

**Saint John the Evangelist Episcopal Church**

April 14, 2019

Palm Sunday

**Holy Eucharist 10:00 a.m.  
Rite II, Prayer A**



*Hearing-assistive devices and large print bibles are available from the ushers at the back of the church.*

**The Liturgy of the Palms: Processional**

*The Palm Liturgy will begin in the gym, on the lower level at the north end of the building. Please obtain a palm from an usher at the entrance to the gym. Small noisemakers are also available for anyone who wishes to play during the procession.*

**Opening Acclamation and Response**

*Celebrant* Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

*People* Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*People* Amen.

**Palm Narrative** Luke 19:29-40

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* It is right to give God thanks and praise.

*Celebrant* It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love...

...and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in the glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

*People* Amen.

*Celebrant* Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

*People* Hosanna in the highest.

*Deacon* Let us go forth in peace.

*People* In the name of Christ. Amen.

*Please join the procession, following the vergers, as we sing the following hymn.*

**Hymn #154** All glory, laud and honor *Valet will ich dir geben*

*Refrain*  
  
All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King!

to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.

1 Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,  
2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels is prais - ing thee on high;  
3 The peo - ple of the He - brews with palms be - fore thee went;  
4 To thee be - fore thy pas - sion they sang their hymns of praise;  
5 Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

*Repeat Refrain*  
  
1 who in the Lord's Name com - est, the King and Bless - ed One.  
2 and we with all cre - a - tion in cho - rus make re - ply.  
3 our praise and prayers and an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent.  
4 to thee, now high ex - al - ted, our mel - o - dy we raise.  
5 who in all good de - light - est, thou good and gra - cious King.

**The Liturgy of the Word**

**Hymn #156** Ride on! Ride on in majesty! *The King's Majesty*

**The Collect of the Day**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

*People* Amen.

**First Reading**

Isaiah 50:4-9a

*Pew Bible, p. 667*

*Reader*

The Word of the Lord.

*People*

Thanks be to God.

*You are invited to remain seated as the choir sings the following anthem; a commissioned piece for the St. John's Parish Choir by Soprano Staff Singer, Haley Olson, of the American Composers Forum.*

**Anthem**

Hosanna in the Highest!

Haley Olson

Tessa Wegenke, *soloist*

**Second Reading**

Philippians 2:5-11

*Pew Bible p. 1071*

*Reader*

The Word of the Lord.

*People*

Thanks be to God.

**Sequence Hymn #167** There is a green hill far away

*Horsley*

**The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke**

**Congregational Response**

**Hymn #166** Sing, My Tongue, the Glorious Battle

*Pange Lingua*

Vs. 1: Sung at the beginning of the Narrative.

Vs. 2: Sung following, Jesus, "It is enough."

Vs. 3: Sung following, Luke, "...and he handed Jesus over as they wished."

Vs. 4: Sung following, Jesus, "For if they do this when the wood is green, what will happen when it is dry?"

Vs. 5: Sung following, Jesus, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise."

Vs. 6: Sung at the conclusion of the Narrative.

**Prayers of the People**

*standing or kneeling, as is your custom*

*Reader*

Restore us, good Lord.

**All**

**For your mercy is great.**

*Reader*

Gracious God,

**All**

**By your love you have called us to proclaim with joy the good news of your Son: So build us up in the knowledge and love of Him, that we may welcome all people into this community of faith, and show forth our service to you in our service to others; through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.**

— *The Collect for St. John's*

## Blessing of the Kits

### The Peace

*Celebrant* The peace of Christ be always with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

### Kayoro Update

Sarah Muzaki

### Welcome

The Rev. Jered Weber-Johnson, *Rector*

## The Holy Communion

*All are welcome at the Lord's table. You may kneel or stand to receive communion. The common loaf is gluten-free. If you prefer to receive a blessing please cross your arms. There is a standing station to receive Holy Communion.*

## OFFERTORY AND PRESENTATION

**Anthem** Solus ad victimam Kenneth Leighton

### Presentation of the Gifts

*Celebrant* All things come of thee, O Lord.

*People* **And of thine own have we given thee.**

### The Great Thanksgiving

#### Eucharistic Prayer A

*Book of Common Prayer, page 361*

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Lift up your hearts.

*People* **We lift them to the Lord.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*People* **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*Celebrant* It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and every where to give thanks to you, Father Almighty...

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

## Sanctus and Benedictus

*Hymnal S122*

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
power and might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry.  
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

*Celebrant* We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation...

Therefore, we proclaim the mystery of faith,

All **Christ has died.  
Christ is risen.  
Christ will come again.**

*Celebrant* We celebrate the memorial of our redemption...

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever.

*People* **Amen.**

### Lord's Prayer

### Breaking of the Bread

### Fraction Anthem

*Celebrant* Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

*People* **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

### Distribution

**Hymn #168** O sacred head, sore wounded

*Herzlich tut mich verlangen*

### Sending forth Eucharistic Visitors (as applicable)

*Deacon* In the name of this congregation, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood.

*People* **We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.**

### Post Communion Prayer

*standing or kneeling, as is your custom*

*All* **Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*The clergy and choir depart in silence.*

Altar Greens are given in thanksgiving for the life of Frank Tamble Stegbauer

### Assisting in the Service

Celebrant	The Rev. Jered Weber-Johnson
Assisting Priest	The Rev. Craig Lemming
Deacon	The Rev. Margaret Thor
Director of Music	Richard Gray
Altar Guild	Colleen Swope, Sue Cadwell, Shirlee Gooch, Paige Hagstrom, Sabine Krall, Thea Bischof
Acolytes	Linnea Krall, Mugeegbaykola Koroma, Hawah Sharon Koroma
Readers	Chris Matter, Don Postema
Verger	Bill Sherfey
Ushers	Gary & Paige Hagstrom, Lynn Hertz, Mary Gilbertson
Greeters	Sally Sand, Don & Holly Weinkauff
Coffee Hour	Colleen & Charles Swope

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