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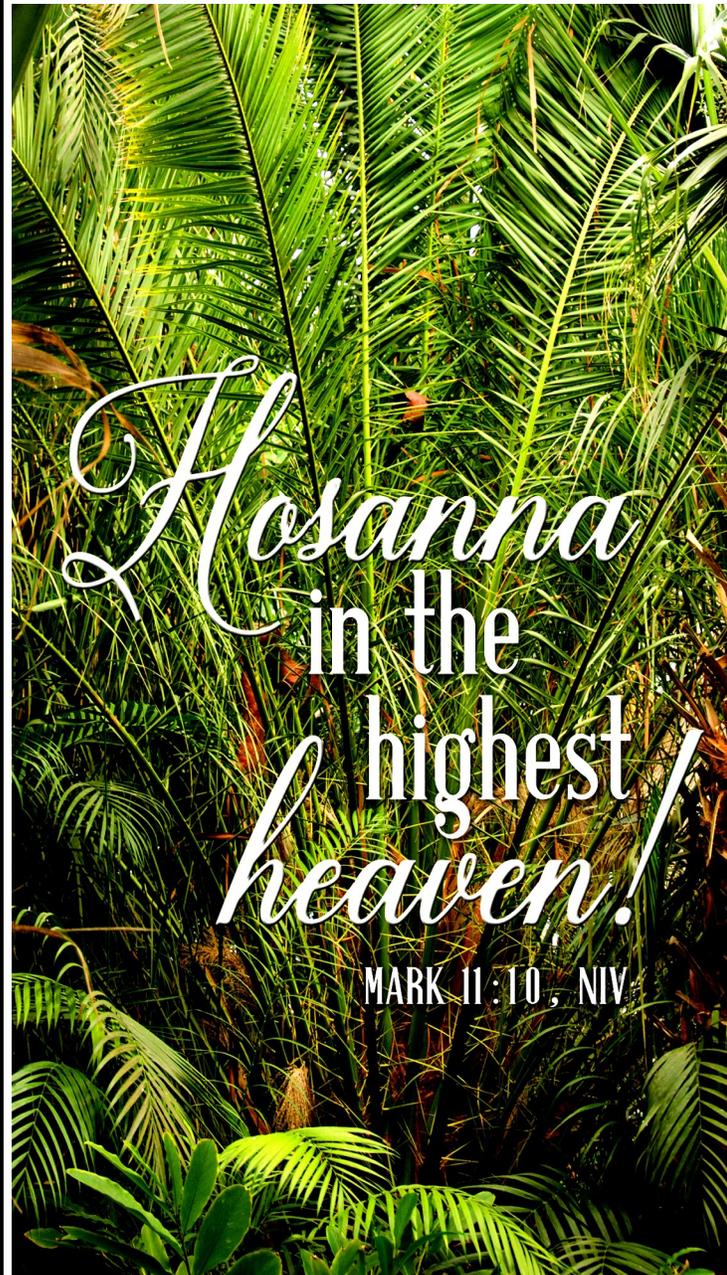
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**April 5, 2020**  
**Sunday of the Passion**

**Palm Sunday**



# Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church

## The Hymns are located on pages 6 & 7.

**OPENING HYMN:** 441 "Ride on, Ride On in Majesty"

### INVOCATION

**Pastor:** In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation:** Amen.

**Pastor:** If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us.

**Congregation:** But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

### CONFESSION OF SINS

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

**All:** 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.

**ABSOLUTION:** 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 the word, I therefore forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**Congregation:** Amen.

**INTROIT: (ALL)** Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord. Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle! Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, that the King of glory may come in. Who is this King of glory? The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord.

### KYRIE:

**Pastor:** In peace let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation:** Lord have mercy.

**Pastor:** For the peace from above, and for our salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation:** Lord have mercy.

**Pastor:** For the peace of the whole world, for the well-being of the Church of God and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation:** Lord have mercy.

