

# Palm Sunday

April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022



## **Our Savior Ev. Lutheran Church**

*(Wisconsin Synod)*

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## Today's Focus

In sports there is the concept of the “two-minute warning.” That is a buzzer or some notification that the time is almost up. Excitement abounds as this warning ripples through the crowd and the team. The people cheer louder. The team fights harder. Christ entered Jerusalem on Palm Sunday. That is the “one-week warning”. The reign of death was on its way out. As the King of Glory entered the people rejoiced. Their cries rose to the heavens. The Messiah was beginning his final push. Our Savior is going about his work. Our songs join their acclamations today: Hosanna!

## Prayer Before Worship

Glorious King, Lord of my life, in this hour of worship we celebrate your entry into Jerusalem to offer your life to save the world from sin. As much as I delight in this image it, too quickly passes from my mind how much you had to go through for me. In your mercy, forgive me for those moments of forgetfulness and willful disobedience. Let the true value of your work this week be in the front of my mind not just for this week, but for my whole lifetime. Amen.

**GUESTS** Welcome to our visitors!

**Restrooms:** At the far (south) side of the entry area.

**Parents' Room:** Also at the far (south) side of the entry area.



**THE ACCLAMATION** *(On Palm Sunday, a throng acclaimed Jesus as He entered Jerusalem.)*

**SONG** “All Glory Laud and Honor”

All glory laud and honor to you Redeemer King  
To whom the lips of children make sweet hosannas ring  
You are the King of Israel and David's royal Son  
Now in the Lord's name coming our King and Blessed One

All glory laud and honor to you Redeemer King  
To whom the lips of children make sweet hosannas ring  
The people of the Hebrews with palms before you went  
our praise and prayer and anthems before you we present

All glory laud and honor to you Redeemer King  
To whom the lips of children make sweet hosannas ring  
To you before your passion they sang their hymns of praise  
To you now high exalted our melody we raise

All glory laud and honor to you Redeemer King  
To whom the lips of children make sweet hosannas ring  
As you received their praises accept the prayers we bring  
O source of every blessing our good and gracious King

P: Hosanna to the Son of David!

**C: Hosanna in the highest!**

P: Hosanna to him who by his willing sacrifice, canceled the guilt of all our offenses!

**C: Hosanna to the Son of David!**

P: Hosanna to him who ascended on high as king, leading captivity captive!

**C: Hosanna in the highest!**

P: Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

**C: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; His love endures forever.**

P: Rejoice greatly, O Daughter of Zion! Shout, Daughter of Jerusalem!

**C: See, your King comes to you, righteous and having salvation.**

**SONG**      "Hosanna to the King"      10:30am      Grades K-8

### **CONFESSION AND PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS**

P: Salvation is what we needed, for we are sinful human beings. We confess:

**C: How easy it is for my lips to sing Your praises; how hard it is for my heart and my life to praise You as it should. Forgive me for shallow praise, for failure to see You as my spiritual King, for failure to reflect Your love in all I do. Because of my sins, I deserve Your punishment. Have mercy on me, O Savior!**

P: Hosanna to the Son of David! Jesus came to Jerusalem, then willingly laid down His life to pay for our sins! Because Jesus died and rose, your sins are forgiven! You are at peace with God!

**C: Hosanna to the Son of David! Hosanna in the highest!**

P: Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given to men by which we must be saved.

**C: God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name,**

P: that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,

**C: in heaven and on earth and under the earth,**

P: And every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

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

## **PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**P:** We praise You, O God, for the great acts of love by which You have redeemed us through Your Son, Jesus Christ. As He was acclaimed by those who scattered their garments and palm branches in His path, so may we always hail Him as our King and follow Him with perfect confidence.

**C:** **For He lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.**

## **SONG OF PRAISE**

### **“Lamb of God”**

Your only Son, no sin to hide, But you have sent him from your side  
To walk upon this guilty sod And to become the Lamb of God.

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God!  
Oh, wash me in his precious blood, My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Your gift of love they crucified. They laughed and scorned him as he died:  
The humble King they named a fraud And sacrificed the Lamb of God.

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God!  
Oh, wash me in his precious blood, My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

I was so lost; I should have died, But you have brought me to your side  
To be led by your staff and rod And to be called a lamb of God.

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God!  
Oh, wash me in his precious blood, My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

## **We Listen to the King’s Voice**

### **FIRST READING** Philippians 2:5-11

Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death— even death on a cross! Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

### **CHILDRENS MESSAGE** Based on the First Reading

## **GOSPEL READING** Luke 19:28-40

After Jesus had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, "Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' tell him, 'The Lord needs it.'" Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as he had told them. As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" They replied, "The Lord needs it." They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it. As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road. When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen: "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples!" "I tell you," he replied, "if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out."

