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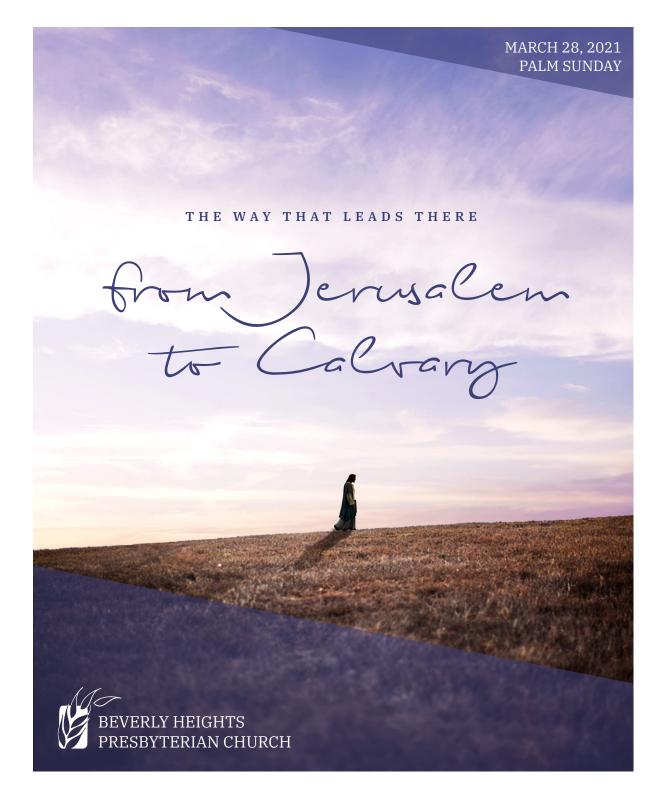
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This Week

SUNDAY, MARCH 28

8:30 AM Early Morning Worship
10:00 AM Christian Education
11:00 AM Late Morning Worship
6:30 PM Fusion for MS and HS
Students

MONDAY, MARCH 29

Church Offices Closed

TUESDAY, MARCH 30

7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31

9:15 AM Staff Meeting

THURSDAY, APRIL 1

6:00 PM Maundy Thursday dinner 7:00 PM Maundy Thursday service 8:30 PM Worship Rehearsal

FRIDAY, APRIL 2

SATURDAY, APRIL 3

SUNDAY, APRIL 4

He is Risen!

8:30 AM Early Morning Worship 10:00 AM Easter brunch

11:00 AM Late Morning Worship



Dates to Note

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SUNDAY, APRIL 4

Easter Sunday

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Early Morning Worship

WE WORSHIP THE HOLY ONE

Hosanna

Welcome Elissa Winkler

Greeting and Announcements Amy Lucas

Call to Worship

Prayer of Invocation

WE DRAW CLOSER TO OUR SAVIOR AT THE FOOT OF THE CROSS

Lenten Liturgy See inside bulletin.

We Offer Ourselves to God

God The Uncreated One

Children dismissed as per back of bulletin.

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading Luke 21:34-22:6

Sermon Pastor Devlin

The Way That Leads There ~ Jerusalem to Calvary

From Brother to Betrayer

WE GLORIFY GOD AND ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

O Great God

Benediction

Late Morning Worship

WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP TO PRAISE ALMIGHTY GOD

Prelude Paraphrase A. Guilmant
Alexander Buiel, organ

The first note of the prelude marks the beginning of worship. Please use this brief period of time for prayer and preparation while keeping conversation at a low volume and to a minimum.

We Begin with a Song of Praise

Jesus is Our King

Refrain: Alleluia! Alleluia! Opening our hearts to Him, singing alleluia! Alleluia! Jesus is our King!

Verse 1:

Create in us, O God,
A humble heart that sets us free
To proclaim the wondrous majesty
Of our Father in heaven.

Verse 3:

Let kindred voices join,
Honoring the Lamb of God
Who teaches us by bread and wine
The mystery of His body.

Verse 4:

Pour out Your Spirit on us, Empowering us to live as one, To carry Your redeeming love To a world enslaved by sin.

Verse 2:

We hear the name of Christ.

Justified, we meet with Him.

His words and presence calm our fear,

Revealing God, our Father, here.

Greeting and Announcements

Amy Lucas, Administrative Assistant

Choral Introit Hosanna J. Martin

First Song Choir, New Song Choir, Tone Chimes Choir, Adult Choir; Alexander Buiel, piano

Call to Worship based on John 12:13

LEADER: King Jesus comes, King Jesus, Son of God, Son of Man, Messiah. Hail!

King Jesus, King of all!

PEOPLE: We recall the words of the Apostle John, who wrote, "A great crowd who had

come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. "

LEADER: "So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, crying, 'Hosanna!

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!"

PEOPLE: In praise we adore You, King Jesus. Enter our hearts today as You entered

Jerusalem long ago, and lead us by faith in the way everlasting.

Prayer of Invocation Rev. Dr. Nathanael Devlin, Senior Pastor

WE DRAW CLOSER TO OUR SAVIOR AT THE FOOT OF THE CROSS

Hymn of Worship **No. 296** vv. 1, 3 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

Responsive Call to Confession Psalm 118 Trinity Hymnal, pg. 828

Silent Private Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Congregational Response **No. 296** vv. 5, 6 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

Lenten Liturgy See next page.

