

Faith Lutheran Church April 2nd 2023

WELCOME

Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please sign the guest register in the entry as you leave the church today.

TODAY'S SERVICE

April 2, 2023 Liturgy: Setting Two, WS page 12

Speaker:

Pastor Matthew Ude

Musician:

Lila Brown

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PRE-SERVICE DEVOTION

Psalm 31:9-16

- ⁹ Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am in trouble; My eye wastes away with grief, *Yes*, my soul and my body!
- ¹⁰ For my life is spent with grief, And my years with sighing; My strength fails because of my iniquity, And my bones waste away.
- ¹¹ I am a reproach among all my enemies, But especially among my neighbors, And *am* repulsive to my acquaintances; Those who see me outside flee from me.
- ¹² I am forgotten like a dead man, out of mind; I am like a broken vessel.
- ¹³ For I hear the slander of many; Fear *is* on every side; While they take counsel together against me, They scheme to take away my life.
- ¹⁴ But as for me, I trust in You, O LORD; I say, "You *are* my God."
- ¹⁵ My times *are* in Your hand; Deliver me from the hand of my enemies, And from those who persecute me.
- ¹⁶ Make Your face shine upon Your servant; Save me for Your mercies' sake.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

#160 "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" (MFH 62)

by St. Theodulph of Orleans, c. 821

- I. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King,
 To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.
 Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's royal Son,
 Who in the Lord's name comest, The King and Blessed One.
- 2. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King, To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring. The company of angels Are praising Thee on high, And mortal men and all things Created make reply.
- 3. All glory, Iaud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King, To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring. The people of the Hebrews With psalms before Thee went; Our praise and prayer and anthems Before Thee we present.
- 4. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King, To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.

To Thee, before Thy Passion, They sang their hymns of praise; To Thee, now high exalted, Our melody we raise.

5. All glory, laud, and honor To Thee, Redeemer, King, To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring. Thou didst accept their praises; Accept the prayers we bring, Who in all good delightest, Thou good and gracious King.

INVOCATION

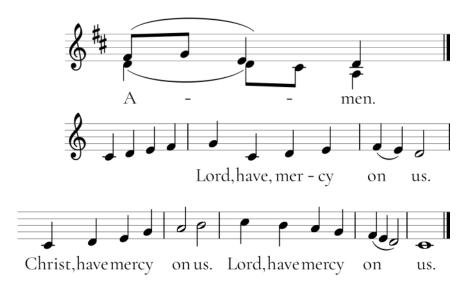
p In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.



CONFESSION OF SINS

p We have come into the presence of God, who created us to love and serve him as his dear children. But we have disobeyed him and deserve only his wrath and punishment. Therefore, let us confess our sins to him and plead for his mercy.

- all Merciful Father in heaven, I am altogether sinful from birth, In countless ways I have sinned against you and do not deserve to be called your child. But trusting in Jesus, my Savior, I pray; Have mercy on me according to your unfailing love. Cleanse me from my sin, and take away my guilt.
- p God, our heavenly Father, has forgiven all your sins. By the perfect life and innocent death of our Lord Jesus Christ, he has removed your guilt forever. You are his own dear child. May God give you strength to live according to his will.





p Let us pray . . . Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.



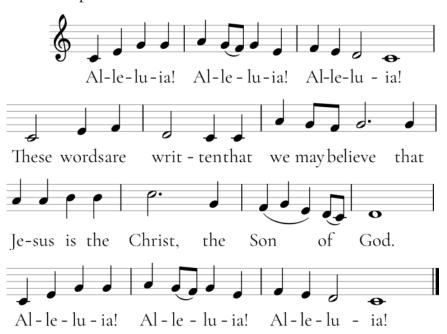
THE WORD

Isaiah 50:4-8 ⁴ "The Lord GOD has given Me The tongue of the learned, That I should know how to speak A word in season to *him who is* weary. He awakens Me morning by morning, He awakens My ear To hear as the learned. ⁵ The Lord GOD has opened My ear; And I was not rebellious,

Nor did I turn away. ⁶ I gave My back to those who struck *Me*, And My cheeks to those who plucked out the beard; I did not hide My face from shame and spitting. ⁷ "For the Lord GOD will help Me; Therefore I will not be disgraced; Therefore I have set My face like a flint, And I know that I will not be ashamed. ⁸ *He is* near who justifies Me; Who will contend with Me?

