



Community Presbyterian Church

Palm Sunday
28 March 2021

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

My Tribute

*Call to Worship

(One) Rejoice greatly, O people of Zion. Shout in triumph, O people of Jerusalem! Look, our King is coming, O people of Lake City.

(All) He is righteous & glorious, humbly riding on a colt.

(One) Blessed is the one who enters Jerusalem in humility.

(All) Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

(One) You are our God, and we will praise You!

(All) You are our God, and we will exalt You!

(One) O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.

(All) His faithful love endures forever!

Opening Prayer

Psalm

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Hymn (265)

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Refrain: All glory, laud and honor to you, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.

(1) You are the King of Israel, and David's royal Son,
now in the Lord's name coming, our King & blessed One! [R]

(2) The company of angels are praising you on high,
creation and all mortals in chorus make reply. [R]

(3) The people of the Hebrews with palms before you went;
our praise and prayer & anthems before you we present. [R]

(4) To you, before your passion, they sang their hymns of
praise; to you, now high exalted, our melody we raise. [R]

(5) As you received their praises, accept the prayers we
bring, for you delight in goodness, good & gracious King! [R]

Prayer of Confession

Father forgive us, for we know not what we do.
Jesus, the Son of God, forgiveness comes through you.

Assurance of Pardon

Response

Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

PROCLAMATION

Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 50:4-9

New Testament Reading

Philippians 2:5-11

Gospel Reading

Mark 11:1-11

Sermon

Here We Go

Hymn (559)

Here I Am, Lord

(1) I, the Lord of sea and sky, I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin. My hand will save. I who
made the stars of night, I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them? Whom shall I send?

Refrain:

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard You calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if You lead me,
I will hold Your people in my heart.

(2) I, the Lord of wind & flame, I will tend the poor and lame
I will set a feast for them. My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide, 'til their hearts be satisfied
I will give my life to them. Whom shall I send? [R]

RESPONSE

Installation of Rev. Dr. Jason Brian Santos

Chair of COM, John Thompson, Esq.

In his baptism, Jason was clothed with Christ. He was

ordained as a teaching elder by the Presbytery of Seattle and is now called by God through the voice of the church to serve as a Minister of Word and Sacrament for this congregation.

(All) We remember with joy our common calling to serve Christ, and we celebrate God's call to our brother to serve among us.

Constitutional Questions (W-4.4003)

Stated Clerk of Presbytery, Rev. Alan Te Brink

Do you trust in the Lord Jesus Christ your Savior, acknowledge him Lord of all and Head of the Church, and through him believe in one God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit?

Do you accept the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments to be, by the Holy Spirit, the unique and authoritative witness to Jesus Christ in the Church universal, and God's Word to you?

Do you sincerely receive and adopt the essential tenets of the Reformed faith as expressed in the confessions of our church as authentic and reliable expositions of what Scripture leads us to believe and do, and will you be instructed and led by those confessions as you lead the people of God?

Will you fulfill your ministry in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture, and be continually guided by our confessions?

Will you be governed by our church's polity, and will you abide by its discipline? Will you be a friend among your colleagues in ministry, working with them, subject to the ordering of God's Word and Spirit?

Will you in your own life seek to follow the Lord Jesus Christ, love your neighbors, and work for the reconciliation of the world?

Do you promise to further the peace, unity, and purity of the church?

Will you pray for and seek to serve the people with energy, intelligence, imagination, and love?

Will you be a faithful teaching elder, proclaiming the good news in Word and Sacrament, teaching faith and caring for people? Will you be active in government and discipline, serving in the councils of the church; and in your ministry will you try to show the love and justice of Jesus Christ?

Congregational Questions

Clerk of CPC Session, John Bonner

Do we, the members of Community Presbyterian Church, accept Rev. Dr. Jason Brian Santos as our pastor, chosen by God through the voice of this congregation to guide us in the way of Jesus Christ?

We do.

Do we agree to pray for him, encourage him to respect his decisions, and to follow as he guides us, serving Jesus Christ who alone is Head of the Church?

We do.

