

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Welcomes you to worship

Pastor Mindy Ehrke

Palm Sunday/Passion Sunday

April 14, 2019



Blessings of the palms

Prelude

P Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord

C Hosanna to the Son of David

P We praise and thank you, O God for the great acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph and was acclaimed Son of David and King of Kings by those who scattered their garments and branches of palm in his path.

We ask that you bless these branches and those who bear them, and grant that we may ever hail him as our Lord and King and follow him with perfect confidence; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen

P Let us go forth in peace,

C in the name of the Lord

Processional - All Glory, Laud, and Honor vs. 1, 3, 4 ELW 344

P Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord

C Hosanna in the Highest

Processional Gospel - Luke 19:28-40

Children's Message

Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God, in your endless love for the human race you sent our Lord Jesus Christ to take on our nature and to suffer death on the cross. In your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Word

First Reading – Isaiah 50:4-9a

Second Reading – Philippians 2:5-11

Lent verse – Return to the Lord, your God WOV p. 31

Gospel – Luke 23:1-49

Gospel Hymn – What Wondrous Love ELW 666

Sermon

Sermon Hymn – Beneath the Cross of Jesus ELW 338

Prayers of the Church – Lord, Listen ELW 752

Passing of the Peace

Response

Offering

Offertory Hymn – Create in me

Offertory Prayer

Lord's Prayer

Sending

Blessing

Closing Hymn – Ride On, Ride On in Majesty! ELW 346

Announcements

Dismissal

Postlude

We are glad you have joined us for worship:

- SUNDAY:** 9:00 am – Palm Sunday Worship with SS carrying palms
10:00 am – Sunday School, fellowship and Kitchen Fundraiser Auction
- MONDAY-FRIDAY:** 7:30 am – Holy Week Devotions at UCC
- WEDNESDAY:** 3:30 pm – Confirmation
- THURSDAY:** 9:30 am – Communion at Wookeys
10:30 am – Communion at Care Center
7:00 pm – Maundy Thursday Worship at UCC
- FRIDAY:** 9:00 am - Bible study
7:00 pm – Good Friday Worship at St. Paul
- SUNDAY:** 9:00 am – Youth Easter Worship with rolls to follow- NO SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:30 am – Easter Worship with communion and SS flower procession

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

- USHERS:** Dave Paulson and Bernd Scheller
 - GREETER:** Tammie Paulson
 - READER:** Dave Paulson
 - ACOLYTE:** Tate McGraw
 - ORGANIST/PIANIST:** Laura Hoogheem
 - VISUAL VOLUNTEER:** Ruth Haugerud
 - COFFEE FELLOWSHIP:** Bernd and Gayle Scheller, Dave and Tammie Paulson and Troy and Melissa Mudgett
- Thank you to everyone who helped with the worship service.**

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS: Ron Hefty (brother of Joyce Fjelland), Craig Rasmusson, Kristie Stromsness, Adrien Bjerke, Jeanette Warkenthien, Lois Fuller, Sonja Nelson (Pam Seefeldt’s niece), Kathy Hibbert and Mike Fuller those in the military and their families, shut-ins, those is the assisted living and the care center

GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER prayer point: Dear Lord: We ask you to walk with us during this Holy Week. Amen.

YOUTH NEWS

YOUTH GROUP

- *Wednesday, April 24** at 6:00 pm meet at UCC
- *Wednesday, May 1** at 6:00 pm Senior and Confirmation supper. **Please RSVP the church office if you will be coming. Parents, seniors and confirmands are invited.**
- *SENIORS:** Please email your favorite Bible verse to the church.

CONFIRMATION

- *Wednesday, April 17** from 3:30-5:00 pm
- *Wednesday, April 24** at 5:00 pm
- *Sunday, April 29** Confirmation during worship
- *Wednesday, May 1** at 6:00 pm Senior and Confirmation supper **Please RSVP the church office if you will be coming. Parents, seniors and confirmands are invited.**

ACOLYTES:

- *April 14-**Tate
- *April 21-9:00 am** - volunteers needed **10:30 am-** Conner
- *April 28-**volunteers needed

SUNDAY SCHOOL

- *Regular classes are at 10:00 am on Sundays.**
- *The Sunday School will be collecting socks for men to give to the Church on the Street.**

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This Lent we’re joining Lutheran World Relief in **A SEASON OF HOPE** of Christ. Each week, we’ll collect a different item

that we'll use to assemble Personal Care Kits that give people around the world tools to stay healthy in life's most challenging situations.

Here's the collection schedule:

***April 14-**Bath Towels (light weight, maximum 52" X27", dark color)

-Containers will be available in the narthex to collect the items.

10 day journey to the **HOLY LANDS** departing on February 10, 2020. If interested, refer to the poster on the bulletin board by the office.

NEED A WATER HEATER? A water heater was removed from the kitchen and is out on the sidewalk on the east side of the church. Contact the office 532-3784 if you want it.

PALM SUNDAY AUCTION FUNDRAISER FOR THE KITCHEN

on April 14 during fellowship. **Donations of baskets, baked goods or anything else will be greatly appreciated** The church items that will be sold: glassware, large glass punch bowl with 2 stands, glass cups, tablecloths, glass creamer and sugar servers, small glass glasses, candleholders, skirts to go around serving tables, silver coffee pots, silver trays, and various silver cream and sugar servers.

It will be like a Sweetheart Auction.

Check out the improvements in the kitchen.

Clark Ecumenical Lenten Services

*Morning Holy Week Devotional Services 7:30-7:50 am daily at UCC Church

*Maundy Thursday Worship on April 18 at 7:00 pm at UCC

*Good Friday Worship on April 19 at 7:00 pm at St. Paul

***THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS received by St. Paul: March - \$932.00 2019 TOTAL - \$1463.00**

Thank you to everyone who has contributed Thrivent Choice Dollars to St. Paul. If you have a Thrivent policy, designate your Choice Dollars and use your Action Team Projects yearly. If you have any questions, contact Thrivent at 1-800-847-4836 or the church office 532-3784.