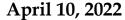


10:30am Worship Service

Palm Sunday





Order of Worship

Prelude: Fanfare - William Mathias

Welcome

Introit: Hosanna to the Son of David - Orlando Gibbons

+Call to Worship*

+Entrance Hymn: All glory, laud, and honor (UMH 280)

+Opening Prayer

Time with Young Disciples

Response: Mtoto wa Mungu (see bulletin) Sung four times by all.

+Gospel Acclamation: Return to God (see bulletin)

+Scripture: Luke 19:28-40*

+Gospel Acclamation

Sermon

Hymn: Hosanna, loud hosanna (UMH 278 st. 3)

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (UMH 895)

+The Peace

Anthem: Hosanna - Kirk Franklin

+Presentation Hymn: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow (see bulletin)

+Offertory Prayer

+Invitation to Holy Week

+Sending Hymn: Ah, holy Jesus (UMH 289)

+Benediction

Postlude: March on Lift up your heads, Op. 15 - Alexandre Guilmant

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Worship Leadership

Preacher: Rev. Grace Imathiu **Liturgist:** Rev. Jane Cheema **Scripture Reader:** Don Baker

Time with Young Disciples: Colin McDonald **Minister of Music & Organist:** Brian Schoettler

Music Assistant: Cody Michael Bradley

Chamber Choir Gospel Choir

The altar flowers are given in honor of Ed and Chris Webler's 53rd wedding anniversary.

Call to Worship

O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

God's steadfast love endures forever!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

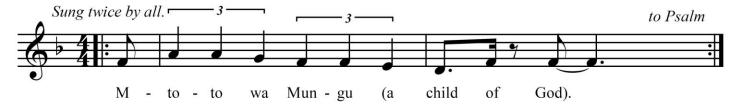
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O give thanks to the Lord, for God's steadfast love endures forever!

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- Psalm 118 adapted by Stephen M. Fearing

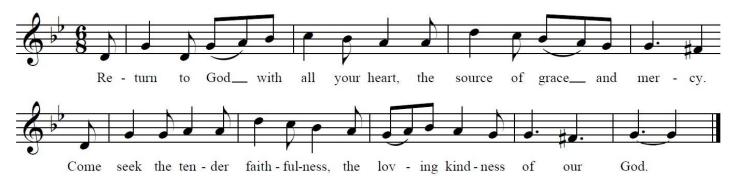
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Scripture Response

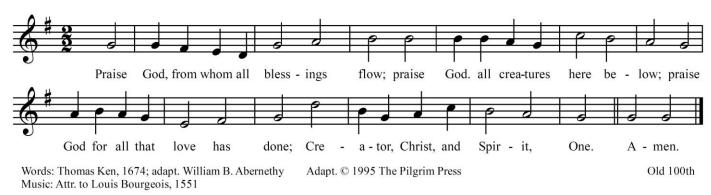
Hear what the Spirit says to the church. Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Gospel Acclamation



Words: Joel 2:12-13, adapted by Jerry Jelsema. Music: Jerry Jelsema

Presentation Hymn



Music Note

With Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem we begin our service with a fanfare by William Mathias. Our word of the day is certainly hosanna (Lord, save us) - a word central to the liturgy surrounding communion. The introit is a setting of Matthew 21:9 by late-Renaissance composer Orlando Gibbons. Each Palm Sunday we enter into worship with the hymn *All glory, laud, and honor*. The original Latin text was written in the 9th century by Archbishop Theodulph of Orleans and is sung to a 17th-century tune by Melchior Teschner. The Gospel Choir sings Kirk Franklin's *Hosanna* which has been recorded by the composer but also by Chicago-based, jazz pianist Ramsey Lewis who was the longtime director of Jazz at Ravinia.

On Easter Sunday our festive prelude begins at 10:00am with Part III of George Frideric Handel's *Messiah*. In Part II of the oratorio Handel sets the text of Psalm 24:7-10 and French organist Alexandre Guilmant used it as inspiration for today's postlude. Guilmant (1837-1911) taught at the Paris Conservatory and was organist at La Trinité. Handel's theme is used in the outer sections and although Guilmant was a Romantic era composer, he launches into a Baroque-style fugue in the central section of the piece.

