*

*"Hosanna in the highest!" that ancient song we sing;
For Christ is our Redeemer, the Lord of heaven our King.
O may we ever praise him with heart and life and voice,
And in his blissful presence eternally rejoice!*

We Hear God's Word and Pray

Homily

Rev. Dr. Hayes

Prayers of the People

Rev. Dr. Hayes

The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father which art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come.
Thy will be done
in 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.**



Ensemble

arr. By Gilbert Martin

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross
Allison Odom, Kim Shaw, Suzanne Ringer, Dan Cox, and Ben Lucas

Scripture Lessons for Palm/Passion Sunday*

Luke 19:47, 22:1, 3-6, 39-42, 44-48, 54-61, 23:33, 44-46; Matthew 27: 1-2, 22, 27-31

We Respond to God's Word

Hymn of Response 180

REDHEAD

Go to Dark Gethsemane

*Go to dark Gethsemane, ye that feel the tempter's power;
Your Redeemer's conflict see; watch Him one bitter hour;
Turn not from His griefs away; learn of Jesus Christ to pray.
See Him at the judgement hall; view the Lord of life arraigned;
O the wormwood and the gall! O the pangs His soul sustained!
Shun not suffering, shame, or loss; learn of Christ to bear the cross.
Calvary's mournful mountain climb; there, adorning at His feet,
Mark that Miracle of time, God's own sacrifice complete.
"It is finished!" hear the cry: learn of Jesus Christ to die.*

We Worship through Our Giving

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We Are Sent Forth to Share with Others

Service and Fellowship of the Church

Announcement of Special Called Business Meeting

Benediction

Rev. Suzanne Ringer

Postlude

Gerald Near

Were You There?
Mr. John Posey, organ

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