

PALM SUNDAY

MARCH 28, 2010

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Divine Service III LSB pages 184-202

L = Liturgist

\* = Stand

C = Congregation

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**\*OPENING HYMN** *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 men and angels 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.  
Oh, may we ever praise Him With heart and life and voice  
And in His blissful presence Eternally rejoice.**

**\*INVOCATION AND CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen. (Sung)**

L: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

**C: Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!**

L: Lo, your King comes to you; triumphant and victorious is He;

**C: Humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt the foal of a donkey.**

L: And the crowds that went before Him and that followed Him shouted:

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

L: And when He entered Jerusalem, all the city was stirred, saying, "Who is this?"

**C: And the crowds said, "This is the prophet, Jesus from Nazareth of Galilee."**

L: Remember, O Lord, Your tender mercies and Your loving kindnesses;

**C: For they have been ever of old.**

L: O keep my soul, and receive my confession, gracious Lord:

**C: Merciful heavenly Father, for the sake of the suffering and death of Your Son, Jesus Christ, be gracious and merciful to me, a poor sinful being. Forgive my sins, give me Your Holy Spirit for the amending of my sinful life, and bring me to life everlasting. Amen.**

**\*THE ABSOLUTION**

**C: Amen. (Sung)**

**\*THE GLORIA PATRI** (Taken from LSB, page 186)

**C: Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, & ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**\*THE KYRIE**

**C: Lord, have mercy upon us, Christ, have mercy upon us, Lord, have mercy upon us. (Sung)**

**\*THE COLLECT OF THE DAY**

L: The Lord be with you.

**C: And with thy spirit. (Sung)**

L: Let us pray.

**C: Amen. (Sung)**

THE OLD TESTAMENT READING For Palm Sunday is from Zechariah 9:9-10, page 797:(5:00, 8:00, 9:20)

<sup>9</sup> 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. <sup>10</sup> I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the war horse from Jerusalem; and the battle bow shall be cut off, and he shall speak peace to the nations; his rule shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

8:00 Junior Choir & Peace Choristers *Ride Through Jerusalem* Michael Bedfore  
Director Sherry Bierwagen; Accompanist Debbie Prange

THE EPISTLE is from Philippians 2:5-11, page 980-981: (5:00, 8:00, 9:20)

<sup>5</sup> Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup> who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, <sup>7</sup> but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. <sup>8</sup> And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. <sup>9</sup> Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, <sup>10</sup> so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, <sup>11</sup> and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**\*ALLELUIA AND VERSE**

**C: Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. (Sung)**

**\*THE HOLY GOSPEL - The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke, the Nineteenth chapter, verses 28-38, page 878-879:**

**C: Glory be to Thee, O Lord. (Sung)**

<sup>28</sup> And when he had said these things, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. <sup>29</sup> When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, <sup>30</sup> saying, "Go into the village in front of you, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat. Untie it and bring it here. <sup>31</sup> If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' you shall say this: 'The Lord has need of it.'" <sup>32</sup> So those who were sent went away and found it just as he had told them. <sup>33</sup> And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying the colt?" <sup>34</sup> And they said, "The Lord has need of it." <sup>35</sup> And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup> And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road. <sup>37</sup> As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, <sup>38</sup> saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise be to Thee, O Christ. (Sung)**

**\*THE APOSTLES' CREED** (Inside back cover of hymnal)

**CHILDREN'S SONG** (Sung as the children come forward) (8:00)

1. **My best Friend is Jesus, Love Him! Love Him!**  
**My best Friend is Jesus, Love Him!**
2. **My best Friend is Jesus, Thank Him! Thank Him!**  
**My best Friend is Jesus, Thank Him!**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (8:00)

Marilyn Wiesehan

**HYMN OF THE DAY** *Lord Take My Hand*

1. **Lord, take my hand and lead me Upon life's way;**  
**Direct, protect, and feed me From day to day.**  
**Without Your grace and favor I go astray;**  
**So take my hand, O Savior, And lead the way.**
2. **Lord, when the tempest rages, I need not fear;**  
**For You, the Rock of Ages, Are always near.**  
**Close by Your side abiding, I fear no foe,**  
**For when Your hand is guiding, In peace I go.**
3. **Lord, when the shadows lengthen And night has come,**  
**I know that You will strengthen My steps toward home,**  
**And nothing can impede me, O blessed Friend!**  
**So take, my hand and lead me Unto the end.**

