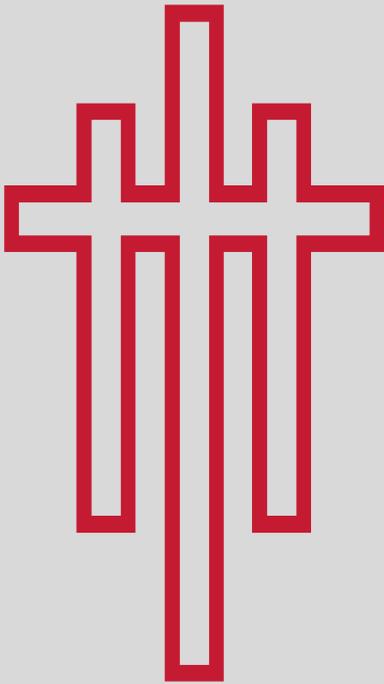


CALVARY LUTHERAN CHAPEL

UW-Madison

Sunday, April 5, 2020
Palm Sunday



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AS WE GATHER

Palm Sunday begins with unbridled joy as we recall how Jesus entered Jerusalem riding on a donkey, while being acclaimed by the crowds with loud shouts of “Hosanna” and boisterous waving of palm branches. So today we begin with songs of praise and waving of palm branches as we hail Jesus as the One worthy of all glory, laud, and honor. But then the solemnness of Holy Week also begins. With a time of silence, the service shifts our focus to Jesus’ path to the cross. As foretold by prophets long ago, Jesus was stricken and afflicted, beaten and spit upon, crucified, and He died. He did this out of divine love for all of humanity, taking on Himself the sins of all people for our forgiveness. Today’s worship reflects the pattern of our lives. At times we experience unbridled joy and celebration. And then, sometimes in the next moment, we experience heartbreaking suffering. Jesus is there with us—in the joyful celebrations, in the heartbreak and suffering. He alone can transform it all into deeper love for God and neighbor. The hour of Jesus’ death on the cross is the hour of our life and salvation.

**Prayer Requests:*

We invite you to share any prayer requests you have by filling out the Prayer Request Card in front of you. The ushers will collect them during the Song of the Day so the pastor can include them in our prayers today.

WELCOME

OPENING HYMN “All Glory, Laud and Honor” (LSB 442)

Refrain

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

Verse 1

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

(Refrain)

Verse 2

The company of angels
Is praising You on high,
And we with all creation
In chorus make reply.

(Refrain)

Verse 3

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

(Congregation Stands)

GREETING

Pastor: The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People: Amen.

Pastor: Hosanna to the Son of David!

People: Hosanna in the highest!

Pastor: Blessed is He who comes,

People: who comes in the name of the Lord.

(Refrain)

Verse 4

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

(Refrain)

Verse 5

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

(Refrain)

Lutheran Book of Worship: Select Hymns, 1985 (Setting)

Pastor: Hosanna!
People: **Hosanna in the highest!**

BLESSING OF PALMS

Pastor: We praise You, God, for redeeming the world through our Savior Jesus Christ. Today we remember that He entered the holy city in triumph and was proclaimed Messiah and King by those who spread garments and palm branches along His way.

Bless these palm branches and those who carry them. Grant us grace to follow our Lord in the way of the cross, so that, joined to His death and resurrection, we may enter into life with You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen.**

(A time of silence)

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

Pastor: Let us then confess our sins to God our Father.

People: **Most merciful God, we confess that we are by nature sinful and unclean. We have sinned against You in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved You with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We justly deserve Your present and eternal punishment. For the sake of Your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in Your will and walk in Your ways to the glory of Your holy name. Amen.**

Pastor: Almighty God in His mercy has given His Son to die for you and for His sake forgives you all your sins. As a called and ordained servant of Christ, and by His authority, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit. *[John 20:19-23]*

People: **Amen.**

(Congregation Seated)

HYMN "Jesus, I Will Ponder Now" (LSB 440)

Verse 1

Jesus, I will ponder now
On Your holy passion;
With Your Spirit me endow
For such meditation.
Grant that I in love and faith
May the image cherish
Of Your suffering, pain, and death
That I may not perish.

Verse 2

Make me see Your great distress,
Anguish, and affliction,
Bonds and stripes and wretchedness
And Your crucifixion:
Make me see how scourge and rod,
Spear and nails did wound You,
How for them You died, O God,
Who with thorns had crowned You.

Verse 3

Yet, O Lord, not thus alone
Make me see Your passion,
But its cause to me make known
And its termination.
Ah! I also and my sin
Wrought Your deep affliction;
This indeed the cause has been
Of Your crucifixion.

