



COVER ARTWORK

Entry into Jerusalem (Fragment)

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HOW DID YOU FIND OUT ABOUT COVENANT?

Order of Worship

for March 24, 2024

Prelude

Call to Worship

From 1 Corinthians 15

LEADER: To all who are weary and need rest,

To all who mourn and long for comfort,

To all who feel worthless and wonder if God cares,

To all who fail and desire strength,

To all who sin and need a Savior,

This church opens wide her doors with a welcome from Jesus Christ, the

Ally of his enemies, the Defender of the guilty, the Justifier of the

inexcusable, the Friend of sinners. Welcome!

ALL: LORD, come and be with us today!

Prayer of Adoration

Hymn

Hosanna

Brooke Ligertwood

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Membership Vows

Megan Gibson

» *Children in 1st-5th grade are released to their classroom*

Pastoral Prayer

Reading of the Law

LEADER: Hear the words of Jesus Christ:

Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. If anyone serves me, he must follow me; and where I am, there will my servant be also.

Confession of God's People

ALL: Lord, I pray you heartily to look upon me with the eyes of your mercy, as you did look upon the evildoer, who was hanged upon the cross beside you, and did open his heart that he confessed his sins; and he was mightily afraid of them, but yet despaired not, but confessed and desired your grace and mercy which you gave to him willing and plentifully.

Therefore, dear God and merciful Father, will I strengthen myself more and more, and doubt nothing of you. Amen.

» Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of God's Pardon From Zechariah 9

LEADER: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the war horse from Jerusalem; and the battle bow shall be cut off, and he shall speak peace to the nations; his rule shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth. As for you also, because of the blood of my covenant with you, I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit.

Confession of Faith From the Apostles' Creed

LEADER: Christian, what do you believe?

**ALL: We believe in God, the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.**

**And 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 to hell.**

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended to 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.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Greeting of Peace of Christ

Song of Praise

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

Tithes & Offerings

Hymn

Jerusalem

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Scripture Reading: John 12:12-19

12The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. **13**So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, “Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!” **14**And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written,

15“Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey’s colt!”

16His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. **17**The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. **18**The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. **19**So the Pharisees said to one another, “You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him.”

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READER: The Word of the Lord **ALL: Thanks be to God!**

“Come Adore the Humble King”

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The Lord’s Supper

LEADER: What is the hope of the Church?

PEOPLE: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again!

Hymn

Come Adore the Humble King (Covenant Version)

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Benediction From Numbers 6:24-26

The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make his face to shine upon you
And be gracious to you;
The Lord lift up his countenance upon you
And give you peace.

PASTOR: Go love your God! **ALL: Go love your neighbor!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

College Lunch

If you're an EKU student, we are glad you're here! We want to invite you to our college lunch this Sunday immediately after the service at Mi Pueblo. Come enjoy some tacos on us! (March 24th)

Easter

Our Easter service will be at 10 am on March 31st. Following the service, we will have a potluck and Easter egg hunt for children.

Volunteer For Easter

We need 6 volunteers to serve in childcare for Easter Sunday. If you would like to be a greeter or a scripture reader we also need volunteers for that as well. If you are interested please see the sign-up sheet on the resource table.

Maundy Thursday Service

We are partnering with Immanuel Baptist Church and Lighthouse Church for a combined Holy Week service on Maundy Thursday (March 28th). The service will be at 6:30pm here at Madison Middle School.



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