THE SERMON

“Resolution”

(Luke 19:28-38)

THE OFFERING - *During the offering all worshipers are asked to fill out the blue or ivory cards found in the pew rack. Please pass cards down to center aisle. They will be collected immediately after the offering.*

VOLUNTARY 8:00 a.m. *The Liturgy of the Palms*  
Narrator: Alex Hammon

Jody W. Lindh

**\*THE OFFERTORY** (LSB pg 192)

**Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.**

**\*PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH**

**\*LORD'S PRAYER**

RITE OF CONFIRMATION & HOLY COMMUNION (10:30)

**\*THE BENEDICTION**

**L:** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you.  
The Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace.

**C:** **Amen, amen, amen. (Sung)**

**\*THE CLOSING HYMN** *Jesus, Still Lead On*

1. **Jesus, still lead on Till our rest is won;**  
**And although the way be cheerless, We will follow calm and fearless**  
**Guide us by Your hand To our fatherland.**

2. **When we seek relief From a long-felt grief;  
When temptations come alluring; Make us patient and enduring;  
Show us that bright shore Where we weep no more.**
  
3. **Jesus, still lead on Till our rest is won.  
Heavenly Leader, still direct us, Still support, control, protect us.  
Till we safely stand In our fatherland.**

\*SILENT PRAYER/POSTLUDE + + + + +

SERVING IN OUR WORSHIP TODAY:

Preacher: Pastor Jon C. Furgeson Liturgist Pastor Dennis A. Kastens  
Organist: Alice Kastens  
Choir Dir.: Sherry Bierwagen, DMM & Debbie Prange  
KFUO Broadcaster: (Sat.) Dean Seyfert; (Sun.) Wayne Schuessler

NEWS AND NOTES:

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TODAY'S EDUCATION HOUR: 9:15 - 10:15 a.m.

Adult Bible Class (Lower Commons): Genesis: From Adam to Noah

Adult Bible Class (Commons Conference Room): The Apostles' Creed

Youth Bible Class: led by Christina Stackle, DCE

8th Grade Youth: led by Rick Goodman 7th Grade Youth: led by Greg Wirtel

ALTAR FLOWERS are from the Confirmation class.

LIVE BROADCAST over KFUO radio (850 AM dial) of Peace's 8 a.m. service today is sponsored by Ken and Natalie Petzoldt in memory of Elberta Meir and Verlene Verseman.

SERVICES for Harry J. Bernthal, Monday, March 22, 2010. Our condolences to Bernice and family.

CONSIDER 7:00 (Sunrise) EASTER attendance next Sunday to allow guests and visitors preference at later services. Thank you.

EASTER BREAKFAST next Sun., April 4th, 7:30-10:00 a.m. Delicious eggs, pancakes, sausage, biscuits and gravy, and danish. Free-will offering. This breakfast is hosted by our Jr. & Sr. High Youth as a fundraiser for the LCMS Youth Gathering in New Orleans this summer.

LENTEN SELF-DENIAL folders to be turned in Easter Sunday.

THE LIVING LAST SUPPER This Thursday, April 1st, 6:00 p.m. & 8:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday is the beginning of Jesus' sacred three-day journey to assure our salvation. Join us, and bring your family & friends for this unique drama to learn more about our Savior and His disciples. Stop by the table in the Commons today after church or call the church office during the week to pick up your FREE tickets.

2010 CONFIRMANDS: Alex Justin Curran, Natalie Elizabeth Doskal, Emily Christine Farrow, Brian Patrick Foster, James Raymond Frisella, Kathleen Elizabeth Gatliff, Kristina Renee Hicks, Kyle Alan Hopfer, Abigayle Elizabeth Kreps, Joshua Christopher Loesch, Joshua Mitchell Luthy, Clare Vincenza Mancarella, Asher Nathan Daniel Mort, Jessica Mary Rakers, Raechel Marie Reinitz, Eric Anthony Schweikert, Sara Nicole Sindelar, Vincent Edward Tockstein, Katelyn Marie Waters.

YOUTH NEWS Thank you to all the 7th Grade Parents and Youth for hosting the Confirmation Breakfast this morning!!

