

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

April 14, 2019 • 11:00am

# Palm Sunday

*Welcome!*  
We're glad  
**YOU**  
are here!

## OPENING PRAISE

### Call to Worship

Leader: Jesus is coming, humble and mounted on a donkey.

**Right: We open our eyes to see him.**

Leader: Crowds cheered, "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord."

**Left: We open our mouths to sing his praise.**

Leader: Jesus invites us to journey with him to the cross.

**All: We open our hearts to offer him our love.**

Leader: Hosanna to Jesus, our Savior and King!

**All: Hosanna in the highest heaven!**

*Hosanna (Praise is Rising)*

*Blessed Be Your Name*

### Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Lord, we confess that our hearts are as fickle as those who praised you on Sunday and yelled "Crucify Him" on Friday. Our hearts are in need of cleansing. Have mercy on us, Savior of our lives. Help us to lay at Your feet all that we have and all that we are, trusting You to forgive what is sinful, to heal what is broken, to welcome our praises and receive us as Your own. *(silent personal prayers are offered)*

### Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: For as the heavens are high above the earth,

**All: So great is God's steadfast love toward those who fear him;**

Leader: As far as the east is from the west,

**All: So far God removes our transgressions from us.**

Leader: As a father has compassion for his children,

**All: So the Lord has compassion for those who fear him.**

*(Psalm 103:11-13)*

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel,

**All: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**



CHRIST  
PRESBYTERIAN  
CHURCH

*A community  
centered in Christ,  
gathering in love,  
growing by grace,  
going forth to serve.*

**Ministers**  
The People

**Preacher**  
Dale Chapin

**Prayers of the People**  
Susan Smetzer  
Anderson

**Worship Leader**  
**Vocals, Piano**  
Brianna Ware

**Vocals**  
Laura Andrews  
Trinity Kulp  
Aaron Wellman

**Bass Guitar**  
Don Strong

**Percussion**  
Lindy Anderson

**Drums**  
Steve Porter

**Audio-Visual Coordinator**  
Bryan Yates

**First Impressions Team**  
Liz McCarthy  
Rebecca Wahl  
Kate Mayefske  
Lindsay Clay

*Good Good Father*

## Passing the Peace of Christ

The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

## COMMUNITY

### Welcome & Announcements

## HEARING THE WORD

### Scripture

Mark 11:1-11

### Message

Hope on a Donkey

## RESPONDING TO THE WORD

### Offering Our Tithes & Gifts

### Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer

### Closing Song

*Every Praise*

### Blessing

## COME WITH US ON THE JOURNEY THROUGH HOLY WEEK

All through Lent we have followed the path to Jerusalem. Now we walk through the events of the most important week in human history. Don't miss any of the story told through scripture and song on Maundy Thursday and Good Friday, on in-between Saturday and then on Easter Sunday.

You will discover that Easter is all the more meaningful when you have eaten with Jesus and his disciples on Thursday, stood with other followers of Jesus at the cross on Friday and waited in silence on Saturday. Services on Thursday and Friday are at 7:00pm in the sanctuary.

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