

*Hosanna  
in the  
Highest!*



**PALM SUNDAY**  
Sunday, March 28, 2021

# *Redeemer Lutheran Church*

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We welcome you as friends in the name of Jesus. We are happy that you came to worship with us. Please let us know how we can assist you in your relationship with God. We invite you to visit our website at: [www.redeemerbartlesville.org](http://www.redeemerbartlesville.org).

A **CRY ROOM** is available at the back of the sanctuary. **CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY BAGS** are available for young children during worship. For those who are **HEARING IMPAIRED**, personal PA receivers are available. **LARGE PRINT** and **CHILDREN'S BULLETINS** are also available. Please ask an usher.

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**11:00 a.m.**

**ABOUT THIS MORNING'S SERVICE:** This morning's order of worship is adapted from Divine Service, Setting Three (LSB pp. 184-202) in the Lutheran Service Book (the burgundy hymnal). It is our intent that the service in word and song points to the meaning of the day and more importantly to its meaning and strength for your life.

**P** = Pastor      **L** = Liturgist      **C** = **Congregation**

### **ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP TODAY:**

**Assisting Elders:** Jim Polley and Chris Meyer

**Scripture Reader:** Ann Runnels

## ✠ PROCESSION OF PALMS ✠

*If the procession begins outside the nave, the congregation gathers around the processional cross. If the congregation is already seated in the nave, it now stands and faces the processional cross at the entrance to the nave.*

### GREETING

**P** The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C** Amen.

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

**C** Hosanna to the Son of David.

### COLLECT

**P** Let us pray.

Most merciful God, as the people of Jerusalem, with palms in their hands, gathered to greet Your dearly beloved Son when He came into His Holy City, grant that we may ever hail Him as our King and, when He comes again, may go forth to meet Him with trusting and steadfast hearts and follow Him in the way that leads to eternal life; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

### HOLY GOSPEL

JOHN 12:12–19

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the twelfth chapter.

**C** Glory to You, O Lord.

## **P** The Triumphal Entry

<sup>12</sup>The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. <sup>13</sup>So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, “Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!” <sup>14</sup>And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written,

<sup>15</sup>“Fear not, daughter of Zion;  
behold, your king is coming,  
sitting on a donkey’s colt!”

<sup>16</sup>His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. <sup>17</sup>The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. <sup>18</sup>The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. <sup>19</sup>So the Pharisees said to one another, “You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.

**C** Praise to You, O Christ.

**P** Let us go forth in peace,

**C** in the name of the Lord.

**PROCESSIONAL HYMN: “ALL GLORY, LAUD, AND HONOR”**

*KOINE*

*When all have arrived at their places, the procession concludes with the following:*

## GREETING

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

**C** Hosanna in the highest.

*A time of silence may be observed to highlight the contrast between Jesus' triumphal entry and His passion.*

## COLLECT OF THE DAY

**P** Let us pray.

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.

**C** Amen.

## ✠ CONFESSIO AND ABSOLUTIO ✠

*The sign of the cross may be made by all in remembrance of their Baptism.*

## INVOCATION

**P** In the name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C** Amen.

## EXHORTATION

*LSB 184*

**P** Beloved in the Lord! Let us draw near with a true heart and confess our sins unto God our Father, beseeching Him in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to grant us forgiveness.

**P** Our help is in the name of the Lord,

- C** who made heaven and earth.  
**P** I said, I will confess my transgressions unto the Lord,  
**C** and You forgave the iniquity of my sin.

*Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.*

## CONFESSION OF SINS

*LSB 184*

- P** O almighty God, merciful Father,  
**C** 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.

## ABSOLUTION

*LSB 185*

- P** 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 ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.  
**C** Amen.

## ✠ SERVICE OF THE WORD ✠

### INTROIT

PSALM 24:7–10; ANTIPHON: PSALM 118:26

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**

*LSB 186*

**C** Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

## **SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY**

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spirit.

**P** Let us pray.

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.

**C** Amen.

*Sit*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

ZECHARIAH 9:9–12

## The Coming King of Zion

<sup>9</sup>Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!  
Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!

