



first community

March 29, 2026

9 am NORTH

PALM SUNDAY

GREETING – Janelle

SONGS – Common Grace

*Better Than Life*

*Hosanna*

WELCOME – Glen

SAMPLE “Holy Week is a journey we’re not meant to walk alone. In this video, you’ll hear an invitation into the story we are about to enter together—the story of love, sacrifice, and resurrection. As you go today, we invite you to take a postcard and share that invitation with someone in your life. The QR code will guide them to everything they need to know—and help them take a step into this story with us.

Let’s watch.”

PLAY HOLY WEEK PROMO VIDEO

**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS – Glen**

Shawn Dodson

Hilary Dodson

Kris Horton

**PRAYER SONG- Cherub Choir**

*Sing a Little Song of Praise* Douglas Wagner

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE**

**LORD'S PRAYER – John**

**OFFERTORY**

**Invitation to Dream – John**

**Receiving the People's Gifts**

**Offertory – Common Grace**

*Hosanna in the Highest*

**Prayer of Thanks- John**

**SCRIPTURE READING - John**

**Matthew 21: 1-11**

When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, <sup>2</sup> saying to them, “Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately

you will find a donkey tied and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. <sup>3</sup> If anyone says anything to you, just say this, 'The Lord needs them.' And he will send them immediately." <sup>4</sup> This took place to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet:

<sup>5</sup> "Tell the daughter of Zion,  
Look, your king is coming to you,  
humble and mounted on a donkey,  
and on a colt, the foal of a donkey."

<sup>6</sup> The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; <sup>7</sup> they brought the donkey and the colt and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. <sup>8</sup> A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. <sup>9</sup> The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna in the highest heaven!"

<sup>10</sup> When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, "Who is this?" <sup>11</sup> The crowds were saying, "This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee."

## SERMON – Glen

*Shaken*

INVITATION TO CANDLE  
LIGHTING - John

CLOSING SONG – Common Grace  
*Were You There*

CLOSING WORDS– John