Do we promise to pay him fairly and provide for his welfare as he works among us; to stand by him in trouble and share in his joys? Will we listen to the word he preaches, welcome his pastoral care, and honor his authority as he seeks to honor and obey Jesus Christ our Lord?

We do and we will.

Prayer of Installation

COM Liason to CPC, Sherrie Blake

(One) The Lord be with you.

(All) And also with you.

(One) Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

(All) It is right to give our thanks and praise.

(One) We praise you, gracious Lord, for you alone are God. You have made us, and we are your people, the sheep of your pasture. You have led us to green meadows by cool waters, satisfying our every need with your love. You have shown us paths that are right. Through shadowed valleys of despair, you have been our comfort and our hope. Over long generations, your presence has sustained your people. In your good time, you sent Jesus, your only Beloved, to be our shepherd. He knew and loved your own, calling all who would hear to follow him. The Good Shepherd laid down his life for us, risking the cross for the hope of resurrection. By the power of the risen Christ you gathered the church together to live for you in newness of life, a holy nation, a priestly family, a people chosen as your own and called to proclaim your marvelous love.

Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us, that we may be faithful as your people and fruitful in the ministries you have given us. Grant diligence to those who lead, faith to those who teach, truth to all who speak, compassion to all who heal, wisdom to those who counsel, generosity to those who give, and cheerfulness to all who serve.

To your servant Jason and to all who tend your flock as pastors among your people, give vision and strength, hospitality, humility, and peace. Bless the common ministry of this pastor and people with joy and power in the gospel. Strengthen us to live out the grace of our baptism and to

serve you with the gifts of your Holy Spirit; for the sake of Jesus Christ, our only shepherd and Lord. **Amen.**

Declaration of Installation

COM Cluster Leader, Thelma Starner

Jason, as a teaching elder in the church of Jesus Christ, you are now installed as pastor of this congregation. Be faithful and true in your ministry so that your whole life will bear witness to the crucified and risen Christ.

(JBS) Amen.

Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe 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 buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated 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 catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

SENDING

Charge

Benediction

Postlude

Joyful Joyful, We Adore Thee

My Tribute (*prelude lyrics*)

How can I say thanks
For the things You have done for me?
Things so undeserved,
And yet You give to prove Your love for me.
The voices of a million angels
Could not express my gratitude.
All that I am and ever hope to be,
I owe it all to Thee.

To God be the glory.
To God be the glory.
To God be the glory
For the things He has done.

With His blood He has saved me.
With His power He has raised me.
To God be the glory
For the things He has done.

Just let me live my life,
And let it be pleasing, Lord, to Thee.
And should I gain any praise,
Let it go to Calvary.
To Calvary.

With His blood He has saved me.
With His power He has raised me.
To God be the glory
For the things He has done.

Worship Leadership

Pastor: Rev. Jason Brian Santos, Ph.D. (206) 962-9886

Organist/Pianist: Celeste Scott

Liturgist: Janis Harris and Silas Santos

Clerk of Session: John Bonner

Presbytery Installation Commission: Alan Te Brink, John Thompson, Sherrie Blake, and Thelma Starner

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

Games Up Here is cancelled for Holy Week. It will resume next week, Monday, April 5, at its usual time.

Monday Night Film

The film, **The Passion of the Christ** will be projected in the Annex on **Monday, March 29th at 7:00pm.**

Weekly Bible Study

Join us for our weekly Bible Study as we explore the book of Jeremiah and the new covenant found in it. We'll be meeting from **5:00-6:30 on Wednesday, March 31st** on Zoom. Links are on our site.

Men's Prayer Breakfast

Join us this **Thursday, April 1st at 7:00am MST** for the Men's Prayer Breakfast in the Baptist Fellowship Hall.

Good Friday Services

12:00pm Noon-Day Service, St. James Episcopal

5:00pm Stations of the Cross, St. Rose of Lima RC

8:00pm Tenebrae Taizé Service, CPC

Service of the Resurrection

Join us next week for the Community Easter Service at the Armory, on **Sunday, April 4th at 10:30am** (overflow in the Art Center Theatre). The service will be broadcasted live via Facebook and Zoom.

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