Philippians 2:5-II ⁵ Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus, ⁶ who, being in the form of God, did not consider it robbery to be equal with God, ⁷ but made Himself of no reputation, taking the form of a bondservant, and coming in the likeness of men. ⁸ And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross. ⁹ Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, ¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, ¹¹ and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

p Blessed are they who hear the Word of God and keep it!



THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, Born of the virgin Mary; Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body and the life everlasting. Amen.

PSALM 118

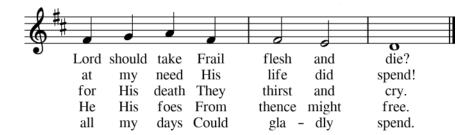
Soloist Benjamin Lillo

CHILDREN'S SERMON

My Song Is Love Unknown

Author: Samuel Crossman (1664)





SERMON

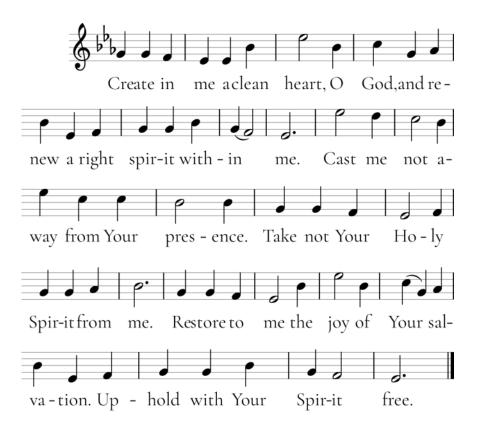
John 12:12-19 ¹² The next day a great multitude that had come to the feast, when they heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem, ¹³ took branches of palm trees and went out to meet Him, and cried out: "Hosanna!'Blessed *is* He who comes in the name of the LORD!' The King of Israel!" ¹⁴ Then Jesus, when He had found a young donkey, sat on it; as it is written: ¹⁵ "Fear not, daughter of Zion; Behold, your King is coming, Sitting on a donkey's colt." ¹⁶ His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things were written about Him and *that* they had done these things to Him. ¹⁷ Therefore the people, who were with Him when He called Lazarus out of his tomb and

raised him from the dead, bore witness. ¹⁸ For this reason the people also met Him, because they heard that He had done this sign. ¹⁹ The Pharisees therefore said among themselves, "You see that you are accomplishing nothing. Look, the world has gone after Him!"

THE AUTHORITY TO DIE

Jesus rides to death. He rides with authority to serve. He rides with symbols to salvation. He rides with power to reconcile.

(worksheet on page 23)



#162 "Ride On, Ride On, in Majesty"

by Henry H. Milman, 1791-1868

- I. Ride on, ride on, in majesty!Hark! all the tribes hosanna cry.O Savior meek, pursue Thy road,With palms and scattered garments strowed.
- 2. Ride on, ride on, in majesty!In lowly pomp ride on to die.o Christ, Thy triumphs now beginO'er captive death and conquered sin.
- 3. Ride on, ride on, in majesty!The angel armies of the skyLook down with sad and wondering eyesTo see the approaching Sacrifice.

4. Ride on, ride on, in majesty!

Thy last and fiercest strife is nigh;

The Father on His sapphire throne

Expects His own anointed Son.

5. Ride on, ride on, in majesty!In lowly pomp ride on to die.Bow Thy meek head to mortal pain.Then take, o Christ, Thy power and reign.

OFFERING 572:2

4. As Thy prospering hand hath blest, May we give Thee all our best And by deeds of kindly love For Thy mercies grateful prove, Singing thus through all our days Praise to God, immortal praise.

PRAYERS, THE LORD'S PRAYER

(prayers listed on page 20)

all 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

THE BENEDICTION

p The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.



#161 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

by Jeannette Threlfall, 1821-1880

- I. Hosanna, loud hosanna, The little children sang;
 Through 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.
- 2. From Olivet they followed Mid an exultant crowd, The victor palm-branch waving And chanting clear and loud. The Lord of men and angels Rode on in lowly state Nor scorned that little children Should on His bidding wait.
- 3. "Hosanna in the highest!" That ancient song we sing, For Christ is our Redeemer, The Lord of heaven our King. Oh, may we ever praise Him With heart and life and voice And in His blissful presence Eternally rejoice.

PRAYER LIST

Blaine Kempenaar

– diagnosed with cancer.

Linda Kozup

- back pain and infection.

Marsha Brown - recovering from surgery and in pain.

