

Palm Sunday Community Service

Lake City Community Churches 24 March 2024

Welcome to the Lake City Churches' Community Palm Sunday Service. We're delighted that you are able to celebrate this holy day with us in Lake City. We have five different congregations represented today, which gives us a great opportunity to gather together in worship as a sign of God's reconciliation.

Prelude

Welcome

Dan File

Palm Sunday GreetingEd Nettleton(One) Look, the Messiah comes riding on a colt(All) Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He who comesin the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Opening Prayer

Ed Nettleton

Call to Worship

Erin Cavit

(One) Give thanks to the Lord, who is good.

(All) God's steadfast love endures forever!

(One) Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the Lord.

(All) This is the gate of the Lord; let the faithful come and worship God.

Responsive Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29Andy Dozier

(One) O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his steadfast love endures forever!

(All) Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures forever."

(One) Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD.

(All) This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it.

(One) I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

(All) The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

(One) This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes. (All) This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. (One) Save us, we beseech you, O LORD! O LORD, we beseech you, give us success!

(All) Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD. We bless you from the house of the LORD.

(One) The LORD is God, and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar.

(All) You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you.

(One) O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.

Hymn (see insert)

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

(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 heaven our King.O may we ever praise himwith heart and life and voice,

and in his blissful presence eternally rejoice!

Gospel of Mark 11:1-11	Tim Mallory
Gospel of John 12:12-16	Dan File

Sermon

Jason Santos

*Praise Song: Hosanna (see insert) Amy Humphreys

(1) Praise is rising, eyes are turning to You, we turn to You.
Hope is stirring, hearts are yearning for You, we long for You.
When we see You, we find strength to face the day.
In Your presence, all our fears are washed away, washed away.

Chorus

Hosanna, Hosanna! You are the God who saves us, worthy of all our praises. Hosanna, Hosanna! Come have Your way among us, we welcome You here, Lord Jesus.

(2) Hear the sound of hearts returning to You, we turn to You.In Your Kingdom broken lives are made new, You make us new.When we see You, we find strength to face the day.In Your presence all our fears are washed away, washed away.

Affirmation of Faith

Lyn Lampert

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 sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall 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. *-The Apostles Creed*

CCS Offering

Lyn Lampert

Collection

Pastoral Prayer & the Lord's Prayer

Dan File

(All) 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.

***Hymn (see insert)** *Refrain:*

All Glory Laud and Honor

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 and blessed One!

(2) The company of angels are praising you on high,

creation and all mortals in chorus make reply: [Refrain]

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

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

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

Benediction

Jason Santos

Fellowship with coffee and cinnamon buns will follow directly after the Palm Sunday Service.

A special "Thank You" to the First Baptist Church for hosting our Palm Sunday service in their fellowship hall. And, also to the Worship Leadership. Thank you Stanley Mikles, Donna Jackson, and Amy Humphreys.

Our offering today supports Christian Community Service of Lake City. Please send checks to PO Box 1081, Lake City, CO 81235 .

The **Community Palm Sunday Service** is sponsored by Lake City Churches: Community Presbyterian Church, First Baptist Church, Grace Christian Fellowship, St. James Episcopal Church, and St. Rose of Lima Roman Catholic Church.

Mark 11:1-11

11:1 When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples

11:2 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.

11:3 If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately.'"

11:4 They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it,

11:5 some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?"

11:6 They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it.

11:7 Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it; and he sat on it.

11:8 Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields.

11:9 Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

11:10 Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David! Hosanna in the highest heaven!"

11:11 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.

John 12:12-16

12:12 The next day the great crowd that had come to the festival heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem.

12:13 So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord-- the King of Israel!"

12:14 Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it; as it is written:

12:15 "Do not be afraid, daughter of Zion. Look, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!"

12:16 His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written of him and had been done to him.

2024 Holy Week Schedule

Monday, March 25

Showing of *The Passion of the Christ* in Darley Fellowship Hall at 7:00pm Community Presbyterian Church 429 Gunnison Street

Thursday, March 28

Maundy Thursday Sacred Meal of Remembrance at Community Presbyterian Church in Darley Hall at 6:00pm. RSVP by midnight on Monday March 25th with names of each participant to 206-962-9886

Friday, March 29

Good Friday Service at St. James Episcopal Church at 12:00pm

Stations of the Cross at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church at 5:00pm

Good Friday Tenebrae Service at Community Presbyterian Church at 8:00pm

Easter Sunday, March 31

"Sunrise" Communion Service at St. James Episcopal Church at 7:00am

Community Easter Breakfast at the First Baptist Fellowship Hall at 8:00am

Service of the Resurrection at Community Presbyterian Church at 10:00am

Easter Service at the First Baptist Church at 10:30am

Easter Mass at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church at 3:30pm