**Pastor:** For this holy house and for all who offer here their worship and praise, let us pray to the Lord.

**Congregation:** Lord have mercy.

**Pastor:** Help, save, comfort and defend us gracious Lord.

**Congregation:** Amen.

**SONG:**

**“Feast of Victory”**

**This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God. This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Power, riches, wisdom and strength, and honor, blessing and glory are His. This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Sing with all the people of God, and join in the hymn of all creation. Blessing, honor, glory and might be to God and the Lamb forever. Amen. This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**For the Lamb who was slain has begun His reign. Alleluia! This is the feast of victory for our God. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!**

**Pastor:** The Lord be with you.

**Congregation:** **And also with you.**

**THE COLLECT**

**Pastor:** 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.

**Congregation:** **Amen.**

**OLD TESTAMENT: Isaiah 50:4-9**

The 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. <sup>5</sup> The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious; I turned not backward. <sup>6</sup> I 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. <sup>7</sup> But 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. <sup>8</sup> He 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. <sup>9</sup> Behold, the Lord God helps me; who will declare me guilty? Behold, all of them will wear out like a garment; the moth will eat them up.

**Pastor:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**Congregation:** **Thanks be to God.**



**EPISTLE:            Philippians 2:5-11**

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

Pastor:                This is the Word of the Lord.  
Congregation:      **Thanks be to God.**

**HOLY GOSPEL:     Matthew 21:1-11**

Pastor:                The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew the 21st chapter beginning at verse 1.  
Congregation:      **Glory to you, O Lord.**

Now when they drew near to Jerusalem and came to Bethphage, to the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, <sup>2</sup> saying to them, "Go into the village in front 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 any thing to you, you shall say, 'The Lord needs them,' and he will send them at once." <sup>4</sup> This took place to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet, saying, <sup>5</sup> "Say to the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.'"

<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 on them their cloaks, and he sat on them. <sup>8</sup> Most of the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. <sup>9</sup> And the crowds that went before him and that followed him were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" <sup>10</sup> And when he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred up, saying, "Who is this?" <sup>11</sup> And the crowds said, "This is the prophet Jesus, from Nazareth of Galilee."

Pastor:                This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
Congregation:      **Praise be to Thee, O Christ.**

**THE APOSTLES' CREED: (We confess together)**

**I 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 into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**SERMON HYMN:     527 "O Savior, Precious Savior"**

**SERMON**

**THE OFFERTORY:** Congregation Sings (LSB Page 192)  
Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free Spirit. Amen.

**THE PRAYERS**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**HYMN:** 442 "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

**THE BENEDICTION**

**Pastor:** The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

**ALL:** Amen.

**HYMN:** 443 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

*Hosanna  
in the  
Highest!*



#### **441 “Ride on, Ride On in Majesty”**

1. Ride on, ride on in majesty!  
Hark! all the tribes hosanna cry;  
O Savior meek, pursue your road  
with palms and scattered garments strowed.

2. Ride on, ride on in majesty!  
In lowly pomp ride on to die:  
O Christ, Thy triumphs now begin  
o'er captive death and conquered sin.

3. Ride on, ride on in majesty!  
The Angel armies of the sky  
look down with sad and wond'ring eyes  
to see th'approaching sacrifice.

4. Ride on, ride on in majesty!  
Thy last and fiercest strife is nigh;  
the Father on His sapphire throne  
awaits his own anointed Son.

5. Ride on, ride on in majesty!  
In lowly pomp ride on to die;  
bow Thy meek head to mortal pain,  
then take, O God, your pow'r and reign.

#### **527 “O Savior, Precious Savior”**

1. O Savior, precious Savior,  
whom yet unseen we love,  
O name of might and favor,  
all other names above;  
we worship Thee, we bless Thee,  
to Thee alone we sing;  
we praise Thee, and confess Thee  
our holy Lord and King.

