



**REND YOUR
HEART**

CLAIMING THE PROMISE

Resurrection
LUTHERAN CHURCH



The One Who Comes

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

- March 28, 2021 -

Sunday Morning Worship Schedule

10:00 am– Worship Service

The palms for this morning's service are lovingly given by Betty Markholt in the memory and honor of her late husband John Markholt.

WHAT TO EXPECT

- ◆ **We are asking you to wear face coverings.** All employees, members and visitors in attendance are asked to wear face coverings at all times in the building.
- ◆ **The double doors in the lower lot will be our only access point.**
- ◆ **There will be no sharing of the peace before service or receiving line after church to maximize social distancing.**
- ◆ **Please do not attend church or other church activities if you have a respiratory illness or feel like they are coming down with one for at least 14 days after your full recovery.** Family members should not attend either.
- ◆ **Offering collection: We will not be passing the collection plate during the offertory.** Please either drop your offering in the collection plates by the door or give online. Alternatively, you may mail a check to the church office.
- ◆ **Communion will be coming in prepackaged hosts and cups, of both wine and grape juice. We are planning on having communion only 2 times a month (1st and 3rd Sundays.)** Pastor will consecrate the communion elements during the service and we will commune together in the service at the designated time for communion. There will be a receptacle at the door for disposing the supplies upon leaving the sanctuary.
- ◆ **There will be an elder checking people in for service.** If an outbreak occurs, this information will allow us to have a way to contact individuals that may have been exposed which may be critical to help save lives.
- ◆ **When you pick up your service elements we will have a recommended temperature check.**
- ◆ **Remember to layer up as the windows will be open and the fans will be on to help with air circulation.**

**March 28, 2021
10:00 am Service
Palm Sunday**

PRELUDE

"Fanfare on All Glory, Laud and Honor" ... Kishline

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP & INVOCATION

P: O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good! God's steadfast love endures forever!

C: **Hosanna! Hosanna in the Highest! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.**

P: The Lord is our God, and has given us light; Great is our God!

C: **Hosanna to the Son of David! Hosanna! We rejoice because God's steadfast love endures forever!**

P: Enduring in him and his love we worship this morning in the name of the Father, Son, + and Holy Spirit!

C: **Hosanna! Amen!**

OPENING HYMN

"All Glory, Laud, and Honor" LSB 442 verses 1, 3-5

Refrain

All glory, laud, and honor
To You, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children
Made sweet hosannas ring.

You are the King of Israel
And David's royal Son,
Now in the Lord's Name coming,
Our King and Blessèd One.

Refrain

The multitude of pilgrims
With palms before You went:
Our praise and prayers and anthems
Before You we present.

Refrain

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All glory, laud, and honor
To You, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children
Made sweet hosannas ring.

To you before Your passion
They sang their hymns of praise;
To You, now high exalted,
Our melody we raise.

Refrain

As You received their praises,
Accept the prayers we bring,
O Source of ev'ry blessing,
Our good and gracious King.

Refrain

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: The King is coming! Our God arrives, clothed in frail human flesh, riding a meek donkey's foal. This is not the first time You have come to us, O God. The history of human affairs is the history of Your arrival among us: as Creator, Purpose-Giver, Liberator, Prophet's Voice and Priest's Desire. The story of each of our lives is the story of Your coming to us: as Comforter, Friend, Example, Challenger, Abundant-Life-Provider, And so we praise You! Open our eyes to Your Presence, Lord; Come to us again, Lord; Hosanna – Save us again, Lord! And be glorified among us. For You are our God!

C: Amen!

ORDER OF CONFESSION & FORGIVENESS

P: Patient God,

C: We confess that we love a parade. We are very happy to see banners waving and hear people shouting their praises. Our hearts thrill to the spectacle. But we fail to see the sadness on the face of the Savior; our shouts block out His sorrow. He comes to us as King, and we expect that royal treatment will follow. We do not and cannot believe that in a few days we will be among those who will turn our backs and run from His presence. How fickle we are, O Lord. Yet You continually forgive us and call us to turn our lives around--to see the needs of others, to reach out in trust and faith, to be willing to witness to Your good news of saving love. Heal our hearts and give us courage for the days ahead; for we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen.