Behold, your king is coming to you;  
righteous and having salvation is he,  
humble and mounted on a donkey,  
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

<sup>10</sup>I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim  
and the war horse from Jerusalem;  
and the battle bow shall be cut off,  
and he shall speak peace to the nations;  
his rule shall be from sea to sea,  
and from the River to the ends of the earth.

<sup>11</sup>As for you also, because of the blood of my covenant with  
you,

I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit.

<sup>12</sup>Return to your stronghold, O prisoners of hope;  
today I declare that I will restore to you double.

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** 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.

**L** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

*Stand*

#### NICENE CREED

**C** I believe in one God,  
the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth  
and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God,  
begotten of His Father before all worlds,  
God of God, Light of Light,  
very God of very God,  
begotten, not made,  
being of one substance with the Father,  
by whom all things were made;

who for us men and for our salvation came down from  
heaven

and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary  
and was made man;

and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate.

He suffered and was buried.

And the third day He rose again according to the  
Scriptures

and ascended into heaven

and sits at the right hand of the Father.

And He will come again with glory to judge both the  
living and the dead,

whose kingdom will have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Spirit,

the Lord and giver of life,

who proceeds from the Father and the Son,

who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped  
and glorified,

who spoke by the prophets.

And I believe in one holy Christian and apostolic Church,

I acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins,

and I look for the resurrection of the dead

and the life ✠ of the world to come. Amen.

*Sit*

**HYMN OF THE DAY: “JESUS REFUGE OF THE WEARY”**

*KOINE*

## CHILDREN'S SERMON

SERMON

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VOTUM

**P** The peace of God, which passes all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

**C** Amen.

*Stand*

**HYMN: "LET ALL MORTAL FLESH KEEP SILENCE"**

*LIFEWAY*

*Sit*

**PRAYER OF THE CHURCH**

**LORD'S PRAYER**

*LSB 241*

**P** Taught by our Lord and trusting His promises, we are bold to pray:

**C** 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.**

**CALL FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS**

*Stand*

**HYMN: “THIS IS MY WILL”**

*KOINE*

**✠ SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT ✠**

**PREFACE**

*LSB 194*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** **And with thy spirit.**

**P** Lift up your hearts.

**C** **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

**P** Let us give thanks unto the Lord, our God.

**C** **It is meet and right so to do.**

**PROPER PREFACE (FULL)**

**P** It is truly meet, right, and salutary that we should at all times and in all places give thanks to You, holy Lord, almighty Father, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who accomplished the salvation of mankind by the tree of the cross that, where death arose, there life also might rise again and that the serpent who overcame by the tree of the garden might likewise by the tree of the cross be overcome. Therefore with angels and archangels and with all the company of heaven we laud and magnify Your glorious name, evermore praising You and saying:

**SANCTUS: “REVELATION SONG”**

*iWORSHIP*

## THE WORDS OF OUR LORD

LSB 197

**P** Our Lord Jesus Christ, on the night when He was betrayed, took bread, and when He had given thanks, He broke it and gave it to the disciples and said: “Take, eat; this is My ✠ body, which is given for you. This do in remembrance of Me.”

In the same way also He took the cup after supper, and when He had given thanks, He gave it to them, saying: “Drink of it, all of you; this cup is the new testament in My ✠ blood, which is shed for you for the forgiveness of sins. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.”

## PAX DOMINI

LSB 197

**P** The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C** Amen.

## AGNUS DEI: “AGNUS DEI”

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*Sit*

## DISTRIBUTION HYMN: “WHEN I SURVEY”

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## DISTRIBUTION HYMN: “CROWN HIM”

*iWORSHIP*

*Stand*

## THANKSGIVING

LSB 200

**P** O give thanks unto the Lord, for He is good,

**C** and His mercy endures forever.

## POST-COMMUNION COLLECT

**P** Let us pray.

We give thanks to You, almighty God, that You have refreshed us through this salutary gift, and we implore You that of Your mercy You would strengthen us through the same in faith toward You and in fervent love toward one another; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C** Amen.

