



10:30 Service of Holy Eucharist
April 9, 2017
The Sunday of the Passion
With the Liturgy of the Palms

The Holy Eucharist

Welcome

Announcements

Presentation from South Alberta Light Horse

Sentence: Christ became obedient unto death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name. (Philippians 2:8-9)

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

Janette Threlfall; Gesangbuch der Hersogl, Wurtemberg, 2784

“Hosanna, loud hosanna,”
The little children sang;
Thro’ pillared court and temple
The lovely anthem rang;
To Jesus, who had blessed them
Close folded to His breast,
The children sang their praises,
The simplest and the best.

From Olivet they followed
‘Mid an exultant crowd,
The victor palm branch waving
And chanting clear and loud;
The Lord of earth and heaven
Rode on in lowly state,
Nor scorned that little children
Should on His bidding wait.

“Hosanna in the highest!”
That ancient song we sing,
For Christ is our Redeemer,
The Lord of heav’n, our King;
O may we ever praise Him
With heart and life and voice,
And in His blissful presence
Eternally rejoice!

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Matthew 21:1-11

When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, “Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. If anyone says anything to you, just say this, ‘The Lord needs them.’ And he will send them immediately.” This took place to fulfil what had been spoken through the prophet, saying, “Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.” The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, “Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!” When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, “Who is this?” The crowds were saying, “This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee.”

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Hosanna

Carl Tuttle

Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna, Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest!
Lord, we lift up Your name,
With hearts full of praise;
Be exalted, O Lord my God!
Hosanna in the highest!

Glory, glory, glory to the King of kings!
Glory, glory, glory to the King of kings!
Lord, we lift up Your name,
With hearts full of praise;
Be exalted, O Lord my God!
Glory to the King of kings!

Lamb of God

Twila Paris

Your only Son, no sin to hide,
But You have sent Him from Your side
To walk upon this guilty sod
And to become the Lamb of God.

Refrain: (vs. 1 & 2)

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God;

I love the holy Lamb of God.

O wash me in His precious blood.

My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Your gift of love they crucified,
They laughed and scorned Him as He died;
The humble King they named a fraud,
And sacrificed the Lamb of God.

I was so lost I should have died,
But You have brought me to Your side
To be led by Your staff and rod,
And to be called a lamb of God.

Refrain: (vs. 3)

O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God;

I love the holy Lamb of God.

O wash me in His precious blood.

Till I am just a lamb of God.

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The Collect of the Day

The Proclamation of the Word

Reader: A reading from Isaiah 50:4-11

The Lord God has given me the tongue of a teacher, that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word. Morning by morning he wakens – wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught. The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I did not turn backward. I gave my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting. The Lord God helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame; he who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who are my adversaries? Let them confront me. It is the Lord God who helps me; who will declare me guilty? All of them will wear out like a garment; the moth will eat them up. Who among you fears the Lord and obeys the voice of his servant, who walks in darkness and has no light, yet trusts in the name of the Lord and relies upon his God? But all of you are kindlers of fire, lighters of firebrands. Walk in the flame of your fire, and among the brands that you have kindled! This is what you shall have from my hand: you shall lie down in torment.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 31:9-16

Have mercy on / me, O Lord, *
for I / am in trouble;
my eye is con- / sumed with sorrow, *
and also my throat / and my belly.
For my life is wast- / ed with grief, *
and my / years with sighing;
my strength fails me because / of affliction, *
and my bones / are consumed.
I have become a reproach to / all my enemies *
and even / to my neighbours,
a dismay to those of / my acquaintance; *
when they see me in the street / they avoid me.
I am forgotten like a corpse, / out of mind; *
I am as useless as a / broken pot.
For I have heard the whispering / of the crowd; *
fear is / all around;
they put their heads togeth- / er against me; *
they plot to / take my life.
But as for me, I have trusted in / you, O Lord. *
I have said, "You / are my God."
My times are / in your hand; *
rescue me from the hand of my enemies,
and from those who / persecute me.
Make your face to shine up- / on your servant, *
and in your loving- / kindness save me."

Reader: A reading from Philippians 2:5-11

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death even death on a

cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

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People: Thanks be to God.