Verse 4

Grant that I Your passion view
With repentant grieving,
Let me not bring shame to You
By unholy living.
How could I refuse to shun
Ev'ry sinful pleasure
Since for me God's only Son
Suffered without measure?

Verse 5

If my sins give me alarm
And my conscience grieve me,
Let Your cross my fear disarm;
Peace of conscience give me.
Help me see forgiveness won
By Your holy passion.
If for me He slays His Son,
God must have compassion!

Verse 6

Graciously my faith renew;
Help me bear my crosses,
Learning humbleness from You,
Peace mid pain and losses.
May I give You love for love!
Hear me, O my Savior,
That I may in heav'n above
Sing Your praise forever.

Lutheran Book of Worship, 1978 (Setting)

SALUTATION

Pastor: The Lord be with you.
People: And also with you.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: 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.

People: Amen.

FIRST READING *Is. 50:4–9a*

⁴The Lord GOD has given me the tongue of those who are taught, that I may know how to sustain with a word him who is weary. Morning by morning he awakens; he awakens my ear to hear as those who are taught. ⁵The Lord GOD has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious; I turned not backward. ⁶I gave my back to those who strike, and my cheeks to those who pull out the beard; I hid not my face from disgrace and spitting. ⁷But the Lord GOD helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like a flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame. ⁸He who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who is my adversary? Let him come near to me. ⁹Behold, the Lord GOD helps me; who will declare me guilty?

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

PSALM *Psalms 31:9–16; antiphon: v. 5*

Pastor: Be gracious to me, O Lord, for I am in distress; my eye is wasted from grief; my soul and my body also.

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: For my life is spent with sorrow, and my years with sighing; my strength fails because of my iniquity, and my bones waste away.

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: Because of all my adversaries I have become a reproach, especially to my neighbors, and an object of dread to my acquaintances; those who see me in the street flee from me.

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: I have been forgotten like one who is dead; I have become like a broken vessel.

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: For I hear the whispering of many—terror on every side!—as they scheme together against me, as they plot to take my life.

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: But I trust in you, O Lord; I say, “You are my God.”

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: My times are in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies and from my persecutors!

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

Pastor: Make your face shine on your servant; save me in your steadfast love!

People: Into your hand I commit my spirit; you have redeemed me, O Lord, faithful God.

GRADUAL *Hebrews 9:12a, c, 15a; Psalm 111:9a*

Pastor: Christ entered once for all into the holy places, by means of His own blood,

People: thus securing an eternal redemption.

Pastor: Therefore He is the mediator of a new covenant,

People: so that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance.

Pastor: He sent redemption to His people;

People: He has commanded His covenant forever.

EPISTLE *Philippians 2:5–11*

⁵Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, ⁶who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, ⁷but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. ⁸And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. ⁹Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

VERSE *Philippians 2:8b*

Pastor: He humbled Himself by becoming obedient to the point of death,

People: **even death on a cross.**

(Congregation Stands)

HOLY GOSPEL *John 12:20–43*

Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twelfth chapter.

People: **Glory to You, O Lord.**

²⁰ Now among those who went up to worship at the feast were some Greeks. ²¹ So these came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and asked him, “Sir, we wish to see Jesus.” ²² Philip went and told Andrew; Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. ²³ And Jesus answered them, “The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴ 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. ²⁵ Whoever loves his life loses it, and whoever hates his life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ If anyone serves me, he must follow me; and where I am, there will my servant be also. If anyone serves me, the Father will honor him. ²⁷ “Now is my soul troubled. And what shall I say? ‘Father, save me from this hour’? But for this purpose I have come to this hour. ²⁸ Father, glorify your name.” Then a voice came from heaven: “I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.” ²⁹ The crowd that stood there and heard it said that it had thundered. Others said, “An angel has spoken to him.” ³⁰ Jesus answered, “This voice has come for your sake, not mine. ³¹ Now is the judgment of this world; now will the ruler of this world be cast out. ³² And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.” ³³ He said this to show by what kind of death he was going to die. ³⁴ So the crowd answered him, “We have heard from the Law that the Christ remains forever. How can you say that the Son of Man must be lifted up? Who is this Son of Man?” ³⁵ So Jesus said to them, “The light is among you for a little while longer. Walk while you have the light, lest darkness overtake you. The one who walks in the darkness does not know where he is going. ³⁶ While you have the light, believe in the light, that you may become sons of light.” When Jesus had said these things, he departed and hid himself from them. ³⁷ Though he had done so many signs before them, they still did not believe in him, ³⁸ so that the word spoken by the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled: “Lord, who has believed what he heard from us, and to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?” ³⁹ Therefore they could not believe. For again Isaiah said, ⁴⁰ “He has blinded their eyes and hardened their heart, lest they see with their eyes, and understand with their heart, and turn, and I would heal them.” ⁴¹ Isaiah said these things because he saw his glory and spoke of him. ⁴² Nevertheless, many even of the authorities believed in him, but for fear of the Pharisees they did not confess it, so that they would not be put out of the synagogue; ⁴³ for they loved the glory that comes from man more than the glory that comes from God.

