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**Palm/Passion Sunday**

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**PALM/PASSION SUNDAY**

10:00am

*Introduction*

*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 both grief and thanksgiving in our hearts, trusting in God's redeeming love.*

**THE PRELUDE**

**ACCLAMATION**

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

**PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL**

The holy gospel according to Luke:

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

The gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ**

**BLESSING OF PALMS**

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

*A brief silence is kept.*

We praise you, O God, for redeeming the world through our Savior Jesus Christ. Today he entered the holy city in triumph and was proclaimed messiah and king by those who spread garments and branches along his way. Bless these branches and those who carry them. Grant us grace to follow our Lord in the way of the cross, so that, joined to his death and resurrection, we enter into life with you; through the same Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

### PROCESSION

Let us go forth in peace,

**In the name of Christ. Amen.**

**Hymn:** *All glory, laud, and honor* Printed on page 8

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

**Hosanna in the highest.**

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

As we now enter into the contemplation of the passion of our Lord Jesus Christ and meditate on the salvation of the world through his sufferings, death, burial, and resurrection, let us pray:

Everlasting God, in your endless love for the human race you sent our Lord Jesus Christ to take on our nature and to suffer death on the cross. In your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**Amen.**

### FIRST READING: Isaiah 50:4-9a

<sup>4</sup>The Lord GOD has given me the tongue of a teacher, that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word. Morning by morning he wakens—wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught. <sup>5</sup>The Lord GOD has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I did not turn backward. <sup>6</sup>I gave my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting. <sup>7</sup>The Lord GOD helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame; <sup>8</sup>he who vindicates me is near.

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Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who are my adversaries? Let them confront me. <sup>9a</sup>It is the Lord GOD who helps me; who will declare me guilty?

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

### PSALM: Psalm 31:9-16

<sup>9</sup>Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I<sup>1</sup> am in trouble; my eye is consumed with sorrow, and also my throat<sup>1</sup> and my belly.

<sup>10</sup>**For my life is wasted with grief, and my<sup>1</sup> years with sighing; my strength fails me because of affliction, and my bones<sup>1</sup> are consumed.**

<sup>11</sup>I am the scorn of all my enemies, a disgrace to my neighbors, a dismay to<sup>1</sup> my acquaintances; when they see me in the street<sup>1</sup> they avoid me.

<sup>12</sup>**Like the dead I am forgotten,<sup>1</sup> out of mind; I am as useless as a<sup>1</sup> broken pot.**

<sup>13</sup>For I have heard the whispering of the crowd; fear is<sup>1</sup> all around; they put their heads together against me; they plot to<sup>1</sup> take my life.

<sup>14</sup>**But as for me, I have trusted in<sup>1</sup> you, O LORD. I have said, “You<sup>1</sup> are my God.**

<sup>15</sup>My times are<sup>1</sup> in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies, and from those who<sup>1</sup> persecute me.

### SECOND READING: Philippians 2:5-11

<sup>5</sup>Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup>who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, <sup>7</sup>but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, <sup>8</sup>he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross. <sup>9</sup>Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, <sup>10</sup>so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, <sup>11</sup>and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

The word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## THE HOMILY

### THE PASSION GOSPEL

THE HYMN OF THE DAY *My Song is Love Unknown*  
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### THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's 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 to the dead.\* On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

### PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Merciful God,  
Receive Our Prayer

## MEAL

### THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Pastor: The Peace of Christ be with you always.

**All: And also with you.**

### SPECIAL MUSIC

### OFFERING PRAYER

Extravagant God, you have blessed us with the fullness of creation. Now we gather at your feast where you offer us the food that satisfies. Take and use what we offer here, come among us, and feed us with the body and blood of Christ, in whose name we pray.

Amen.

## THANKSGIVING AT THE TABLE

### 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.

### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Here is food and drink for the journey. Take and be filled.

### THE DISTRIBUTION

### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Blessed Jesus, in this rich meal of grace, you have fed us with your body, the bread of life. Now send us forth to bear your life-giving hope to a world in need.

Amen.

### BLESSING

You are children of God, anointed with the oil of gladness and strengthened for the journey. Almighty God, motherly, majestic, and mighty, bless you this day and always.

Amen.

THE SENDING SONG: *Ride On, Ride On in Majesty*  
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### DISMISSAL

Go in peace. Jesus meets you on the way.

**Thanks be to God.**

**Serving This Week**

**Acolyte:** Allyson Schmalz

**Lector:** Lynn Haab

**Communion Assistant:** Bonnie Mazza

**Serving Next Week**

**Acolyte:** Paige Buddenbaum

**Lector:** Danielle Ercolani

**Communion Assistant:** Danielle Ercolani



**All Glory, Laud, and Honor**

*Refrain*



All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to you, re - deem - er, king,



to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.