The Gospel

No Gospel Responses before or after the Gospel today.

Glory to you, O Christ,
You are the Word of God!
(sung 3 times)

We invite the congregation to follow along in the booklets and to **speak your parts loudly**.

Glory to you, O Christ,
You are the Word of God!
(sung 3 times)

The Sermon – The Reverend Oz Lorentzen

Silence is kept for a moment of reflection.

The Prayers of the People

Last Post – Jim Smallbones

We will observe One Minute of Silence to reflect on the sacrifices of both Christ and our military at Vimy Ridge.

Rouse – Jim Smallbones

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The Celebration of the Eucharist

Our Tithes and Offerings will be received during the following song.

Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated

Frances Ridley Havergal

Take my life and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee;
Take my moments and my days –
Let them flow in ceaseless praise,
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love;
Take my feet and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee,
Swift and beautiful for Thee.

Take my voice and let me sing
Always, only, for my King;
Take my lips and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee,
Filled with messages from Thee.

Take my silver and my gold –
Not a mite would I withhold;
Take my intellect and use
Every pow'r as Thou shalt choose,
Every pow'r as Thou shalt choose.

Take my love – my Lord, I pour at
Thy feet its treasure store;
Take myself – and I will be
Ever, only, all for Thee,
Ever, only, all for Thee.

Take my will and make it Thine –
It shall be no longer mine;
Take my heart – it is Thine own,

It shall be Thy royal throne,
It shall be Thy royal throne.

Prayer over the Gifts

The Great Thanksgiving

The page for the Eucharistic Prayer will be announced.

NOTE: “Holy, holy, holy Lord” is sung as a round – ladies first.

p 211 The Lord’s Prayer

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The Communion

All who are baptized and who are believers in Jesus Christ as Lord are welcome to come and receive the Bread and Wine. Anyone not receiving Communion is invited to come for a blessing. Please indicate this by crossing your arms over your heart. If you choose to dip the Bread in the Wine, please make sure your fingers do not touch the Wine. Thank You.

There are two stations, one at the Altar and one at the back of the Church. Please go to either station when directed by the Sides Person.

A gluten-free wafer is available at the altar. Please make your request known when Communion is distributed.

If you are unable to get to either station because of mobility problems, please tell one of the Sides Persons who will make sure the Communion Servers come to you in your pew.

Sing Hallelujah (to the Lord)

Linda Stassen-Benjamin

Sing hallelujah to the Lord.

Sing hallelujah to the Lord.

Sing hallelujah,

Sing hallelujah,

Sing hallelujah to the Lord.

Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord

Bob Hudson

Humble thyself in the sight of the Lord;
Humble thyself in the sight of the Lord,
And He shall lift you up, higher and higher,
And He shall lift you up.

You Are My Hiding Place

Michael Ledner

You are my hiding place,
You always fill my heart with songs of deliverance;
Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in You.
I will trust in You.
Let the weak say, "I am strong in the strength of the Lord!"
You are my hiding place,
You always fill my heart with songs of deliverance;
Whenever I am afraid, I will trust in You.

Lord Have Mercy

Steve Merkel

Jesus I've forgotten the words that You have spoken
Promises that burned within my heart have now grown dim
With a doubting heart I follow the paths of earthly wisdom
Forgive me for my unbelief
Renew the fire again

Lord have mercy
Christ have mercy
Lord have mercy on me

I have built an altar where I worship things of men
I have taken journeys that have drawn me far from You
Now I am returning to Your mercies ever flowing
Pardon my transgressions
Help me love You again

I have longed to know You and Your tender mercies
Like a river of forgiveness ever flowing without end
I bow my heart before You in the goodness of Your presence
Your grace forever shining
Like a beacon in the night

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The Blessing

Dismissal

Leader: Let us go forth in peace.

People: In the name of Christ. Amen

Today, we will exit the church in silence.



Our Mission is to follow
and enjoy Jesus Christ in worship
and service so that everyone
will come to know Him.

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We give thanks for the service of these people this morning:

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Wayne & Elaine Barnes

Celebrant

Reverend Oz Lorentzen

Music Ministry

Ralph Browne

Prayers of the People

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Nursery

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