Brian Schoettler, DMA Minister of Music & Organist

<u>Luke 19:28-40</u> (NRSV)

After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.

When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'" So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" They said, "The Lord needs it." Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, saying,

"Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest heaven!"

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, order your disciples to stop." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out."

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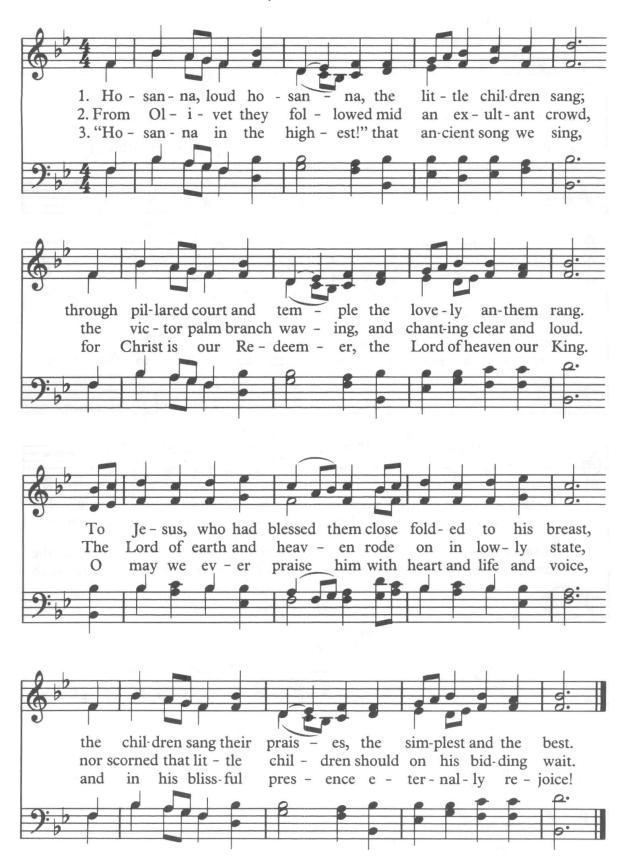
All Glory, Laud, and Honor



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Hosanna, Loud Hosanna



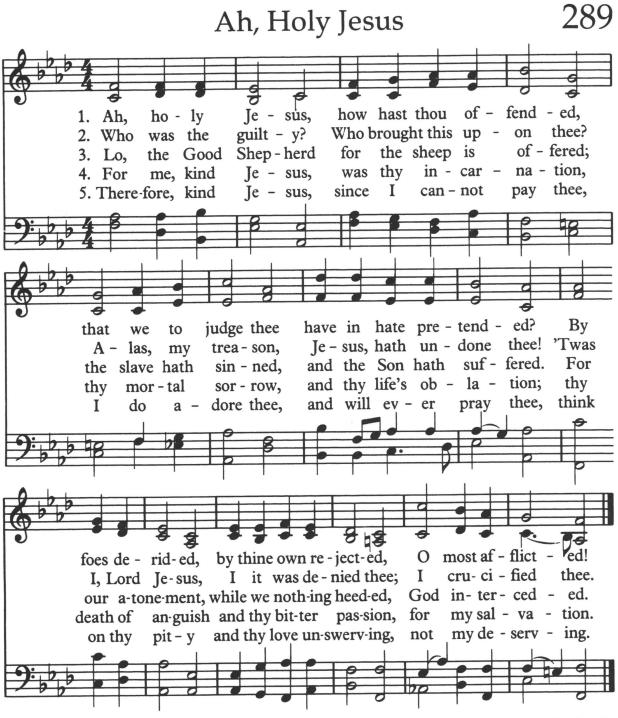
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Praise God, from whom all blessings flow



Words: Thomas Ken, 1674; adapt. William B. Abernethy Music: Attr. to Louis Bourgeois, 1551

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