



Palm  
SUNDAY

*Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.*

MATTHEW 21:9

*Carmel Presbyterian Church*  
*Palm Sunday*  
*March 24, 2024*  
*10:00 AM*

\*indicates please stand as you are able.  
**BOLD** type is for congregation to respond.

**Service of Palms and Passion**

***Pastoral Welcome and Announcements***

***Prelude***

*Jesus Shall Reign*  
Handbell Choir

arr. Cynthia Dobrinski

**\* *Prayer***

L: The Lord be with you.

**P: And also with you.**

L: Let us pray.

**ALL: Merciful God, as we enter Holy Week and gather at your house of prayer, turn our hearts again to Jerusalem, to the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Unite us with Christ and all the faithful, that we may one day enter in triumph the city not made by human hands, the new Jerusalem, eternal in the heavens, where with you and the Holy Spirit, Christ lives in Glory forever. Amen**

**THE PALMS**

**\* *Processional Hymn 88***

*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

Valet will ich dir geben

**\* *Call to Worship***

L: Jesus enters our valley today, announcing that He is the long-awaited "Messiah."

**P: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!**

L: Lo, our King comes to us, triumphant and victorious!

**P: Yet, humble, riding on a young donkey!**

L: The stone that the builders rejected has become the Chief Cornerstone.

**P: This is the Lord's doing, it is marvelous in our eyes.**

L: This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!

**P: Hosanna! Save us, O Lord! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.**

L: His disciples did not understand these things at first; but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written of him and had been done to him.

**P: They remembered the crowds, the shouts, and the excitement at the beginning of the week. Then they remembered the crowds, the shouts, and the excitement at the end of the week. Their eyes began to open. Lord, open my eyes and let my songs of praise to the Messiah fill the air!**



\* *The Passing of the Peace*

L: The peace of Christ be with you.

P: **And also with you.**

L: Let us forgive one another as God has forgiven us in Jesus Christ.

*Prayer for Illumination*

*Scripture Lesson*

*John 12:2-16*

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*Message*

*Resistance*

Rev. Diller

\* *Hymn 89*

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

Ellacombe

*Celebration of the Lord's Supper*

*Call to Offering*

*Offertory*

*Hosanna in the Highest*

David W. Music

(see insert)

Children's Choir, Junior Choir and Sanctuary Choir

*Presentation of the Elements*

*The Great Thanksgiving*

*Sanctus*

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of  
2 Bless - ed is he who comes in the  
pow - er and might, heav - en and earth are  
name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the  
full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.  
high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

*The Lord's Prayer*

Page 16, front of hymnal

*The Serving*

*Olivet*

Karl Osterland

(My Faith Looks Up to Thee)

*Prayer*

God, our help and strength,

You have satisfied our hunger with your gifts of true life.

Now, strengthen our faith,

That through the death and resurrection of your Son

we may be led to salvation,

for he is Lord now and forever. Amen

## THE PASSION

\* **Hymn 92** *Beneath the Cross of Jesus* St. Christopher

\* **Prayer**

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.

Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.

Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.

**God, our help and strength, you have satisfied our hunger and our thirst, yet we will go out again and try to become satisfied with other food. We do not trust your gifts to be good, so we succumb to fear. We are weak, and we need your forgiveness. Show us again, through your story, the chasms you will cross to deliver us from our sin. In the name of the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hear our Hosannas. Amen.**

**Scripture**

*Mark chapters 14 and 15*

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\* **Hymn 91**

*Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!*

St. Drostan

\* **Charge and Benediction**

**Chimes**

**Postlude**

*The King's Majesty (hymn 90)*  
*(Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!)*

Matthew H. Corl  
(b. 1965)

\*\* The Holy Week of preparation, reflection, and remembrance continues with your prayerful lives of faith as well as Maundy Thursday Dinner and Worship at 6:30 p.m. on March 28 and Good Friday worship at 7:30 p.m. on March 29.

## ***Announcements***

### ***Guests: You Are Welcome Here***

**WE CORDIALLY WELCOME THOSE WHO ARE VISITING TODAY.** We are grateful for your presence and invite you to participate in our worship, mission, and programs; we are happy to share our ministry with you. We'd like to get to know you. Please be sure to join us downstairs in Carmel Hall for refreshments and conversation after worship! We hope your worship experience is meaningful and you will gather with us again soon. Should you wish for Hearing Devices and/or Large Print Bibles & Hymnals, they are available from an usher. Please sign our guest book at the sanctuary entrance (or share your email/contact information in the offering plate for a weekly email of future worship and activities). Restrooms are located down the long hallway just past the Church Office in the Education Building.