Gerogine Quade - has cancer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, April 2

9am Worship Service 10am Choir Practice 10am Sunday School 10:15am Bible Class

Tuesday, April 4

7pm School Board

Thursday, April 6

7pm Maundy Thursday Service

Friday, April 6

1:30pm Good Friday Service

Sunday, April 9

7am Sunrise Service 8am Easter Brunch 8am Easter Egg Hunt 9am Worship Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 6th 7pm Maundy Thursday Service

April 7th 1:30pm Good Friday Service
April 9th 7am Sunrise Service
April 9th 8am Easter Brunch
April 9th 8am Egg Hunt
April 9th 9am Easter Service
April 16th 3pm Installation of Andrew Schaller
May 12th Preschool Round-Up
May 21st Confirmation Sunday
June 4th Graduation and Church
Picnic

USHERS FOR APRIL

Benjamin Lillo, Mike Dumke, Bob Kirst, Kent Quade

Easter Early Service: Mike Dumke, Benjamin Lillo

Easter Late Service: Gary Brown, Ryan Krueger

COUNTERS

This Week Team #5 Steve Meilahn, Jim Kok Next Week Team #6

Bill Jenkins, Adam Frederick

FRUITS OF FAITH

Sunday Service - 92 Bible Class - 16 Sunday School - 5 General \$6365

Missions \$5430

Building \$25 In Memory:

\$300 Mildred Draeger – School \$300 Mildred Draeger – Stained Glass

\$200 Mildred Draeger – Kitchen \$200 Mildred Draeger – Missions \$350 Mildred Draeger – Faith Student Aid

EASTER LILIES

Signup sheet for Easter lilies is on the bulletin board. Lilies are \$15 apiece. The deadline is today.

ELNA KRUEGER

New Address: Cedarhurst #102 5601 Burke Road Madison WI 53718

EASTER BRUNCH

Easter brunch potluck starts at 8am. Sign up to bring food on the bulletin board. Men let Clay Bobek know if you can help out.

INSTALLATION IN FOND DU LAC

Luther Memorial would like to extend an invitation to your congregations to attend the installation of Pastor Andrew Schaller. Sunday April 16, 3:00 pm. A fellowship meal will be provided afterwards.

PRESCHOOL ROUND-UP

8-11am on Friday May 12th. Any child who will be 3-4 years old by September 9th, 2023.

FLOAT FOR JUNE DAIRY DAYS

If anyone is interested in helping to build the float for June Diary Days please talk to Pastor Ude.

OFFERING FOR SCHOOL TUITION

A few students here at Faith need some help paying their tuition. There is a basket in the back of the church for this purpose. We would like to raise about \$2,000.

CLC YOUTH CAMP 2023!

Camp will be held at the Pillager location this year from June 11-17th! Registration opens March 18th at 3pm CST for campers entering 6th-12th grade. More information can be found at https://youthcampclc.wixsite.com/camp Email youthcamp.clc@gmail.com with any questions!

MARCH MEETING NOTES

Available on the shelf under the bulletin board.

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS

Jer. 31:1–6 Psalm 16 Col. 3:1–4 Matt. 28:1–10

CALL NEWS

The dual parish of Redemption Lutheran of Lynnwood, WA and Ascension Lutheran of Tacoma, WA has called Pastor Chad Seybt of the quad parish of the CLC churches in Onalaska, Fairchild, Millston, and Melrose, WI.

Pastor Norman Greve has accepted the call to serve as vacancy pastor at Calvary Lutheran in Marquette, MI. That congregation is requesting a graduate from Immanuel Lutheran Seminary to be their pastor.

Mrs. Leah Ude of Eau Claire, WI has returned the call to be teacher at Peace Thru Christ Lutheran Church of Middleton, WI.

Pastor Luke Bernthal of St. Stephen Lutheran Church in Mountain View, CA is considering the call to serve as the third pastor at Messiah Lutheran Church, Eau Claire, WI.

Sermon Worksheet—John 12:12-19

When was the last time you or someone you know abused their authority for selfish reasons?

Of what did God warn Eve in the garden?

What attitude does Paul encourage in our Epistle?

What did the Palm branches mean to the Jews?

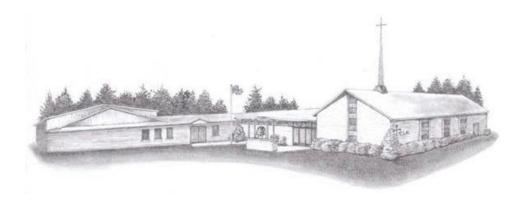
What did they mean to Jesus?

What title does Jesus claim by His ride into Jerusalem?

What meaning does the prophet give to the donkey?

What relationship did Jesus have with Jerusalem?

What kind of king is Jesus?



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