(Silence for reflection and self-examination)

P: Laying aside judgment, God offers us redemption; setting aside anger, God embraces us with love; letting go of grief, God pours living water upon us. This is the good news, my friends: Steadfast love and forgiveness endure forever in the name of the Father, Son, + and Holy Spirit!

**C: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is the One who brings us the kingdom of God!
Amen!**

SCRIPTURE READINGS

First Reading: Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

INSTRUMENTAL HYMN

“Meditation of Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” ... *Kishline*

GOSPEL READING

Gospel Reading: Mark 11:1-11

L: This is the Gospel of our Lord.

C: Praise to You, O Christ.

PALM SUNDAY: CALL OF ALLEGIANCE

C: Lord Jesus Christ, whose greatest moments of triumph happen on the back of a donkey's foal and nailed to a bloody cross, we gather to prepare the way for You in our lives and in our world.

There are so many people and things that call for our allegiance so many kings seeking to rule over us. But, You ride into our experience as another kind of King a serving, humble and challenging King who calls us not to slavery, but friendship.

There are so many things that seek our energy and resources for their own sakes so many kingdoms seeking our souls for their own glory. But, You ride into our experience heralding another kind of Kingdom. A Kingdom where the least are the greatest, where the meek inherit the earth and where children are the best example of citizenship. A Kingdom which seeks to bring life, not drain it.

There are so many things that draw our attention. So many realities that seek our faith and assent. But, You ride into our experience revealing another kind of reality a reality where death does not have the last word. A reality where pride, selfishness and evil are defeated by love and self-giving, a reality which does not parade itself for all to see, but fills every moment, every situation and everything with life, while waiting for us to discover it.

And so, we cry, from our hearts Hosanna, Save us.
Blessed is He Who comes in the Name of the Lord.
Amen.

SERMON HYMN

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” LSB 443

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.

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.
Oh, may we ever praise Him
With heart and life and voice
And in His blissful presence
Eternally rejoice!

SERMON

The One Who Comes

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Pastor Matthew Mantey

REFLECTIVE MUSIC

*You can mail an offering or donate via the
"Give to RLC" button at resurrection-lcms.org*

PRAISE SONGS

“Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)”

Praise is rising
Eyes are turning to You
We turn to You
Hope is stirring
Hearts are yearning for You
We long for You

Pre-Chorus

‘Cause when we see You
We find strength to face the day
And in Your presence
All our fears are washed away
Washed away

Chorus

**Hosanna hosanna
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Hosanna hosanna
Come have Your way among us
We welcome You here Lord Jesus**

Hear the sound of
Hearts returning to You
We turn to You
In Your Kingdom
Broken lives are made new
You make us new

Pre-Chorus

Chorus

Pre-Chorus (2x)

Chorus

“Hosanna (Ligertwood)”

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

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

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Chorus 1
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

Chorus 1

Bridge

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

Chorus 2
Hosanna, hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna, hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna in the highest

PRAYERS & LORD'S PRAYER

P: Let us pray for the whole people of God in Christ Jesus and for all people according to their needs.

(After each portion of the prayers)

P: Lord, in Your mercy,
C: hear our prayer.

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.

BENEDICTION

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you.
The Lord look upon you with favor and + give you peace.

C: Amen!

CLOSING SONG

“Hosanna (Tuttle)”

Hosanna, Hosanna,
Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna, Hosanna,
Hosanna in the highest!

Chorus 1

**Lord we lift up Your name
With hearts full of praise
Be exalted Oh Lord my God
Hosanna in the highest**

Glory, Glory,
Glory to the King of Kings!
Glory, Glory,
Glory to the King of Kings!

