



*Blessed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord.*

## Prince of Peace Lutheran Church



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### *Palm Sunday*

April 17, 2011

Pre-service Meditation Psalm 92; pg. 143



### Children's Procession of the Palms

"Hosanna to Our King!"

### Invocation:

Pastor: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

Cong: ♪ "Amen."

### Responsive Call to Worship:

Zephaniah 3:14-17

- P: Sing, O daughter of Zion!  
**C: Shout, O Israel!**  
P: Be glad and rejoice with all your heart,  
**C: O daughter of Jerusalem!**  
P: The LORD has taken away your judgments,  
**C: He has cast out your enemy.**  
P: The King of Israel, the LORD, is in your midst;  
**C: You shall see disaster no more.**  
P: In that day it shall be said to Jerusalem:  
**C: "Do not fear; Zion, let not your hands be weak.**

P: *The LORD your God in your midst,*

**C: The Mighty One, will save;**

P: *He will rejoice over you with gladness, He will quiet you with His love,*

**C: He will rejoice over you with singing.**

P: *Our Gospel Lesson for this Palm Sunday comes to us from the Gospel according to Matthew, chapter twenty-one, beginning with the first verse*

**C: 🎶 "Glory be to Thee, O Lord!"**

Palm Sunday Account: Matthew 21:1-11 Now when they drew near Jerusalem, and came to Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, 2 saying to them, "Go into the village opposite you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Loose them and bring them to Me. 3 "And if anyone says anything to you, you shall say, 'The Lord has need of them,' and immediately he will send them." 4 All this was done that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet, saying: 5 "Tell the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your King is coming to you, Lowly, and sitting on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey.' " 6 So the disciples went and did as Jesus commanded them. 7 They brought the donkey and the colt, laid their clothes on them, and set Him on them. 8 And a very great multitude spread their clothes on the road; others cut down branches from the trees and spread them on the road. 9 Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying: "Hosanna to the Son of David! 'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the LORD!' Hosanna in the highest!" 10 And when He had come into Jerusalem, all the city was moved, saying, "Who is this?" 11 So the multitudes said, "This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth of Galilee."

P: *So far our Gospel lesson*

**C: 🎶 "Praise be to Thee, O Christ!"**

P: *Hosanna!*

**C: Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the LORD!**

P: *Blessed be the kingdom of our father David, that cometh in the name of the Lord!*

**C: Hosanna in the highest!**

Hymn 341:1-2

*"Crown Him with Many Crowns"*

~ Confession of Sins and Absolution ~

P: *Thus says the Lord: "The heart is more deceitful than all else and is desperately sick; who can understand it? I, the Lord, search the heart, I test the mind, even to give to each man according to his ways, according to the results of his deeds." (Jer. 17:9-10)*

**C: Who may ascend into the hill of the Lord?  
And who may stand in His holy place?  
He who has clean hands and a pure heart,  
who has not lifted up His soul to falsehood,  
and has not sworn deceitfully." (Ps. 24:3,4)**

P: *O Father, we enter Your holy place to worship You. However, we are sinners. How then will You accept our worship and bless us for the coming week? It is an act of grace that we seek from You. Cleanse us from our sins for Jesus' sake, so that with pure hearts and clean lips we can sing Your praises.*

**C: O Lord, You have searched me and known me.  
Even before there is a word on my tongue, behold,  
O Lord, You know it all. You have seen the evil that  
I have done and the good that I left undone.**



**Clinging to the cross of Jesus Christ, I appeal to You for mercy.  
Cleanse me in Jesus' blood. Purify my mind from every evil thought,  
my lips from every evil word, my hands from every evil deed.  
Renew my heart by the working of Your Holy Spirit so that I may  
present my body as a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to You,  
which is my spiritual service of worship.**

P: *Be of good cheer, children of God, for our Father is forever merciful. The blood of Jesus Christ, His Son, cleanses us from all our sins, for Christ loves us and gave Himself up for us, that He might sanctify and cleanse us. As Christ has given to you the Keys to the Kingdom of Heaven and you have called me to administer the same, even so by the command of the King of kings and Lord of lords I forgive you your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.*

♪ **Crown Him the Lord of Love.  
Behold His hands and side,  
Rich wounds, yet visible above,  
In beauty glorified.  
No angel in the sky  
Can fully bear that sight,  
But downward bends his wondering eye  
At mysteries so bright!**

*- The Collect -*

**P:** Let us pray - O Almighty and everlasting God the Father, who sent Your Son to take our nature upon Him and to suffer death on the cross that all mankind should follow the example of His great humility, mercifully grant that we may both follow the example of our Savior Jesus Christ in His patience and also be made partakers in His resurrection; through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**ALL:** ♪ "A- - men"

*Psalm for the Day:*

*(from Psalm 118)*

**P:** The LORD is my strength and song,  
**C: And He has become my salvation.**

**P:** The voice of rejoicing and salvation is in the tents of the righteous;  
**C: The right hand of the LORD does valiantly.**