**NO CHILDREN'S WORSHIP** today Sunday, March 24, 2024. Please enjoy Palm Sunday worship as a family!

**CALLING ALL YOUTH GRADES 3-8.** The Carmel Youth Ministry (CYM) meets each Wednesday night in Carmel Hall from 6:30 - 7:30 PM. It is a jam-packed hour of food, fellowship and fun! We look forward to seeing you there!

**THE MORNING FLOWERS IN OUR SANCTUARY** are in loving memory of our mother and grandmother, Edith R. Ankrum, by Janet, Jeanne and Linda Simon.

**CARMEL'S LIBRARY** will be open on Mondays and Thursdays from 11:45 AM-12:30 PM during the Nursery School year. The library is also open before and after worship on

Sunday mornings.

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**WONDER “WHAT’S GOING ON?” CHECK OUT CARMEL’S WEBSITE!** Explore the wealth of information at [www.presbycarmel.org](http://www.presbycarmel.org). Easily find links for the current Livestream worship, past services, and the daily lectionary, or send a prayer request or make financial donations—and not miss the latest on the Carmel Calendar.

**JOIN US EACH SUNDAY IN WORSHIP; CELEBRATE COMMUNION ON THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH!** **Live Streaming Worship** is available on **YouTube** or via **Zoom** on the phone for those unable to attend in-person worship due to health comfort levels or travel situations. You can find our Sunday morning worship live streaming Sundays at 10:00 AM with links below:

*YouTube (Carmel Presbyterian Church Glenside) at*  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC2KnjuJryWjVkrJlJlDvsRw>

**SIGN-UP TO HELP WITH WORSHIP – EACH SUNDAY WE HAVE** several spots you can assist: liturgist, ushers, greeters, and host for coffee hour. We are not all we can be

without you sharing your gifts as a volunteer! To sign up please email Deb Gates at [gatesdl@comcast.net](mailto:gatesdl@comcast.net) and indicate what you’d like to help with and on which date. Thank you for your service.

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***Participants Serving the Church in Worship***

*Rev. John M. Diller, Pastor*

*Rev. James D. Eby, Pastor Emeritus*

*Abigail Vander Hart Palmisano, Organist and Director of Music*

*David Campbell, Co-Director of Handbell Choir*

*Lynne Schutt, pianist for the Choirs*

*Handbell, Children’s, Junior and Sanctuary Choirs*

*, Worship Assistant*

*, Greeter/Usher*

*Congregational Life, Coffee Hour*

*Tom Bohlander, Jay Raulinaitis, and Dave Rice, Live-Streaming Operators*

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**Offertory**

*Hosanna in the Highest*  
Children's Choir, Junior Choir and Sanctuary Choir

David W. Music

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest!

Daughter of Zion, rejoice and see, your King comes to you.  
Shout now, O daughter of Jerusalem, your King comes to you.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest!

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest!  
(Text: Matthew 21:9; Zechariah 9:9a; Luke 19:38)

# Beneath the Cross of Jesus

ST. CHRISTOPHER 7.6.8.6.8.6.6

Elizabeth Cecilia Douglas Clephane, 1868

Frederick Charles Maker, 1881

1. Be - neath the cross of Je - sus I fain would take my stand,  
 2. Up - on the cross of Je - sus Mine eye at times can see

The shad - ow of a might-y rock With - in a wea - ry land;  
 The ver - y dy - ing form of One Who suf - fered there for me:

A home with-in the wil - der-ness, A rest up-on the way,  
 And from my strick-en heart with tears Two won - ders I con - fess:

From the burn-ing of the noon-tide heat, And the bur - den of the day,  
 The won - ders of re - deem-ing love And my un-wor - thi - ness.



## Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!

