

The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

language, "Hosanna!" originally meant "Please save!" and became an exclamation of praise. Psalm 118:25: "Save us, we beseech you, O Lord!"

In the Hebrew

# WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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We support Presbyterian Church (USA) mission co-workers,<br/>Rev. Dustin and Sherri Ellington, in Lusaka, Zambia, Africa.Please silence your cell phones.\*All who are able may stand.

# THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Palm Sunday

April 14, 2019

#### 11:00 A.M.

# **GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

Prelude "Alleluia, Hearts to Heaven" Attie C. Carlton Handbells

Welcome and Announcements (During this time the friendship pads are passed to be signed.)

Minute for Mission

Choral Call to Worship "Come Just as You Are" Joseph Sabolick, 1994 Come just as you are; hear the Spirit call. Come just as you are; come and see, come receive; come and live forever. Come just as you are; hear the Spirit call. Come just as you are; come, receive Christ, the King; come and live forevermore.

**Opening Sentences** 

Elder Curt Simpson

Leader: We come to prepare for the holiest of weeks.

All: We will journey through praise, with joy on our lips; we will travel through betrayal and death, cradling hope deep in our hearts.

Leader: Jesus leads us through this week, and we will follow, for he is the life we long for, he is the Word who sustains us.

All: We wave palm branches in anticipation, we lay our love before him, to cushion his walk.

Leader: Setting aside all power, glory, and might, he comes: modeling humility and obedience for all of us.

All: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is the One who brings us the kingdom of God.

\*Hymn #197

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

ELLACOMBE

Today's Prayer of Confession is taken from the Reformed Church in America

#### \*Unison Prayer of Confession

O Lord, who on this day entered the rebellious city that later rejected you: we confess that our wills are as rebellious as Jerusalem's, our faith is often more show than substance, 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. Lord, hear our prayers . . .

(A time for silent prayers of confession . . .)

\*Responsive Assurance of Pardon

Leader: Hear the Word of the Lord from Psalm 118: Let those who fear the Lord say,

All: His steadfast love endures forever.
Leader: Out of my distress I called on the Lord;
All: the Lord answered me and set me free.
Leader: The Lord is my strength and my song;
All: he has become my salvation.
Leader: I shall not die, but I shall live,
All: and recount the deeds of the Lord.
Leader: In Christ, God answers us and sets us free!
All: In Christ, we are forgiven! Thanks be to God.

\*Gloria Patri

Glory Be to the Father

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

### PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Music

"Sing Hosanna!"

Joseph Martin, 2012

Jesus is coming, sing a psalm! Raise your voices, wave the palms. Children gather, clear His way! Come and celebrate this day. Sing hosanna, glory to the King! Sing hosanna, let your praises ring! Sing hosanna, joyful music bring. Sing hosanna to the King!

#### "Little Donkey"

Joseph Martin, 2014

Little donkey soft and gray, Jesus needs a ride today. Will you carry Him along while we sing this happy song? Clip, clop, clip, clop, sing hosanna. Sing hosanna to the King!

Children's Sermon

"No pain, no palm; no thorns, no throne; no gall, no glory; no cross, no crown."

William Penn, Quaker author and founder of the North American colony of Pennsylvania

And people are to march around the church to commemorate the event, Palm Sunday, when Jesus rode into Jerusalem and was greeted with applause and with palms. People thought he had come to overthrow the Romans, but no he had	Anthem <b>"Hosanna"</b> Allen Pote, 1989 Hosanna! Hosanna to the King of kings! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Sing hosanna. Blessed is the Son of David. Sing hosanna. Sing hosanna in the highest!			
	Prayer for Illumination Eternal God, whose word silences the shouts of the mighty: Quiet within us every voice but your own. Speak to us through the suffering and death of Jesus Christ that, by the power of your Holy Spirit, we may receive grace to show Christ's love in lives given to your service. Amen.			
	Epistle Lesson	Psalm 118:1-4, 19-29		er Curt Simpson ⊦Pages 492, 493
come to change THEM and that	*Hymn #221	"O Sacred Head, Now Wo	unded"	PASSION CHORALE
led to things turning bad.	Gospel Lesson	Luke 19:28-48	+	Pages 854, 855
Garrison Keillor	Sermon	"The Passion and the Pa	lms" Dr. P	hilip K. Gladden
	A Time for Silent Reflection Pastoral Prayer with the Lord's Prayer			
	GIVING THANKS TO GOD Presentation of Tithes and Offerings			
"Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem! Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey." Zechariah 9:9	Offertory	"Near the Cross"	Attie C. C	arlton Handbells
	Doxology and Prayer of Dedication Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.			
	The Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed 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 Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.			

