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WELCOME TO GOD'S HOUSE Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!

Thank you for joining us for worship. If you have any questions about our service or practice, please feel free to ask one of the ushers or a pastor.

- Family restrooms are available in the multi-purpose room off the narthex or on the right side of the large hallway leading to the school wing.
- A parent's room with audio feed and a window into the sanctuary is available.
- Listening devices and six large print hymnals are available, please ask an usher.
- Tune into KFIZ AM 1450 each Sunday morning at 8:00 to hear the current weekend's sermon.
- Please silence your cell phone and all other electrical devices to help minimize distractions during Divine Worship. Thank you.
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- Visitors, we are pleased that you have joined us this morning. Please feel free to inquire about our congregation through the pastors, one of the ushers, or one of the members. If you are a visitor from out of town, please be sure to introduce yourself to one of the pastors after the service. We welcome all of you to come and worship with us again.

A PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIP All glory, laud, and honor to you, Redeemer, King, to whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring. As you received their praises, accept the prayers we bring, O Source of every blessing, our good and gracious King. Amen. (See also the prayers on pages 10-11 of *Christian Worship*.)

SERVICE THEME See, your King comes to you, righteous and having salvation, gentle and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Service of the Word on page 38 in the front of the hymnal

ADULT BELLS IN SUNDAY SERVICES

“All Glory, Laud and Honor”
by Robin Benton

OPENING HYMN

“The King of Glory Comes”
Hymn 363

M: The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you.

C: **And also with you.**

CONFESSION OF SINS

M: We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

C: **Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth. In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray: Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.**

M: God our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.

C: **Amen.**

PRAYER OF THE DAY

M: Let us pray.

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 branches of palms in his path, so may we always hail him as our King and follow him with perfect confidence; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **♪Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 45:22-25

All the world will bow before our King of kings and Lord of lords. Believers will bow in joy. Unbelievers will bow in shame.

²²Turn to me and be saved, all you ends of the earth, because I am God, and there is no other. ²³I have sworn by myself. From my mouth a righteous word has gone out, and it will not return unfulfilled. Indeed, to me every knee will bow, and every tongue will swear allegiance. ²⁴“Only in the LORD,” they will say of me, “Only in the LORD is there true righteousness and strength.” To him they will come and be ashamed—all those who are angry at him. ²⁵In the LORD, all the descendants of Israel will be justified. They will be praised by him.

PSALM 24 IN THURSDAY SERVICE

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ADULT CHOIR ACC. BY ADULT BELLS

“The Hour Is Come”
by David Lantz III

All glory, laud, and honor, to thee, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.

The hour is come that the Son of God be glorified! The hour is come that the Son of God be glorified! Blessed is He who comes in the name of God our Lord.

He is the King of kings, He is by all adored!

All glory, laud, and honor, to thee, Redeemer, King, to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring. He rides into the city in perfect majesty.

Forever He will reign, the Son of God, our King.
The hour is come that the Son of God be glorified!
The hour is come that the Son of God be glorified!

All glory, laud, and honor, to thee, Redeemer, King, to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring. To thee before thy passion we sing our hymns of praise;
to thee, now high exalted, our melody we raise. Amen, amen!

SECOND LESSON

Hebrews 12:1-3

Jesus our King entered glory through suffering.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us get rid of every burden and the sin that so easily ensnares us, and let us run with patient endurance the race that is laid out for us. ²Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus, who is the author of our faith and the one who brings it to its goal. In view of the joy set before him, he endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of God's throne. ³Carefully consider him who endured such hostility against himself from sinful people, so that you do not grow weary and lose heart.

HYMN OF THE DAY

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Hymn 716

GOSPEL

Matthew 21:1-11

As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, ²telling them, "Go to the village ahead of you. Immediately you will find a donkey tied there along with her colt. Untie them and bring them to me. ³If anyone says anything to you, you are to say, 'The Lord needs them,' and he will send them at once." ⁴This took place to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet: ⁵Tell the daughter of Zion: Look, your King comes to you, humble, and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. ⁶The disciples went and did just as Jesus commanded them. ⁷They brought the donkey and the colt, laid their outer clothing on them, and he sat on it. ⁸A very large crowd spread their outer clothing on the road. Others were cutting branches from the trees and spreading them out on the road. ⁹The crowds who went in front of him and those who followed kept shouting, Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna in the highest! ¹⁰When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred up, asking, "Who is this?" ¹¹And the crowds were saying, "This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee."

M: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: **♪Praise be to you, O Christ!**

"Save Us Now!"

Pastor Zuberbier

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.

GATHERING OF OUR OFFERING

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

Hymn 130

M: O Lord God, our heavenly Father, pour out the Holy Spirit on your faithful people. Keep us strong in your grace and truth, protect and comfort us in all temptation, and bestow on us your saving peace, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C: **♪Amen.**

M: Brothers and sisters, go in peace. Live in harmony with one another. Serve the Lord with gladness.

The Lord bless you and keep you.

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

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

C: **♪Amen. Amen. Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN

“Ride On, Ride On in Majesty”

Hymn 133

ORGANIST

Phil Otto

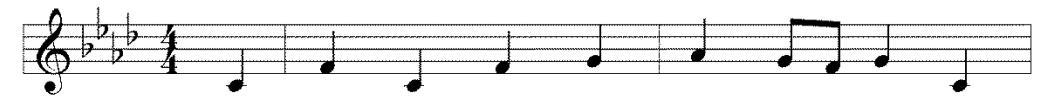
GREETERS

7:45 ~ Warren & Mary Demmon

10:30 ~ DuWayne & Marilyn Zamzow

The special Palm Sunday bulletin covers are given by Richard Wollman in memory of everyone's loved ones who have gone to heaven.

716 No Tramp of Soldiers' Marching Feet



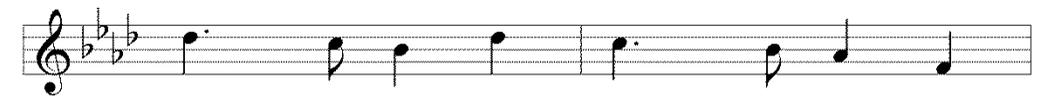
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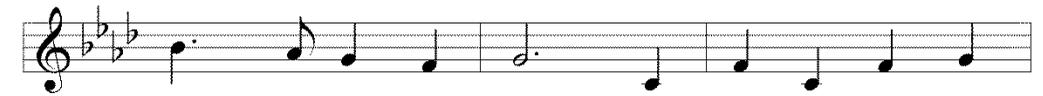
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cross and all its pains And chose a ser - vant's



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cross draws near: The King of glo - ry's throne. A -
on - ly thorn The King of glo - ry's crown. The
form to take, The King of glo - ry reigns. Ho -



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o - pen wide: "Be - hold, be - hold your King!"
stones would cry, "Be - hold, be - hold your King!"
mob re - plies, "Be - hold, be - hold your King!"
host pro - claim, "Be - hold, be - hold your King!"