

# First Presbyterian Church

Service for the Lord's Day  
Palm Sunday

April 14, 2019

10:00 a.m.

## ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude "Fantasy on 'All Glory, Laud, and Honor'"

arr. Frackenpohl

\* Gospel Reading: Luke 19:28-40 (NT, p. 83)

\* Call to Worship

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

***Hosanna in the highest!***

Psalm 118:26-27

\* Processional Hymn 196 "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

*Ushers will collect prayer request cards from the center aisle.*

\* Call to Confession

\* Prayer of Confession

***O Lord, on this day you entered the beloved city that rejected you.***

***We confess that our wills are rebellious,***

***that our faith is often more show than substance,***

***that our hearts are in need of cleansing.***

***Have mercy on us, Son of David, Savior of our lives.***

***Help us to lay at your feet all that we have and all that we are,***

***trusting you to forgive what is sinful, to heal what is broken,***

***to welcome our praises, and to receive us as your own. Amen.***

\* Silent Prayer

\* Kyrie as directed by the song leader

***Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison, Kyrie eleison***

\* Assurance of Pardon

\* Passing of the Peace

*During Lent, we will refrain from singing alleluias.*

Welcome and Concerns of the Church

Special Music

"Hosanna, Blessed is He"

*Alleluia and Chapel Choirs*

Reeves

## PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Psalter: Isaiah 50:4-9(a) (OT, p.681)

A Time with Children

Anthem

"The Palms"

Faure

Second Lesson: Psalm 31 (OT, p. 505)

Sermon: "Brave Heart"

*Lenten sermon series: Stoking the Celtic Fire for Lent*

Rev. Carter

## RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

\* Hymn 198

"Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!"

\* Affirmation of Faith: Philippians 2:6-11

***Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God,***

***did not count equality with God as something to be exploited,***

***but emptied himself, taking the form of a servant.***

***Being found in human form, he humbled himself***

***and became obedient to the point of death - even death on a cross.***

***Therefore God also highly exalted him***

***and gave him the name that is above every name,***

***so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,***

***in heaven and on earth and under the earth,***

***and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,***

***to the glory of God the Father.***

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

Minute for One Great Hour of Sharing

Phil Muntzel

Offering

Offertory

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

arr. John Carter

\* Doxology (606)

\* Prayer of Dedication

**GO IN GOD'S NAME**

- \* Hymn 223 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"
- \* Charge and Benediction
- \* Congregational Amen (601)
- \* Postlude "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" arr. John Carter

*All are invited to remain seated to listen to the postlude.  
If you are leaving before it is finished, please do so quietly.*

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\* All who are able shall stand.

*The flowers this morning have been given by Barbara Mellander and Carole Grodack to the glory of God and in loving memory of their parents, Thomas and Marion Abraham.*

**PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE**

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|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| Pastor                            | Rev. William G. Carter |
| Coordinator of Children and Youth | Jana Schillinger       |
| Director of Music                 | Frank Jones            |
| Director of Children's Choirs     | Kay Ten Eyck           |
| Organist                          | Kay Ten Eyck           |
| Liturgist                         | Chris Norton           |
| Greeters                          | John Conklin           |
| Ushers                            | Drew Taylor            |

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