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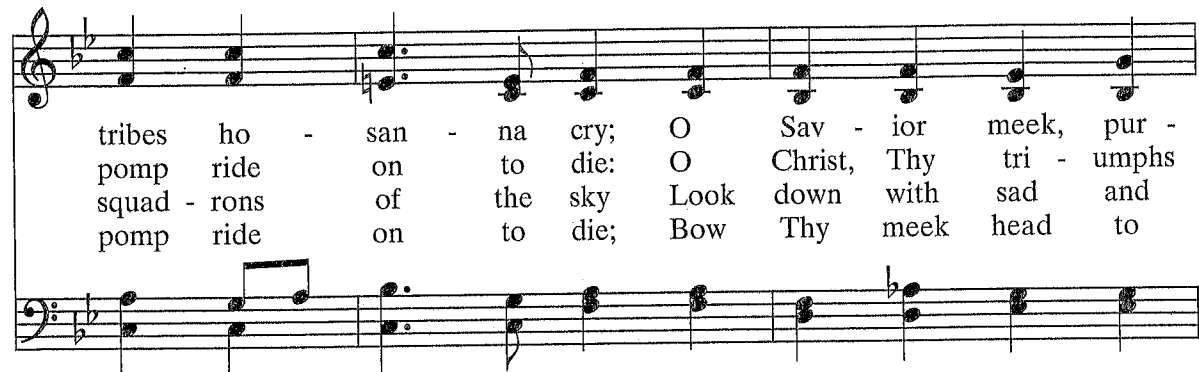
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Henry Hart Milman, 1827

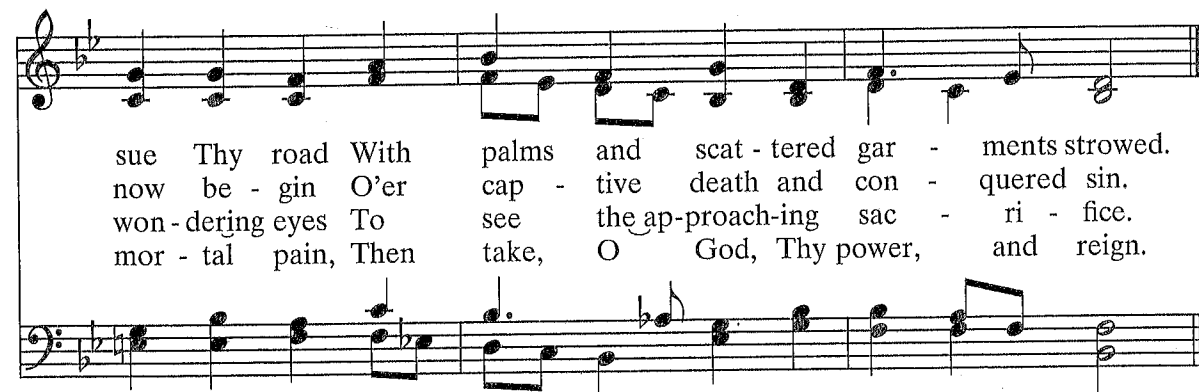
John Bacchus Dykes, 1862



1. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! Hark! all the  
 2. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! In low - ly  
 3. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! The wing - ed  
 4. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! In low - ly



tribes ho - san - na cry; O Sav - ior meek, pur -  
 pomp ride on to die: O Christ, Thy tri - umphs  
 squad - rons of the sky Look down with sad and  
 pomp ride on to die; Bow Thy meek head to



sue Thy road With palms and scat - tered gar - ments strowed.  
 now be - gin O'er cap - tive death and con - quered sin.  
 won - dering eyes To see the ap - proach - ing sac - ri - fice.  
 mor - tal pain, Then take, O God, Thy power, and reign.