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

(Congregation Seated)

SONG OF THE DAY

"Only King Forever"

Verse 1

Our God and firm foundation
Our Rock the only solid ground
The nations rise and fall
Kingdoms once strong now shaken
We trust forever in Your name
The name of Jesus
We trust in the name of Jesus

(Chorus)

Bridge

We lift our banner high
We lift the name of Jesus
From age to age You reign
Your kingdom has no end
(REPEAT)

Chorus

You are the only King forever
Almighty God we lift You higher
You are the only King forever
Forevermore You are victorious
(REPEAT)

(Chorus)

Verse 2

Unmatched in all Your wisdom
In love and justice You will reign
And ev'ry knee will bow
We bring our expectations
Our hope is anchored in Your name
The name of Jesus
Oh we trust the name of Jesus

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SERMON

"He Emptied Himself"

Pastor Dan

(Congregation Stands)

CREED

Nicene Creed

People:

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of His Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made; who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried. And the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures and ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of the Father. And He will come again with glory to judge both the living and the dead, whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church, I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins, and I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

Pastor: Having set out with Jesus, our Lord, on His journey to Jerusalem, let us bring our prayers to God in humility and love.

Silence for reflection

Pastor: For the renewal of the Church in the coming holy days; for those preparing for Baptism, that they come to the waters of Baptism with joy; for all missionaries of the Church; for pastors, teachers, and all the people, Lord in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: For leaders throughout the world, that they seek the well-being of the poor, practice good stewardship of creation, and work for peace and freedom for all; for refugees and those who provide hospitality, safety, and sustenance to victims of wars; for those who serve in harm's way, and for our enemies; Lord in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: For the sick, the suffering, and dying, [*especially* . . .], that they find hope in their despair, patience in their suffering, and healing according to God's will; for those who mourn, that they find comfort in the death and resurrection of Jesus, Lord in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: For newcomers to our congregation, that they find a warm welcome among God's people; for the families of this congregation, that we care for one another with the mind of Christ; for the safety of all who travel, Lord in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: For this Christian assembly, that our eating and drinking in remembrance of Jesus fill us with faith, gratitude, and love for our brothers and sisters, Lord in Your mercy,

People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: For the faithful departed, we give thanks. For us who still walk by faith, that we remain faithful until that day when every knee shall bow and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, Lord in Your mercy,
People: hear our prayer.

Pastor: Hear our prayer, Lord God. Transform our hearts and minds during this Holy Week to be more like the heart and mind of Christ, in whose name we pray.
People: Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER *Matthew 6:9–13*

People: 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.

PAX DOMINI

Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.
People: Amen.

BENEDICTION *Hebrews 12:2*

Pastor: Let your eyes be fixed on Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.

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. *Numbers 6:24–26*

People: Amen.

(Congregation Seated)

CLOSING HYMN "Go to Dark Gethsemane" (LSB 436)

Verse 1

Go to dark Gethsemane,
All who feel the tempter's pow'r;
Your Redeemer's conflict see,
Watch with Him one bitter hour;
Turn not from His griefs away;
Learn from Jesus Christ to pray.

Verse 2

Follow to the judgment hall,
View the Lord of life arraigned;
Oh, the wormwood and the gall!
Oh, the pangs His soul sustained!
Shun not suff'ring, shame or loss;
Learn from Him to bear the cross.

Verse 3

Calv'ry's mournful mountain climb;
There, adoring at His feet,
Mark that miracle of time,
God's own sacrifice complete.
"It is finished!" hear Him cry;
Learn from Jesus Christ to die.

Verse 4

Early hasten to the tomb
Where they laid His breathless clay;
All is solitude and gloom.
Who has taken Him away?
Christ is ris'n! He meets our eyes.
Savior, teach us so to rise.

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+ TO GOD ALONE BE ALL GLORY +

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Calvary News & Notes

{For Calvary Calendar of Events visit www.calvarymadison.org}

UPCOMING EVENTS & INFO:

UPCOMING CALVARY ONLINE EVENTS

All Events, Services and Meetings will be held online through Zoom.