Chorus 1

Hosanna, Hosanna,
Hosanna in the highest!
Hosanna, Hosanna,
Hosanna in the highest!

Chorus 2

**Lord we lift up Your name
With hearts full of praise
Be exalted Oh Lord my God
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna in the highest**

POSTLUDE

“Finale” ... *Gilbert Martin*

SERVING IN WORSHIP

Pastor:	Matthew Mantey
A/V Techs:	Dale & Suzy Lindeke
Elder:	Joe Thomas
Organist:	Carl Kishline
Reader:	Suzy Lindeke
Worship Team:	Chris Linderman

In Our Prayers:

- **We pray O Lord, for those who feel rejected and thrown away by hurtful people and by this world.** May you as the rejected cornerstone comfort them and may we be the ones to share your comfort with them.
- **Dear Father, we present before You those who are families of the victims of shooting in Colorado.** We ask that You touch their hearts. Lord, heal their brokenness and help them not to think and reflect on the violence, but help them to turn towards peace in their hearts. So, heavenly Father, for every shooting victim, we ask that You will bless them and keep them; make Your face shine upon them and be gracious to them; Father turn your face towards them and give them peace in the midst of turmoil.
- **You entered Jerusalem on a donkey, not a war horse.** Fill all places of violence with your peace. Protect and bless those who stand in harm's way. Bring them safely home to their loved ones.
- **You entered Jerusalem as the Prince of Peace.** Fill the leaders of the nations with a hunger for peace, a thirst for justice, and a love for the people entrusted to their care. Teach us all to do your will and to long for the day when you return in glory as King of Kings and Lord of Lords.
- **You were greeted with joy as you entered the Holy City. Fill with joy the hearts of all who suffer in mind, body, or spirit.** Turn their sorrow into joy; their suffering into health; and their cries for help into shouts of praise.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

What's Coming Up-Easter at 8 and 10:30 AM Next Week!

We will celebrate Easter by starting a new series called, "Living the Resurrection." We will see that on Easter there no expression of joy that is over the top and no exercise of new life that can be shut down on Easter! Join us next Sunday by reservation in person or on Facebook @ <https://www.facebook.com/rldesmoineswa> at 8 or 10:30am to celebrate along with us that He Is Risen! And just as a final note the reason we are asking for you to RSVP is so that we have an accurate count for logistical and planning purposes. Thank you!

Holy Week Good Friday Service—April 2nd at 7 PM-Please RSVP

This service will combine the altar stripping of Maundy Thursday with the Tenebrae Good Friday Service. With not being able to have this service in person last year we look forward to seeing you for this powerful evening. Please RSVP for this service so we have an accurate count for logistical purposes.

Next Quarters Portals of Prayer are Available!

Please pick up this great devotional tool as you are able to over the next few weeks. If you are shut-in and would like a copy please let the office know.

No Zoom Bible Study the Next 2 Weeks

We will be taking a break from Zoom Bible Study for the next two weeks. Join us when we get back on April 14th at 7 PM.

Opening Hands Opportunity—Collecting Food Donations for the Food Bank

To help support the Food Bank in multiple ways we have decided to do a collection now through April to help support those in need. Thank you so much for your support!

Most Needed Food Items

Healthy Options, Low Sodium Soup, Pasta, Canned Corn, Fruit Cups, Cereal, 100% Fruit Juice Boxes

Most Needed Non-Food Items

Paper Bags - Clean and Untorn, Toilet Paper, Diapers (Size 4, 5, 6), Soap, Laundry Detergent, Pet Food

Opening Hands Opportunity-CARDSTOCK 2 IS HERE!-Please Have Your Cards Back in By Easter Sunday!

Please grab some cards from the table in the lobby and write some cards to residents of senior living facilities in our community! Also, if you are out at the store and see a small pack of Easter Cards pick them up and we will distribute blank cards to our sister Joan at Solstice so residents can write cards to their loved ones.

Office Hours: By Appointment Monday-Thursday 9am-2pm
Email: secretary@resurrection-lcms.org