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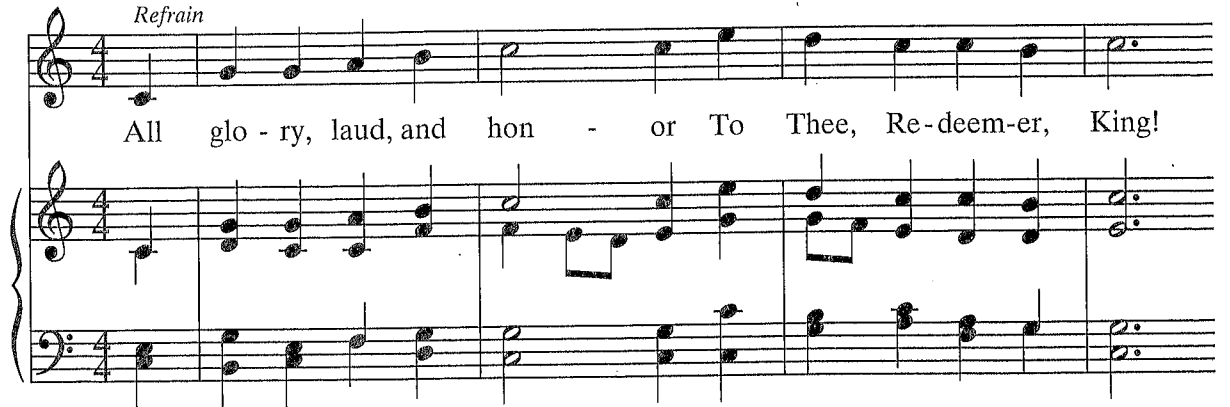
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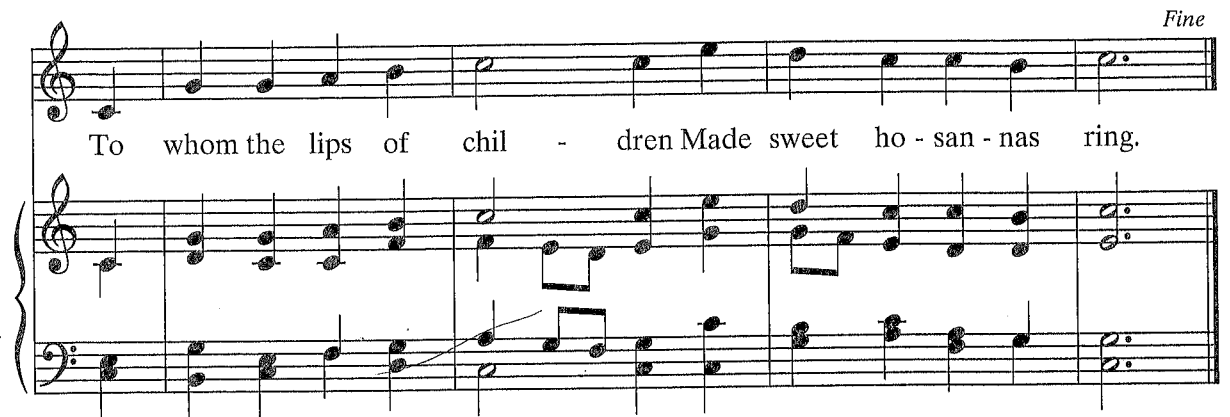
Theodulph of Orleans, c. 820  
Trans. John Mason Neale, 1851; alt. 1859

Melchior Teschner, 1614  
Arr. William Henry Monk, 1861

*Refrain*

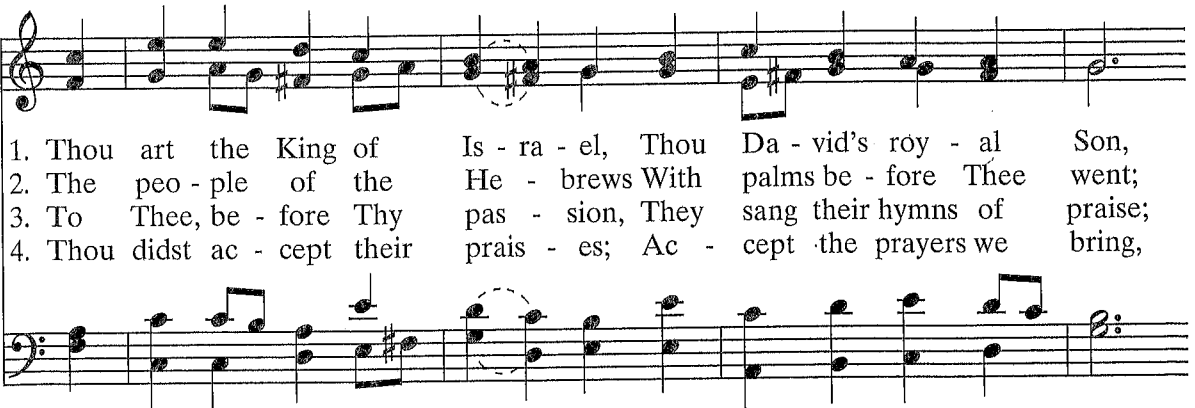


All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or To Thee, Re-deem-er, King!



