

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

April 13, 2025

"Remember finally, that the ashes on your forehead are created from the burnt palms of last Palm Sunday. New beginnings invariably come from old false things that are allowed to die."

~ Richard Rohr

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

TRINITY BELLS

*CHORAL AND CONGREGATIONAL INTROIT

(with waving of palms)

#88 "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: With crowds from ancient times we cry,

People: Hosanna! Save us!

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

People: God's steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

People: We bless you in the house of the Lord!

Leader: Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he,

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

Let us worship the living God!

*GATHERING HYMN

#89 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

MORNING PRAYER

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM

"Soon and Very Soon"

CALL TO CONFESSION

Let us now confess before God our tendency, like the Jerusalem crowds, to profess our faith in moments of enthusiasm and deny our faith in moments of fear and stress.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, as we enter this Holy Week of Lent, solemnly gathered at your house of prayer, we turn our hearts toward Jerusalem.

We want to walk the way with Jesus, to be present each step from the Mount of Olives to the cross to the empty tomb. And yet we fall away.

Forgive our stubborn resistance to Christ's work and witness. Inspire us by your Spirit to follow in his way, until we enter with him into the city not made by human hands, the new Jerusalem, eternal in the heavens. May your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

(now that we have confessed as a congregation, let us confess our own sins in the silence of our hearts)

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Leader: The one who rode into Jerusalem to cheering crowds knew that the cross awaited. In this way, we might know the great love of God for us. Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, has defeated sin forever.

People: Hear and believe this good news! In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*#579 GLORIA PATRI

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

MOMENT FOR YOUNG LEADERS

*SONG OF PREPARATION

"Great Are You Lord"

SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 2:5-11
Luke 19:28-40

SERMON

"Everyone Loves a Parade"
Rev. Paul Masters

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*SONG OF REFLECTION

"Forever Reign"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

GRATEFUL RESPONSE/ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

<https://app.securegive.com/fpcfd>

"Hosanna"

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

Children up through 5th grade are invited to Children's Church in the CLC hallway which begins after the Moment For Young Leaders. If they'd prefer to stay seated, worship bags are by the door.

We have the CLC rooms 108/109 available for parents to sit with their children. The service can be streamed on a tv in the rooms.

Prayers for April 13th – 19th

Members of the Congregation:

Phyllis Chance, Lorraine Black & Gregg Hora

Friends of the Congregation:

Missy Nelson (Friend of the Moeller Family) & Bryan Dayton (Friend of Lizzie Crowley)

Prayer Families:

Jaci Steib

Merna Thomas

Vernon & Darlene Thomas

Thomas & Joan Tibbitts

Pray for: (a ministry in our Presbytery; a ministry in Fort Dodge)

First Presbyterian Church, Algona &

First United Methodist Church

Stewardship News

Attendance on April 6th was 155 (120, 20 FB, 15 YT). The offering on 04/06/25 was \$6,657.00. The amount needed each week is \$11,118.00. The total contributions through 04/06/25 are \$150,448.98. The amount needed through 04/06/25 is \$146,240.00.

Thank you to our volunteers today

Ushers: Joyce Garton-Natte & Nate Meisgeier

Vocals: Joe & Teresa Jackson

Musicians: Isac Jamba, Zion Jamba, Greg Merritt, Jake Merritt & Gabriel Alves

Bus Driver: Don Miller

Elder: Mike Becker

We are grateful for the gift of chancel flowers given by Linda Whiting in commemoration of the 10th anniversary of Dick's celebration of life.

Event Calendar

The Fellowship committee has placed calendars on the 'Upcoming Events' bulletin boards in the Narthex and CLC hallway. There's also a calendar in the office. Please write down any event you'd like the congregation to know about and attend (i.e. plays, birthday parties, kid's concert).

Ilene's Library Corner

The challenge now is to guess the number of chocolate eggs in the jar! The best guesser will be announced on Easter Sunday (April 20th).

Guatemala Fundraising

The Guatemala mission trip team is holding a fundraiser on April 16th from 5-9 pm at Pizza Ranch. Come have dinner and raise money for the Guatemala trip.

No Wednesday Programs

We will not have youth programs or All-Ages dinner on April 16th.