2. O bringer of salvation,  
who wondrously has wrought,  
Thyself the revelation  
of love beyond our thought;  
we worship Thee, we bless Thee,  
to Thee alone we sing;  
we praise Thee, and confess Thee  
our gracious Lord and King.

3. In Thee all fullness dwelleth,  
all grace and pow'r divine:  
the glory that excelleth  
O Son of God, is Thine;  
We worship Thee, we bless Thee,  
To Thee O Christ we sing;  
we praise Thee, and confess Thee  
our glorious Lord and King.

4. O grant the consummation  
of this our song above  
in endless adoration  
and everlasting love;  
then shall we praise and bless Thee  
where perfect praises ring,  
and evermore confess Thee  
our Savior and our King.

## 442 "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

Refrain

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

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]

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

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

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

5. As You received their praises,  
Accept the prayers we bring,  
O Source of ev'ry blessing,  
Our good and gracious King. [Refrain]

## 443 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

1. Hosanna, loud hosanna,  
The little children sang;  
Through pillared court and temple  
The lovely anthem rang.  
To Jesus, who had blessed them,  
Close folded to His breast,  
The children sang their praises,  
The simplest and the best.

2. From Olivet they followed  
Mid an exultant crowd,  
The victor palm branch waving  
And chanting clear and loud.  
The Lord of earth and heaven  
Rode on in lowly state  
Nor scorned that little children  
Should on His bidding wait.

3. "Hosanna in the highest!"  
That ancient song we sing;  
For Christ is our Redeemer,  
The Lord of heav'n our King.  
Oh, may we ever praise Him  
With heart and life and voice  
And in His blissful presence  
Eternally rejoice!

### Trinity Lutheran Church Messenger

**OUR WORSHIP SERVICES** are aired live every Sunday at 8:00am on [facebook.com/trinityhowards](https://facebook.com/trinityhowards). You may watch them anytime after it is streamed live on facebook or on our website at [www.trinityhowardsgrove.org](http://www.trinityhowardsgrove.org) when it is posted.

#### SALT BOX

There are bulletins, Newsletters, and Portals of Prayer books in the salt box located outside of the office wing door.

#### OFFERINGS

Many people have asked how they can still give their offerings. You may mail your offerings to the church office or have your offering electronically deducted. There is a form on our website, or you can call the office and we will mail you a form. You may also bring your offering to the church office between 8am-5pm Monday through Thursday and 8am-2pm on Fridays. You may put your envelope in the offering plate located on the table outside of the church office.

Financial for March 25 & 29, 2020			
Description of Offering	Amount Given	Description of Offering	Amount Given
General Fund	\$3,734.00	Roof Replacement Fund	\$500.00
Lenten Free Will Offerings	\$20.00	Church Improvement	\$80.00
Preschool	\$89.00		

**Happy Birthday!**



<b>April 5</b> Mary Lou Neuman Vince Shircel	<b>April 7</b> Diego Arreguin Al Baumann Charles (C.J) Berg Edith Plocar	<b>April 9</b> Dale Bitter Addison Holler Hanna Meidl John Prange Lauren Yinko	<b>April 10</b> Richard Boje Ryan Schmidt Mark Zimmer <b>April 11</b> Dana Grunewald
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**PRAYER CHAIN**

Many times in the Bible, God invites us to pray and seek His help. God promises to answer and come to our aid. In fact, He "is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think." (Eph. 3:20)

At this time, or any time, Trinity prayer chain is here for you.

Bring your prayer requests to [prayer.chain4u@yahoo.com](mailto:prayer.chain4u@yahoo.com) or call me at 920 565-3557 or call the church secretary and she will pass the prayer request on to me.

In Jesus name,  
Barbara Wolfert

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**When our Worship services, Sunday school and Bible class resume they are on  
Sundays at 8:00 & 10:30am**

**Sunday School & Bible Class is at 9:15am.**