EASTER PLANTS Please pick-up your Easter plants Easter Sunday after late service or during the coming week. (The office will be closed Monday, April 5.)

LIVING EASTER CROSS is located in the Commons. Children and adults invited to bring fresh flowers this Holy Saturday and on Easter, next Sunday. As you insert flowers, eventually (by the 10:30 service) the cross will be entirely filled as a Springtime reminder of new life in Christ through the resurrection of Him as our Lord and Savior.

LADIES GUILD Spring Salad Luncheon at Peace, Wednesday, May 5. Serving starts 11:45. Welcome.

YOUR PARKING next Sunday on Easter, in a distant location, helps extend a cordial welcome to guests and visitors, as does wearing your name tag.

SIGN-UP for Adult Inquiry series April 20. Posted.

LHSS LANCERETTES & CHEERLEADING TRYOUTS for 2010/11 season. Lancerette clinics April 6-8 with tryouts on April 9 from 4-6 pm. Cheerleading tryouts beginning April 15th. Clinics will be April 12-14, 4-6 pm with tryouts on April 23, 4-6 pm. To sign-up, call D. Smith, 631-1400.

MISSION OUTREACH PIZZA SALES March 14 - April 11 available from all Mission Team Members or the Mission Outreach Table in the commons.

LUTHERAN DAY AT BUSCH, April 15, 12:40 (Cardinals vs. Astros) with LHSS vs. LHSN after Cardinal game. Tickets 631-1400. See April newsletter.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY Next week, Friday the 9th of April, we start taking photos. If you have not signed up yet, it is not too late. We will fit you in where we still have openings. FEED THE NEED: Bring in a non-perishable food item to your photo sessions and Life Touch will give you a \$5.00 coupon for a discount on your photos, plus they will supply 4 meals for every family photographed for our food bank to Concordia Seminary and Feed My People.

LWML SPRING RALLY Sat., April 10, Our Savior Lutheran Church—Fenton. Breakfast - 8:45 a.m.; Opening Devotion - 9:30 a.m. To carpool, call Evelyn, 487-4226.

MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY RESUMES Wed., April 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the Lower Commons with Pastor Winker. Welcome!

HOLY WEEK

<b>Maundy Thurs.</b>	April 1	6:00 p.m.	“Living Last Supper”
		8:00 p.m.	“Living Last Supper”
		(Call 892-5610) for gratis tickets in insure nave seating)	
<b>Good Friday</b>	April 2	12 Noon	Tenebrae Service
		7:00 p.m.	Tenebrae Service
<b>Easter</b>	April 3 (Sat.)	5:00 p.m.	Festive Service
	April 4 (Sun.)	7:00 a.m.	Sunrise Service
		8:00 a.m. Festive Service, 9:20 a.m. Festive Service, 10:30 a.m. Festive Service (Holy Communion at all Easter Service)	
		Sunday School 9:15 - 10:15 for ages 2-12; NO Adult or Sr. High Youth Bible Classes Easter Breakfast 7:30 - 10 a.m. Gymnasium	

CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF MARCH 28, 2010:

Today:     **Palm Sunday**  
          8:30 Breakfast for Confirmands  
          10:30 Jr. Confirmation  
          7:00 Peter Careciples—Goldsmith's  
Mon: 9:30 Berean Careciples  
      5:00 Glocken Ringers  
      6:15 Celebration Ringers  
Tue: 9:00 Quilters  
      6:00 Chimes Choir  
      6:00 LLS Dress Rehearsal  
      7:00 Alleluia Ringers  
Wed: 5:35 Chantichor Choir  
      7:00 Chancel Choir  
Thu:     **Maundy Thursday**  
      9:00 Mary/Martha Bible Study  
      6:00 Living Last Supper  
      8:00 Living Last Supper  
Fri:     **Good Friday**  
          Preschool & Daycare Closed  
      12:00 Worship Service  
      7:00 Worship Service  
Sat: 9:00 Brass Choir  
      9:30 Set-up for Easter Breakfast  
      5:00 Worship Service w/Comm.  
Sun:     **Easter**  
      7:00 Worship Service w/Comm.  
      7:30 Easter Breakfast  
      8:00 Worship Service w/Comm.  
      9:15 Sunday School / Bible Classes  
      9:20 Worship Service w/Comm.  
      10:30 Worship Service w/Comm.