Holy Week Schedule

Maundy Thursday (April 17th) 6:00 pm worship

Good Friday (April 18th) 6:00 pm worship

Easter (April 20th) 9:00 brunch in the commons & 10:00 am worship

All worship services will be in the sanctuary

There will be a light brunch at 9 am in the commons before Easter worship. If you would like to volunteer to bring muffins, doughnuts, rolls or breads, please contact Amy Walrod at 515-570-0560. Come join us to celebrate Easter as a church family!



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Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

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ELLACOMBE 7.6.7.6 D

*Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Wirtembergischen
Katholischen Hofkapelle, 1784; alt. 1868*

Jennette Threlfall, 1873

1. Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na, The lit - tle children sang;
2. From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed 'Mid an ex - ult - ant crowd,
3. "Ho - san - na in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,

Through pil - lared court and tem - ple The joy - ful an - them rang;
The vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, And chant - ing clear and loud;
For Christ is our Re - deem - er, The Lord of heav - en our King.

To Je - sus, who had blessed them Close fold - ed to His breast,
The Lord of earth and heav - en Rode on in low - ly state,
O may we ev - er praise Him With heart and life and voice,

The chil - dren sang their prais - es, The sim - plest and the best.
Nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren Should on His bid - ding wait.
And in His bliss - ful pres - ence E - ter - nal - ly re - joice.

Great Are You Lord

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore ev'ry heart that is broken
And great are You Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord
(REPEAT)

Forever Reign

You are good You are good
When there's nothing good in me
You are love You are love
On display for all to see
You are light You are light
When the darkness closes in
You are hope You are hope
You have covered all my sin

You are peace You are peace
When my fear is crippling
You are true You are true
Even in my wandering
You are joy You are joy
You're the reason that I sing
You are life You are life
In You death has lost its sting

(Oh) I'm running to Your arms
I'm running to Your arms
The riches of Your love will always be enough
Nothing compares to Your embrace
Light of the world forever reign

You are more You are more
Than my words will ever say
You are Lord You are Lord
All creation will proclaim
You are here You are here
In Your presence I'm made whole
You are God You are God
Of all else I'm letting go

My heart will sing no other Name
Jesus Jesus
(REPEAT 4X)

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All Glory, Laud, and Honor

VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN 7.6.7.6 D

Theodulph of Orleans, c. 820

Trans. John Mason Neale, 1851; alt. 1859

Melchior Teschner, 1614

Arr. William Henry Monk, 1861

Refrain

All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or To Thee, Re-deem-er, King!

The first system of musical notation for the song. It consists of a vocal line in treble clef and a piano accompaniment in grand staff (treble and bass clefs). The key signature has one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 4/4. The lyrics are: "All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or To Thee, Re-deem-er, King!"

Fine

To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring.

The second system of musical notation. It continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring." The system ends with a double bar line and the word "Fine".

1. Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, Thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
2. The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went;
3. To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion, They sang their hymns of praise;
4. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; Ac - cept the prayers we bring,

The third system of musical notation. It continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. There are four numbered verses of lyrics. The lyrics are: "1. Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, Thou Da - vid's roy - al Son, 2. The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went; 3. To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion, They sang their hymns of praise; 4. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; Ac - cept the prayers we bring,"

Repeat Refrain

Who in the Lord's name com - est, The King and bless-ed One.
Our praise and prayers and an - thems Be - fore Thee we pre - sent.
To Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our mel - o - dy we raise.
Who in all good de - light - est, Thou good and gra-cious King!

The fourth system of musical notation. It continues the vocal line and piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: "Who in the Lord's name com - est, The King and bless-ed One. Our praise and prayers and an - thems Be - fore Thee we pre - sent. To Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our mel - o - dy we raise. Who in all good de - light - est, Thou good and gra-cious King!" The system ends with a double bar line.

Hosanna

I see the King of glory
Coming on the clouds with fire
The whole earth shakes
The whole earth shakes yeah

I see His love and mercy
Washing over all our sin
The people sing
The people sing

Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest

I see a generation
Rising up to take their place
With selfless faith
With selfless faith

I see a near revival
Stirring as we pray and seek
We're on our knees
We're on our knees

Heal my heart and make it clean
Open up my eyes to the things unseen
Show me how to love like You have loved me
Break my heart for what breaks Yours
Everything I am for Your Kingdom's cause
As I walk from earth into eternity

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