## **HYMN OF THE DAY**

Holy Holy Holy (Savior and King)

Holy Holy Holy Lord God Almighty  
early in the morning our song shall rise to Thee  
Holy Holy Holy merciful and mighty  
God In Three persons blessed Trinity

Holy Holy Holy all the saints adore Thee  
Casting down their golden  
crowns around the glassy sea  
Cherubim and seraphim falling down before  
Thee which, wert and art and evermore shall be

### *Chorus*

You are Lord, You are Lord, You reign eternally.  
You are Lord God Almighty, my Savior and my King.

Holy Holy Holy man hath fallen from Thee.  
Through the blood of Christ,  
Thy son, this soul can be redeemed.  
Justice, truth and mercy join with love to crown Thee,  
Savior of sinners, soon returning King.

### *Chorus*

You are Lord, You are Lord, You reign eternally.  
You are Lord God Almighty, my Savior and my King. (Repeat)

**SERMON** Zechariah 9:9-10

Rejoice greatly, O Daughter of Zion! Shout, Daughter of Jerusalem! See, your king comes to you, righteous and having salvation, gentle and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. I will take away the chariots from Ephraim and the war-horses from Jerusalem, and the battle bow will be broken. He will proclaim peace to the nations. His rule will extend from sea to sea and from the River to the ends of the earth.

## **We Respond to Our King's Love**

### **THE APOSTLES' CREED**

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker 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 was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there 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.

### **THE OFFERING AND WELS CONNECTION**

To honor God and to remind each other that our offerings are part of our regular gathering and worship, we bring the offering plates forward to the altar at this time.

(On Maundy Thursday we will reimplement passing the offering plate.)

### **INSTALLATION OF ALTAR ASSISTANT**      8:00 am

### **PRAYER OF THE CHURCH, PRAYERS AND LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread, forgive us our sins,  
as we forgive those who sin against us,  
lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and forever. Amen

**SONG**                      "Hosanna to the King"                      8:00am                      Grades K-8

## **BLESSING**

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you.

The Lord look on you with favor and give you peace.

**C: Amen.**

## **CLOSING HYMN**

“What Wondrous Love is This”

What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul

What wondrous love is this O my soul

What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss

To bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul

To bear the dreadful curse for my soul

When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down

When I was sinking down sinking down

When I was sinking down beneath God's righteous frown

Christ laid aside His crown for my soul for my soul

Christ laid aside His crown for my soul.

To God and to the Lamb I will sing I will sing

To God and to the Lamb I will sing

To God and to the Lamb who is the great I Am

While millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing

While millions join the theme, I will sing

And when from death I'm free I'll sing on, I'll sing on

And when from death I'm free I'll sing on

And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be

And thro' eternity I'll sing on I'll sing on

And thro' eternity I'll sing on I'll sing on



## **SILENT PRAYER**

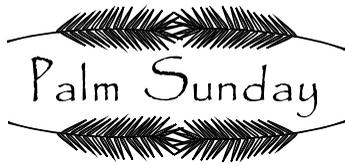
## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

## THIS WEEK AT OUR SAVIOR

Sunday (4/10)	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>Palm Sunday Worship</b>
	9:15 AM	Adult & Teen Bible Study
	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	<b>10:30 AM</b>	<b>Palm Sunday Worship</b>
Wednesday	8:20 AM	Children's Church
	4:00 PM	Public School Confirmation Class
Thursday	<b>3:30 PM</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday Worship w/Comm.</b>
	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>Maundy Thursday Worship w/Comm.</b>
Friday	<b>1:00 PM</b>	<b>Good Friday Worship w/Communion</b>
	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>Good Friday Tenebrae Worship</b>
Saturday	9:00 AM	Easter Breakfast setup
Sunday (4/17)	<b>7:00 AM</b>	<b>Easter Sunrise Worship</b>
	8:00 AM	Easter Breakfast
	<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Easter Festival Worship</b>

*LiveStream on Youtube Channel at 10:30am every Sunday  
This service is also recorded for review after livestream.  
Link on our website (see below).*

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## **THIS WEEK'S WORSHIP SERVICE**

**"PALM SUNDAY"**

Service Theme

### **PREACHER:**

Jeremiah Backhaus

### **MUSICIANS:**

Greta Liebenow - Flute

Emily Chrisite - Keyboard

George Edwards - Drums

### **VOCALISTS:**

Matt Berger

John Hahm

Andrea Havlik

Deanna Edwards

### **SONGS:**

As Printed

### **FIRST LESSON:**

Philippians 2:5-11

### **GOSPEL LESSON:**

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### **THE SERMON:**

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