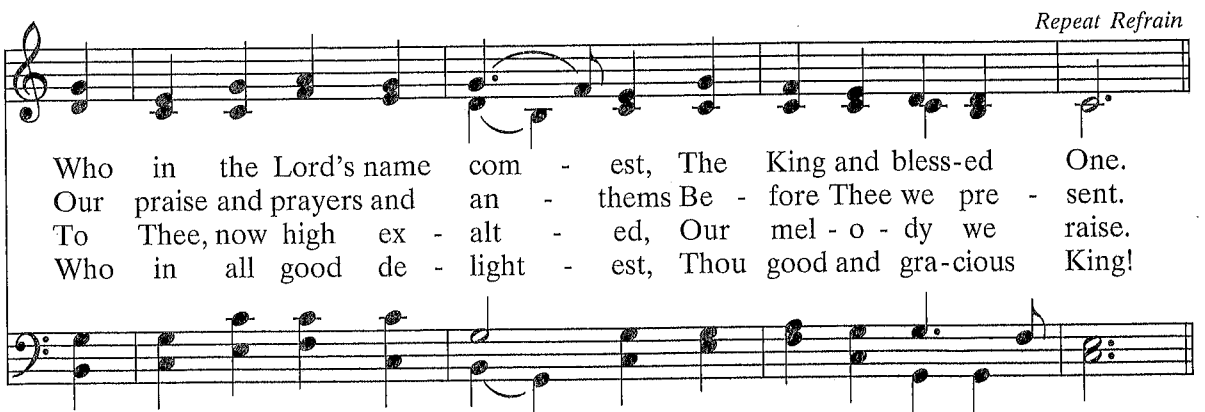
To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring.

*Fine*



1. Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, Thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,  
 2. The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went;  
 3. To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion, They sang their hymns of praise;  
 4. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; Ac - cept the prayers we bring,

*Repeat Refrain*



Who in the Lord's name com - est, The King and bless-ed One.  
 Our praise and prayers and an - thems Be - fore Thee we pre - sent.  
 To Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our mel - o - dy we raise.  
 Who in all good de - light - est, Thou good and gra-cious King!

## Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

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ELLACOMBE 7.6.7.6 D

*Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Wirtembergischen  
Katholischen Hofkapelle, 1784; alt. 1868*

Jennette Threlfall, 1873

1. Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na, The lit - tle children sang;  
2. From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed 'Mid an ex - ult - ant crowd,  
3. "Ho - san - na' in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,

Through pil - lared court and tem - ple The joy - ful an - them rang;  
The vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, And chant - ing clear and loud;  
For Christ is our Re - deem - er, The Lord of heav - en our King.

To Je - sus, who had blessed them Close fold - ed to His breast,  
The Lord of earth and heav - en Rode on in low - ly state,  
O may we ev - er praise Him With heart and life and voice,

The chil - dren sang their prais - es, The sim - plest and the best.  
Nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren Should on His bid - ding wait.  
And in His bliss - ful pres - ence E - ter - nal - ly re - joice.

## **COMING EVENTS**

(This is not everything happening at Carmel .  
Contact the church office for more information).

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 24 – Palm Sunday**

Handbell Choir Rehearsal: 8:30 AM  
Lenten Bible Study, Lounge: 8:40 AM-9:25 AM  
Sanctuary, Junior & Children's Choirs Rehearsal, Sanctuary: 9:30 AM  
Worship with Communion in the Sanctuary (and live streaming): 10:00 AM  
Congregational Life brunch/coffee hour, Carmel Hall: 11:00 AM  
Youth Choir, Choir Room: 11:15-11:45 AM

### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27**

Nursery School Easter Egg Hunt and party, Carmel Hall:  
Festival Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary: 7:30 PM

### **THURSDAY, MARCH 28 – Maundy Thursday**

No Nursery School today  
Worship service with meal, Carmel Hall: 6:30 PM

### **FRIDAY, MARCH 29 – Good Friday**

No Nursery School  
Worship Service, Sanctuary: 7:30 PM

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 31 – Easter Sunday**

Sunrise Worship Service, with Communion, Moonlight Diner,  
North Parking Lot: 7:00 AM  
Worship with Communion in the Sanctuary (and live streaming): 10:00 AM  
Coffee Hour, Carmel Hall: 11:00 AM