"The need to affirm, as Holy Week begins, the inseparable relationship between the death and the resurrection of Jesus is precisely the reason the passion of Christ and the palms are linked together as Passion/Palm Sunday." Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Mission Agency





\*Benediction

Choral Benediction **"Irish Blessing"** J. Jerome Williams, 1974 May the road rise to meet you; may the wind be always at your back; May the sun shine warm upon your face. May the rain fall soft upon you fields; and until we meet again, May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

\*Postlude

\*All who are able may stand.

+The page number in the pew Bible.



Friday, April 19 GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 7:30 p.m.

Wallace Presbyterian Church

The Chancel Choir will present Pepper Choplin's cantata

*Come to the Cross and Remember.* We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

> Sunday, April 21, 2019 Community Early Easter Service 7:00 am Preacher, Rev. Carey Carlberg, WUMC First Baptist Church, Wallace Breakfast following service

Sunday, April 21, 2019 Easter Worship Service 11:00 am Wallace Presbyterian Church

Sunday, April 14	PALM SUNDAY			
	9:40 am Opening Assembly			
	10:00 am Sunday School			
	11:00 am Worship			
	4:00-6:00 pm Youth Group			
Monday, April 15	6:15 pm Presbyterians Dining Together-Camino Real			
Tuesday, April 16	6:00 pm Session Meeting: Room 304			
Wednesday, April 17 10:00–11:00 am Bible Study, Room 304				
	6:00 pm Handbells			
	7:30 pm Choir Practice			
Friday, April 19	GOOD FRIDAY			
	7:30 pm Good Friday Worship/Sacrament of the Lord's Supper			

# NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

\* **The session** will meet on Tuesday, April 16 at 6:00 p.m. in Room 304. If you have any business or concerns for the session to consider, please speak to one of the elders or the minister.

\* **Please join** the minister for a Bible study on Luke 24:1-12 on Wednesday, April 17 from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. in Room 304. Luke's story of the first Easter Sunday will be the sermon text for Easter Sunday worship 2019.

\* We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper during our Good Friday Worship Service on Friday, April 19. All who have been baptized and put their trust in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior are welcome at the table.



The sanctuary flowers are given in memory of James and Oleta Southerland and James Southerland, Jr. They are given by Margaret Green, Susan Jarman and Earleene Southerland.

Dear Church Family, Thank you so much for the 25th Anniversary Celebration on Sunday, March 31. It was a wonderful and joyous day for me and my family. It has been an honor and privilege to work here at Wallace Presbyterian Church these past 25 years. You are a kind and loving congregation and you have been so good to me over the years. Thank you for the Prayer Shawl (Presbyterian Women) and for the beautiful card and generous monetary gift. I sincerely appreciate everything that was done for me. I hope to be here a few more years, if you will have me! I love you all!

Cheryl Brínkley

# Nursery

04/14: Christy Johnson & Piper Moore 04/21: Fred Burroughs & Ann Carter

### VOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS

04/14: JJ Rouse & Hayes Skidmore 04/21: Sarah Pearl Farrior & Ellie Carone

#### **Opening Church Building**

April 1-15: Bill Carone



June Blalock (Rosemary), Tommy Bradshaw family, Doc Brinson (Hodgkins Lymphoma-friend of Garrett & Patsy Ludlum), Sandy Cobb (recovering from shoulder surgery), Carla DeNatale (Mary Carone's niece) diagnosed with Breast Cancer, Joe Dormagen (Verlie Wells' son-in-law), Carolyn Herring (biopsy on inoperable spinal tumor), Amy Moss (breast cancer, sister of Debbie Thomas) Nancy Pate, (Libby Godwin's twin sister-inoperable brain tumor), Dottie Obenour (recovering from surgery), Nathan Pensinger (Nathan is slowly gaining weight and energy. Jennifer Raynor (Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome) Judy Robinson, Jenny Rivenbark, Zayne Rivenbark (cancer), Rev. Bobby Tyson, (heart issues), Ronnie Watson (non-Hodgkins Lymphoma, stem cell transplant), Verlie Wells-Rosemary, Conrad Wooten (friend of Harvey Knowles), Members and friends in the armed services: Jason Payne. William Krupitzer-(Linda Burroughs nephew).

(When you request a name to be put on the prayer list, please notify the church office when you wish it to be taken off)



#### ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING OFFERING Easter Sunday, April 21

A gift to One Great Hour of Sharing Offering enables the church to share God's love with our neighbors-in-need around the world by providing relief to those affected by natural disasters, providing food to the hungry, and helping to empower the poor and oppressed. Our One Great Hour of Sharing Offering supports the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Program (PDA). PDA has been very involved in our church's and community's recovery from Hurricane Florence, providing financial assistance to our church and individuals and staff support and expertise as the Disaster Recovery Group of Duplin County was formed. Thank you for your generous contributions to the One Great Hour of Sharing.



Joe Tillman, Leader

Kevin Johnson Cameron Lee Sam Rose Jim Sills

04/14: Jim & Sharon Robison 04/21: Freddy & Rhonda Hall