PALM SUNDAY WORSHIP ORDER

As we enter, let us quietly prepare to worship God.

Please silence all cell phones so that we might have a reverent service.

10:00 a.m. March 24, 2024

PRELUDE Katy Hatfield

WELCOME

INTROIT "Hosanna Processional" Chancel Choir & PCN Bells

COMMUNITY CALL TO WORSHIP

Tammi Jester

All: We are unconditionally loved, undeservedly forgiven, freed to be ourselves, and fully alive in Jesus Christ. Let us worship God.

OPENING PRAYER

*HYMN "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" #89

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Sydney Fletcher

Children are dismissed to go to Sunday School. (Sunday School is available for ages birth to 3 in the nursery/room 2; Pre-K through 5th grade in room 1; 6th through 8th grade in room 26. **Parents/Guardians, please** pick up your child/ren from their classrooms directly following the worship service.)

LAYING DOWN OUR BURDENS

U: How quick we are to say yes to you, O Lord, and then we turn around and forget our bold words of commitment. We really want to serve, but we are very weak and are easily drawn away by cares and fears. We end up putting ourselves first, including how others view us. Forgive us, O Lord, when we so quickly drop our commitments to serving you and putting you first. Heal our spirits and give us the bold courage to truly be your disciples. For we ask these things in Jesus' name. Amen.

^{*}Please stand as you are able.

PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS

*PRAISE RESPONSE "Your Grace is Enough" Praise Team

Your grace is enough. Your grace is enough.

Your grace is enough for me.

Your grace is enough. I'm covered in Your love.

Your grace is enough for me...for me.

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

GOD'S WORD READ Matthew 21:1-11

MINISTRY OF MUSIC "Anthems of Love" –Dan Forrest

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED GIVING IT UP: Giving Up Popularity

*PRAISE SONG "In Christ Alone" Praise Team

Prayer requests will be collected at this time.

PRAYERS WITH AND FOR ONE ANOTHER

U: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

OFFERING

OFFERTORY "Blessed is He" Chancel Choir

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him, all creatures here below Praise Him above, ye heavenly host Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*PASSING OF THE PEACE - share the peace of Christ with your immediate neighbors by saying, "The Peace of Christ be with you" and sharing your names.

L: The peace of Christ be with you. U: And also with you.

*PRAISE SONG "Hosanna (Praise is Rising)" Praise Team

***SENT TO PUT FAITH IN PRACTICE**

L: Let us go into the world

U: To be the church L: A beacon of hope

U: Reviving the world through God's love. Amen.

*CHORAL BENEDICTION "You Shall Go Out with Joy" –Craig Courtney

POSTLUDE Praise Team

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We invite you to join us for a Palm Sunday brunch immediately following worship.