

# *Palm Sunday*

## *The Sixth Sunday in Lent* ☪

### *Membership Sunday*

March 20, 2016

Color: Red

*Palm Sunday is a reminder of the triumphal entry of Christ into the city of Jerusalem, which marks the beginning of the week of Passion.*

**PRELUDE:** *Come and enter the presence of God and prepare yourself for worship. Join us in enjoying God's presence as Jayne Thompson and our worship team leads us in songs of praise.*

#### **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*Please join in singing with our worship team as we prepare our hearts for today's service.*

 **OPENING SONGS OF WORSHIP:** "Blessed Be Your Name"

#### *The Processional and Illumination*

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP:** (responsively)

*Leader: Today, we await Him who comes in the name of the Lord.*


**People: Hosanna, Hosanna in the Highest.**

*Leader: He could have come riding gloriously on the wings of angels; but He chose to come to us on a donkey's back.*

**People: We greet our humble King with palms of Praise.**

*Leader: Praise be to God for Jesus-mighty Counselor and Prince of Peace.*

**People: Come let us worship God!**

 **SONGS OF WORSHIP:** "Hosanna"; "Glorify Thy Name"

**PRAYER of INVOCATION:**

*Pastor Cal*

#### **OUR GIFTS TO GOD ARE CALLED FORTH**


*Invitation*

*Offerings to God*

**Offertory: Choir Anthem:** "Sing We Hosanna" By: Patrick Liebergen; Triangle and block played by: Chris & Nick Lamb

 *Doxology*

#95

 *Prayer of Dedication*

#### **BLESSING OF THE PALMS**

#### **PARADE OF THE PALMS**

 **HYMN:** "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

**HYMN #280**

*Please join in with the children as we celebrate the arrival of Christ in the city of Jerusalem in our Parade of the Palms.*

#### **CHILDREN'S PRAYER**

#### **MEMBERSHIP COVENANT**

#### **PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER**

*Pastor: The Lord is with you.*

**Congregation: And also with you.**

*Pastor: Lord have mercy.*

**Congregation: Christ have mercy.**

*Pastor: Let us pray.*

#### **SCRIPTURE:**

Old Testament Lesson: Zechariah 9:9

*Pew Bible 824*

New Testament Lesson: Luke 19:29-44

*Pew Bible 913*

*Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.*


**Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

 *GLORIA PATRI:*

*HYMN #71*

*MEDITATION: "The Time of God's Coming"*

*Pastor Cal*

 *CLOSING HYMN: "Blessed Assurance"*

*HYMN #369*

*THE RECESSIONAL  
BENEDICTION  
POSTLUDE*

 All who are able please join together as we stand as one.

Thank you for turning off your cell phones and bringing only water into the sanctuary☺

**March 20, 2016 Worship Leaders**

Greeters: Scott & Heather Nasiatka

Ushers: John & James Joslin

Co-Leader: Robert Duval

**March 27, 2016 Worship Leaders**

Greeters: Chuck & Coarol Schrawder

Ushers: Mark & Cindy Landanno

Co-Leader: Merrily Stone

Pastor: F. Calvin Miller

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