We Offer Ourselves to God What Wondrous Love Is This arr. Funderburk

Andrew Fuller, violin; Alexander Buiel, piano

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WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading Luke 21:34-22:6

Sermon The Way That Leads There ~ Jerusalem to Calvary Pastor Devlin

From Brother to Betrayer

WE GLORIFY GOD AND ADVANCE HIS KINGDOM

Unison Confession of Faith 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 and born of the virgin Mary. He 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 catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Closing Hymn **No. 528** vv. 1, 2 My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Benediction

Postlude Winchester New A. Bullard

Lenten Liturgy

Scripture Lesson: Luke 19:28-40 Mr. Peter Chace, Director of Next Generation Ministries

Lenten Litany

Leader: In this season of Lent, we await the coming of the King, Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!"

Leader: We see Jesus, riding on the colt of a donkey, a humble servant and yet a king.

People: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!"

Leader: We join our voices in praising God for the mighty works He has shown us.

People: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!"

Leader: We see Jesus, making His way to the city, on His way to Calvary.

People: "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!"

We Direct Our Attention to the Cross

As we come to the foot of the cross this morning we are reminded of the sign that hangs upon it: the letters "INRI" stand for the first four letters from *lēsus Nazarēnus, Rēx lūdaeōrum,* Latin for "Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews." We are reminded that Jesus is not only Prophet and High Priest but the rightful and reigning King.

To our modern ears, the word "king" may seem abstract and remote if not downright offensive. After all, the inception of our national history was largely an endeavor to escape just such a form of government. So the concept of Jesus as King may seem to be merely an illustration from a bygone age, rather than the Reality that truly governs all things.

But if we were Jews growing up in first century Jerusalem, the image of Jesus in the triumphal entry would have been difficult to miss. As foretold by the prophet Zechariah half a millennia beforehand, "Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey" (Zechariah 9:9).

There was no mistaking the image. It was not merely an illustration, for the prophecy foretold the *realest* real of all: that the salvation of Israel would ride into Jerusalem on a donkey as King.

Just as David placed his son Solomon on a donkey to enter Israel as king centuries before, so now Jesus, the Son of David, is placed upon a donkey and recognized as the true King of Israel. Just as Solomon's anointing caused the people to rejoice with earth-splitting cheers, so Christ – the anointed one – is met with rejoicing and shouts of praise.

The Jews of the first century knew from Scripture they were to *watch for the King*. When these things take place, take notice! The King is here! Even those who jeered and condemned Him, nailing Him to the cross, could not help but recognize the truth, for even though the sign above His head was meant to be one of reproach, it could not help but proclaim the truth. For here is "Jesus, King of the Jews."

And so the question comes to us this morning: when the King comes, riding on a colt, will we recognize Him? As we fix our eyes upon the cross, upon Jesus, let us remember as did Israel that we watch for the King! His entry is triumphal, but it is not like the kings of this world, for He does not lord it over us but rather reveals Himself to be Lord on our behalf. For the King who wears the eternal crown first wore a crown of thorns, and His walk to calvary is one of salvation but was first one of suffering. So let us come to the foot of the cross this morning, to praise the Rock of our salvation, lest the stones themselves cry out due to our silence. And there proclaim, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

Silent Private Prayer

Lenten Response Hosanna See back of the bulletin.

Lenten Hymn **No. 237** vv. 1, 4, 5 Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Hark! all the tribes hosanna cry;
O Savior meek, pursue Your road
With palms and scattered garments strowed.

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Your last and fiercest strife is nigh;
The Father on His sapphire throne
Expects His own anointed Son.

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die:
Bow Your meek head to mortal pain,
Then take, O God, Your pow'r and reign.

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name. Phil. 2:9



5. Let ev'ry kindred, ev'ry tribe, on this terrestrial ball, to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all; to him all majesty ascribe, and crown him Lord of all.

6. O that with yonder sacred throng we at his feet may fall; we'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all; we'll join the everlasting song, and crown him Lord of all.

Psalm 118

Give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; His love endures forever.

Let Israel say: "His love endures forever."

Let the house of Aaron say: "His love endures forever."

Let those who fear the LORD say: "His love endures forever."

In my anguish I cried to the LORD, and He answered by setting me free.

The LORD is with me; I will not be afraid. What can man do to me?

The LORD is with me; He is my helper.

I will look in triumph on my enemies.

It is better to take refuge in the LORD than to trust in man.

It is better to take refuge in the LORD than to trust in princes.

All the nations surrounded me, but in the name of the LORD Lout them off.

They surrounded me on every side, but in the name of the LORD I cut them off.

They swarmed around me like bees, but they died out as quickly as burning thorns;

in the name of the LORD I cut them off.

I was pushed back and about to fall, but the LORD helped me.

The LORD is my strength and my song; He has become my salvation.

Shouts of joy and victory resound in the tents of the righteous:

"The LORD's right hand has done mighty things!

"The LORD'S right hand is lifted high;

"the LORD'S right hand has done mighty things!"

I will not die but live, and will proclaim what the I ORD has done.

The LORD has chastened me severely, but he has not given me over to death.

Open for me the gates of the righteous;

I will enter and give thanks to the LORD.

This is the gate of the LORD through which the righteous may enter.

I will give you thanks, for you answered me; you have become my salvation.

The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone;

the LORD has done this, and it is marvelous in our eyes.

This is the day the LORD has made;

let us rejoice and be glad in it.

O LORD, save us; O LORD, grant us success.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD. From the house of the LORD we bless you.

The LORD is God, and he has made his light shine upon us.

With boughs in hand, join in the festal procession up to the horns of the altar.

You are my God, and I will give you thanks; you are my God, and I will exalt you.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever.

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Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!

Say to the Daughter of Zion, "See, your king comes to you, gentle and riding on a donkey." Matt. 21:5



My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith. Heb. 12:1, 2