The following is our online schedule:

Lectionary Bible Study with PD (Weekly) - Sundays 9:30am & Tuesdays @ Noon

Log in and participate in a study of the readings in preparation for the upcoming Sunday Worship service. This study will help us to understand, in greater depth, the theme for the weekly worship services. You can choose between Sunday or Tuesday, as both Bible Studies will be the same. Use the links below to join!

Tuesday: <https://zoom.us/j/975025715>

Sunday: <https://zoom.us/j/922301795>

Calvary Connection Groups (Weekly)

Pick any group based on your schedule and join them for a time of discussion on the Book of Proverbs, Fellowship, and Prayer. Use the links below to join!

Group (Abby) Sundays @ 12:30pm <https://zoom.us/j/232392501>

Group (Emily/Jonah) Sundays @ 4pm <https://zoom.us/j/468914889>

Group (Brandon/Anna) Wednesdays @ 5:30pm <https://zoom.us/j/701000689>

Theology Night (with Andrew Stowe) - Thursday, April 16th @ 7pm

In a crash course on Christian apologetics, we will discuss how to defend our faith against common objections and accusations. We will talk about philosophical arguments for the existence of God, the historical reasons we can trust the gospels, and popular cultural issues that challenge our faith. Please join us for this time of learning and fellowship. Click the link to join!

<https://zoom.us/j/595588063>

Brunch & Bible - Saturday April 26th @ 9am

Grab yourself some breakfast food and join PD & Calvary Connection Groups for a discussion on the Book of Proverbs. All are welcome! Click the link to join!

<https://zoom.us/j/571486095>

Calvary & IFC Offices are closed through April 30th or until further notice.

Calvary will continue to monitor and adhere to local, state and federal guidelines and will keep you up-to-date on any schedule changes.

HOLY COMMUNION

PD will now be available at Calvary each week on Wednesdays from noon until 5pm for anyone who would like to receive personal prayers, an encouragement from Scripture and Holy Communion. If you need to schedule a specific day and time due to other obligations, please feel free to contact him (dan@calvarymadison.org) to set that up.

PASTORAL SUPPORT

PD will still be available for any pastoral support as needed. If you need anything, please contact PD (dan@calvarymadison.org) (608-215-9526)

CALVARY IS LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS NEXT YEAR

Anyone who is interested in serving on the BOD next year, and is either an associate or full member of Calvary, please contact Kirsten Koehler (kkoehler3@wisc.edu).

CALVARY IS LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE LEADERSHIP TEAM NEXT YEAR

Calvary is looking for people to be on the Leadership Team (which is also our student org/Calvary Lutheran Student Fellowship). The LT helps to plan, promote and execute Calvary's various events throughout the school year. If you are interested in joining (you do not need to be a member of Calvary) please contact Pastor Dan (dan@calvarymadison.org).

CALVARY'S ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

The Congregational Meeting is scheduled for May 10th. Details to come.

STATE STREET COMMUNITY MEALS

Are you interested in preparing & distributing meals to the State Street Community? If the answer is yes, please follow the link and sign up!

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Qfh3tlhZHcrWtGxYYeL2wQ7ej8hTv9Rg/edit#>

Meals will be distributed on Friday Evenings. Dates will be announced as we move forward.

CALVARY IS LOOKING FOR ONE MALE HOUSE FELLOW FOR FALL 2020

Contact PD for more info.

BLESS CALVARY WHEN YOU SHOP!

Calvary can be a beneficiary of Amazon Smile, which is an offshoot of Amazon that gives a portion of each purchase to a designated beneficiary. You can make Calvary a beneficiary by shopping on smile.amazon.com. Calvary can be selected for the recipient of the donations. This is a great way for Calvary to generate a little more in revenues each year. Every little bit helps!

MOUNT OLIVE DAY SCHOOL IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS IN THE FALL!

Calvary Chapel has been asked to help get the word out for Mount Olive Church in Madison, WI. They are set to open a new Day School in the Fall of 2020 and will be placing a call for a teacher/administrator soon. They will also be looking for volunteers to help out. Here is the link to their new website: <https://molc.us/school>

Anyone who is interested in helping may contact Brant Kasbohm: bkasbohm@hotmail.com
608-347-3524

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK...

- Joe Heise
- John Overshiner
- Josh Noone
- Sierra Sexton
- Mike Battles
- Coronavirus
- Jews for Jesus – That they would be aligned with God's purposes for this time.
- Ryan Taber's mom (Cindy Taber) – Healthcare worker in COVID-19 unit. Pray for safety/protection/health.
- Kristen (IFC Volunteer) – Healing from fever.
- Colleen (Works at Oakwood Village West where there are 2 cases of COVID-19) Pray for safety/protection/health.