Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022 9:15 a.m.

# ₩ PREPARATION ₩

## WORDS OF WELCOME



# **INVOCATION**

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

People: Amen.

# **CONFESSION AND**

### **GOD'S PROMISE OF FORGIVENESS**

Pastor: Please join me in this prayer to confess our sin and ask God for

forgiveness

I, a poor, miserable sinner, confess unto You all my sins and iniquities with which I have ever offended You and justly deserved Your temporal and eternal punishment. But I am heartily sorry for them and sincerely repent of them, and I pray You of Your boundless mercy and for the sake of the holy, innocent, bitter sufferings and death of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, to be gracious and merciful to me, a poor, sinful being.

Pastor:

Upon this your confession, I, by virtue of my office, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, announce the grace of God unto all of you, and in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the \mathbb{F} Son and of the Holy Spirit.

People: Amen

## **GREETING AND OPENING PRAYER**

Pastor: The Lord, be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray . . .

People: Amen.

# ₩ WORD ₩

# **EPISTLE READING**

Philippians 2:5–11 (NIV84)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Who, being in very nature God,

did not consider equality with God something to be grasped,

<sup>7</sup>but made himself nothing,
taking the very nature of a servant,
being made in human likeness.

<sup>8</sup>And being found in appearance as a man,
he humbled himself
and became obedient to death—
even death on a cross!

<sup>9</sup>Therefore God exalted him to the highest place
and gave him the name that is above every name,

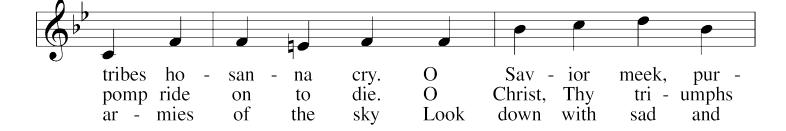
<sup>10</sup>that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

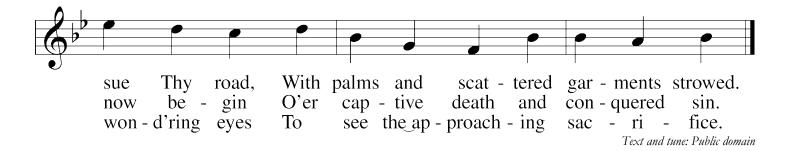
<sup>11</sup>and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.







#### **HOLY GOSPEL**

John 12:12–19 (NIV84)

<sup>12</sup>The next day the great crowd that had come for the Feast heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. <sup>13</sup>They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting,

"Hosanna!"

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

"Blessed is the King of Israel!"

<sup>14</sup>Jesus found a young donkey and sat upon it, as it is written,

<sup>15</sup>"Do not be afraid, O Daughter of Zion;

see, your king is coming,

seated on a donkey's colt."

<sup>16</sup> At first his disciples did not understand all this. Only after Jesus was glorified did they realize that these things had been written about him and that they had done these things to him.

<sup>17</sup> Now the crowd that was with him when he called Lazarus from the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to spread the word. <sup>18</sup> Many people, because they had heard that he had given this miraculous sign, went out to meet him. <sup>19</sup> So the Pharisees said to one another, "See, this is getting us nowhere. Look how the whole world has gone after him!"

Pastor: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

People: Praise to You, O Christ.

**SERMON** 

"What Would Jesus Do?"

#### MINISTRY MINUTE

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# **▼** RITE OF CONFIRMATION **▼**

#### **HYMN**

"Oh, That the Lord Would Guide My Ways"

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- 1 Oh, that the Lord would guide my ways To keep His stat utes still!
- 2 Or der my foot steps by Thy Word And make my heart sin cere;
- 3 As sist my soul, too apt to stray, A strict er watch to keep;
- 4 Make me to walk in Thy com-mands—'Tis a de-light-ful road—



Oh, that my God would grant me grace To know and do His will! Let sin have no do - min-ion, Lord, But keep my con-science clear. And should I e'er for - get Thy way, Re-store Thy wan-d'ring sheep. Nor let my head or heart or hands Of - fend a-gainst my God.

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## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

### LORD'S PRAYER

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.

# WORDS OF INSTITUTION

# THE PEACE

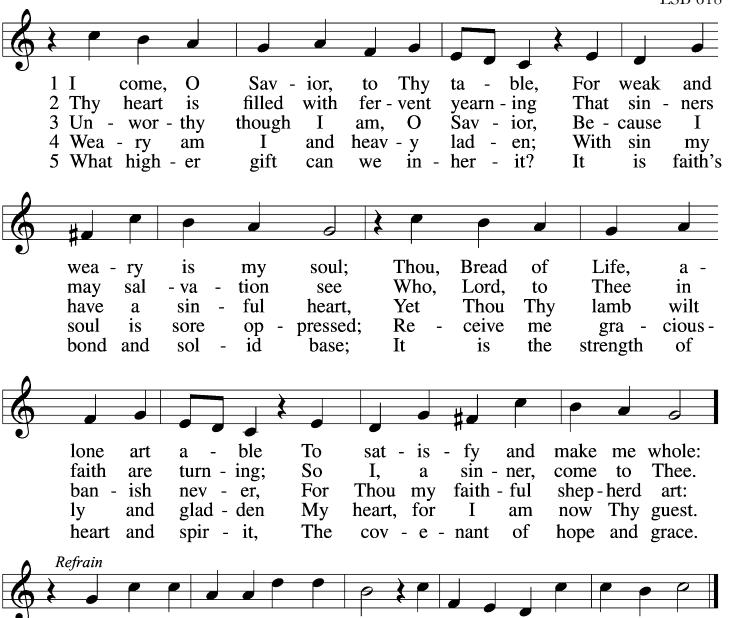
Pastor: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

People: And, also with you.

# RECEPTION OF HOLY COMMUNION



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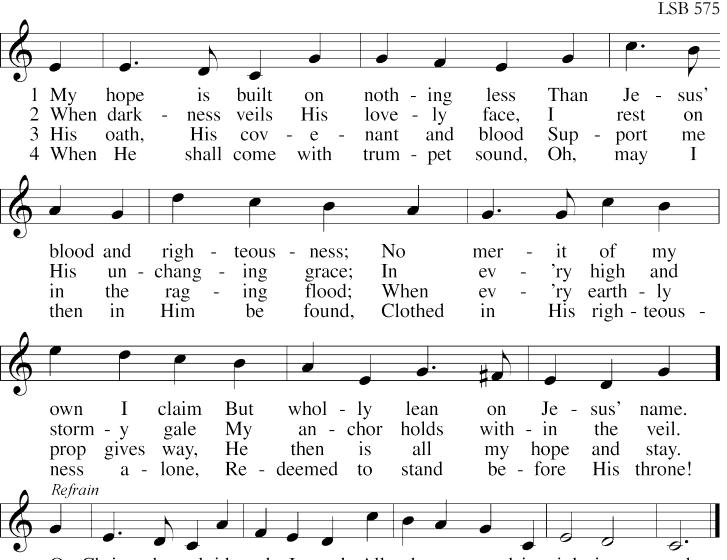
Lord, may Thy bod - y and Thy blood Be for my soul the high-est good!

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## **COMMUNION HYMN**

"My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"



On Christ, the sol-id rock, I stand; All oth-er ground is sink-ing sand.

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# **POST-COMMUNION COLLECT**

Pastor: Let us pray . . .

People: Amen.

## **BENEDICTION**

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord make His face shine

upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord look upon you with

His favor and grant you His peace.

People: Amen.

## **SENDING HYMN**

"Ride On, Ride On in Majesty" (sts. 4, 5) LSB 441