- 1 You are the king of Is - rael and Da - vid's roy - al Son,
- 2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels are prais - ing you on high;
- 3 The mul - ti - tude of pil - grims with palms be - fore you went;
- 4 To you, be - fore your pas - sion, they sang their hymns of praise.
- 5 Their prais - es you ac - cept - ed; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

*Refrain*



now in the Lord's name com - ing, our King and Bless - ed One.  
cre - a - tion and all mor - tals in cho - rus make re - ply.  
our praise and prayer and an - thems be - fore you we pre - sent.  
To you, now high ex - alt - ed, our mel - o - dy we raise.  
great au - thor of all good - ness, O good and gra - cious King.

Text: Theodulph of Orleans, c. 760–821; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818–1866, alt.  
Music: VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN, Melchior Teschner, 1584–1635

## My Song Is Love Unknown

- 1 My song is love unknown, my Savior's love to me,  
love to the loveless shown that they might lovely be.  
Oh, who am I that for my sake my Lord should take frail flesh  
and die?
- 2 He came from his blest throne salvation to bestow;  
the world that was his own would not its Savior know.  
But, oh, my friend, my friend indeed, who at my need his life  
did spend!
- 3 Sometimes we strew his way and his sweet praises sing;  
resounding all the day hosannas to our king.  
Then "Crucify!" is all our breath, and for his death we thirst  
and cry.
- 4 We cry out; we will have our dear Lord made away,  
a murderer to save, the prince of life to slay.  
Yet cheerful he to suffering goes that he his foes from thence  
might free.
- 5 In life no house, no home my Lord on earth might have;  
in death no friendly tomb but what a stranger gave.  
What may I say? Heav'n was his home but mine the tomb  
wherein he lay.
- 6 Here might I stay and sing—no story so divine!  
Never was love, dear King, never was grief like thine.  
This is my friend, in whose sweet praise I all my days could  
gladly spend!

Text: Samuel Crossman, 1624-1683, alt.

## Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!



- 1 Ride on, ride on in maj - es-ty! Hear all the tribes ho - san - na cry;
- 2 Ride on, ride on in maj - es-ty! In low - ly pomp ride on to die.
- 3 Ride on, ride on in maj - es-ty! The wing-ed squad-rons of the sky
- 4 Ride on, ride on in maj - es-ty! Your last and fierc - est strife is nigh.
- 5 Ride on, ride on in maj - es-ty! In low - ly pomp ride on to die.



- O Sav - ior meek, your road pur - sue, with palms and scat-tered gar-ments strewed.  
O Christ, your tri-umphs now be - gin o'er cap - tive death and con-quired sin.  
look down with sad and won-d'ring eyes to see the ap-proach-ing sac - ri - fice.  
The Fa - ther on his sap-phire throne a - waits his own a - noint - ed Son.  
bow your meek head to mor - tal pain, then take, O Christ, your pow'r and reign!

Text: Henry H. Milman, 1791-1868, alt.  
Music: ST. DROSTANE, John Bacchus Dykes, 1823-1876

**SUNDAY SERVICES:** Our Sunday morning worship services will continue at 10:00 AM. Services are also streamed live on our Facebook Page.

**COVID PROTOCOLS** continue to be in place for the safety of those who worship or use the building. We are currently relaxing the masking mandate. Holy Trinity will allow indoor masking to be a personal choice, using good judgement. We continue to social distance and will still have the sign in sheet.

**THE CHURCH OFFICE** is usually open on Wednesdays and Fridays when Pastor is there. Bonnie will be in the office, Mon 10-2, Tues. 12-3, Wed—Friday 10-2. You can always call and leave a message if you need us.

**PLEASE HELP US** as we work to update the church directory. Please fill out a Church Member Information form for you and your family with mailing addresses, best phone numbers, and updated Email addresses. You can leave the forms in the bin in the Narthex or mail them back to the church.

**SOCIAL MINISTRY OUTREACH** continues with our Phillip the Bucket spare change Loud Offering on the first Sunday of each month. Our Offerings have gone to help those in need in our community. We are also continuing to collect nonperishable food items for St. Luke's Food Pantry.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** is in session every Sunday at 9:00AM. We look forward each week to sharing the good news with the children.

**CONTEMPORARY SERVICES:** We are excited to be continuing with our contemporary services featuring Voices That Reign. Our next Service is Tuesday April 26 @7pm.

**CONFIRMATION MINISTRY** please speak with Pastor for Confirmation updates.

**COMMITTEES NEED NEW MEMBERS** we have numerous committees (Music & Worship, Christian Education, Property, Fundraising, Social Ministry, Council just to name a few) that could use some new fresh ideas. If your interested in being a part of one please reach out to Bonnie Mazza for more information.

### **HOLY WEEK WORSHIP**

**April 14 :** Maundy Thursday Liturgy @7:00pm

**April 15 :** Good Friday Tenebrae @7:00pm

**April 17 :** The Resurrection of Our Lord Festival Worship  
@10:00am

**MORE INFORMATION** on these and other upcoming events can be found on the church Facebook page and on the church website! F: HolyTrinityBT W: [www.holytrinityelc.org](http://www.holytrinityelc.org)