**P:** The right hand of the LORD is exalted;  
**C: The right hand of the LORD does valiantly.**

**P:** I shall not die, but live,  
**C: And declare the works of the LORD.**

**P:** The stone which the builders rejected  
**C: Has become the chief cornerstone.**

**P:** This was the LORD's doing;  
**C: It is marvelous in our eyes.**

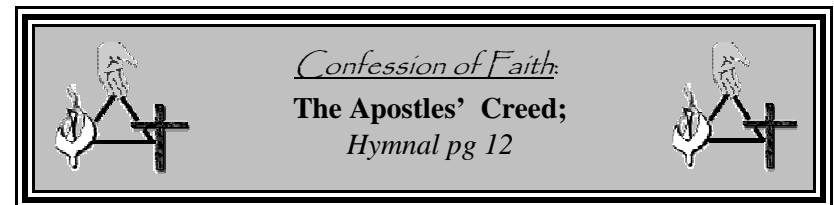
**P:** This is the day the LORD has made;  
**C: We will rejoice and be glad in it.**

**P:** Save now, I pray, O LORD;  
**C: O LORD, I pray, send now prosperity.**

**P:** Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD!  
**C: We have blessed you from the house of the LORD.**

New Testament Lesson ~ Philippians 2:5-11 Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: 6 Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: 7 But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: 8 And being found in fashion as a man, he humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross. 9 Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name: 10 That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; 11 And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

**Crown Him the Lord of Life  
Who triumphed o'er the grave  
And rose victorious in the strife  
For those He came to save.  
His glories now we sing  
Who died and rose on high,  
Who died eternal life to bring  
And lives that death may die.**



Hymn 161

*"Hosanna, Loud, Hosanna"*

*~ The Sermon ~*

**Zechariah 9:9-10** " Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King is coming to you; He is just and having salvation, Lowly and riding on a donkey, A colt, the foal of a donkey. 10 I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim And the horse from Jerusalem; The battle bow shall be cut off. He shall speak peace to the nations; His dominion shall be 'from sea to sea, And from the River to the ends of the earth.'

**THE KING THAT RODE ON A DONKEY'S COLT**

~ *The Offertory* ~

**P.** Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your King is coming to you!

**♪ All glory, laud, and honor  
 To Thee, Redeemer, King,  
 To whom the lips of children  
 Made sweet hosannas ring.  
 Thou didst accept their praises;  
 Accept the prayers we bring,  
 Who in all good delightest,  
 Thou good and gracious King. AMEN. (160:5)**

Hymn 162

*"Ride On, Ride On, in Majesty"*

~ *Offering of Thankful Hearts* ~  
 ~ *Prayers and Lord's Prayer* ~  
 ~ *The Benediction* ~

Closing Hymn 341:5

*"Crown Him with Many Crowns"*

**WELCOME TO YOU ALL!** We rejoice at the opportunity to share with you the hope that is within us. We pray that you might ever desire to learn more about the glorious Son of God, our Savior from sin, Jesus Christ. If you are visiting and would like to learn more about our church, our teachings, or today's service please speak with the pastor. We hope you may be able to join us again! We ask that our visitors record their visit by signing our guest register.

**HOLY WEEK** Palm Sunday marks an entrance into one of the most somber and joyous weeks for the Christian. On this day we see Jesus riding into Jerusalem, being hailed as King. By Friday morning the people of Jerusalem will demand that their King be crucified. Through it all we see Jesus being **"obedient unto death, even the death of the cross."** (Phil 2:8) For the edification of you and your family during this most precious of weeks, a devotion booklet is available with seven devotions based on the seven words of Jesus from the cross. The devotions were put together by Pastor Paul Krause and contain quotes from Werner Franzmann's "Bible History Commentary." Copies are available on the table in the entryway. May God bless your pondering of Christ's holy passion!

**CLC NEWS** Pastor Caleb Schaller (Redemption, Lynnwood [north Seattle], WA) has RETURNED the call to Ascension, Batavia (Chicago-land), IL. † Pastor David Fuerstenau (Holy Truth, Ketchikan, AK) has RETURNED the call to Trinity, Spokane, WA. † Miss Anita Meyer (Luther Memorial, Fond du Lac, WI) has RETURNED the call to teach at Immanuel Lutheran School, Winter Haven, FL. † Teacher Leif Ohlmanson (Immanuel, Mankato, MN) has announced his retirement from the teaching ministry on July 31.

There is one seminary student (David Pfeiffer) and one student from our teaching program (Chris Ude) graduating from Immanuel in May.

***"The harvest truly is plentiful, but the laborers are few.  
 Therefore pray the Lord of the harvest  
 to send out laborers into His harvest."  
 (Mt 9:37-38)***

**This Week @ Prince of Peace...**

Today  
 10:15 Luke video, pt 1  
 11:15 Adult Choir practice  
 Wednesday  
 ? Catechism Class  
 Thursday  
 7:00 MAUNDY THURSDAY Communion Service  
 Good Friday  
 Sunday, April 24 - **EASTER SUNDAY**  
 7:00 Easter Sunrise Service  
 8:30 Easter Breakfast  
 9:00 Special Bible Class - Luke video, pt 2



**"The Bread of Life"**

*Daily Bible readings for home devotions.*

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