## SALUTATION

*LSB 201*

**P** The Lord be with you.

**C** And with thy spirit.

## BENEDICAMUS

*LSB 202*

**P** Bless we the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## BENEDICTION

*LSB 202*

**P** 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.

**C** Amen, amen, amen.

## HYMN TO DEPART: “WHOM SHALL I FEAR”

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# SERMON NOTES

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Weekly Notices  
Sunday, March 28, 2021

**SUNDAY MORNINGS**

**8:15 a.m. Church Sanctuary** (Communion 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays)

Live streaming on YouTube.com

**9:45 a.m. Children's Sunday School** in person downstairs

**Adult Sunday School** in fellowship hall & via Zoom

**11:00 a.m. Church Sanctuary** (Communion 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays)

**12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Drive-Thru Communion (Lower Level)**

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**ALTAR FLOWERS** – that grace the altar this morning are given to the glory of God by the Emert family in loving memory of the birthday of their mother, Irma Emert.

**IN OUR PRAYERS THIS MORNING:**

- All of those with COVID
- Hospice Care – **Carolyn Savage**, diagnosed with cancer
- Continued prayers for those who are ill or hospitalized:
  - Cancer treatment: **Mike Ragan, Mark Newmaster, Lynette Yevak, Gary Nash, Jessica Guy, Kathryn Dierks, Lucky, Stacy Emert, Marilyn Griffin and Cheryl Smith**
  - With health issues: **Megan Likens, Shirley Patrick, Bill Hale, Ruth Johnson, Grace Polley, Beverly, Raegan, John Tritthart and Roger Haugen**
  - Recovering at home: **Fred Malone**

- Our homebound: **Melanie Boucher, Don Brurud, Evelyn Burling, Brenda Parker, Beth Rumble, Rex Thomas and Mildred Schnackenberg**
- Those who celebrate:
  - Birthdays: March 29 – **Paul Allen**, 30 – **David Boucher & John Runnels** 31 – **Caroline Beck, Virginia DeFrees & Valerie Kahre**

**OFFERING BUDGET INCOME:** Last Sunday \$6,475.00

**WEEKLY BUDGET NEEDED:** \$11,054.00

**LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE:** Early – 33 / 27 online and Late – 26

**THOSE ASSISTING IN THE WORSHIP SERVICE NEXT WEEK**

**INCLUDE:**

**Assisting Elders:** Nolan Jones and Marty Colpitt

Chris Meyer and Jim Polley

**Organist:** Norma Muller

**STEWARDSHIP NOTE:** Zechariah 9:9 – “Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.” No king ever rode to war like this. But no king had ever come to wage battle by dying. In His Passion, our Lord Jesus gives everything He has and is; He does this to bring us from death to life and to make us His own people. And He also does all this to show us an example of self-giving love for us to follow.

**EASTER LILIES:** If you would like to purchase an Easter lily for the sanctuary or for yourself, please fill out the green order form from the table in the narthex. Place check and green sheet in the offering plate or on Helen’s desk. Thank you!

**YOUTH EASTER EGG AND BASKET FUNDRAISER:** SO... we are going to do something different this year for our youth fundraising. We are offering to do a personal egg hunt at home for your children, grandkids, or even your favorite neighbors. The youth and I will stuff eggs and deliver them to their locations during the night. We can either leave them on the doorstep or spread them out in the yard (depending on weather). We will also sell Easter baskets that will contain some toys and more candy. \$5 for a dozen eggs and \$15 Easter Basket. Please let me know if you are interested.

-Michael Sinn DCE

**RIDE TO CHURCH ON SUNDAYS:** If you need a ride to church, please contact Jeff Witt at 918-327-3165. The van will pick you up for the **8:15 a.m. Traditional Service and Sunday School** and will take you home afterwards.

**GREETING CARDS:** Easter cards are now available in the LWML card rack in the front entry! All cards are only 50¢ each.

**THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS:** This Wednesday, **March 31, 2021**, is the deadline to designate where you want your Choice dollars to go. Log on to your Thrivent account or call Thrivent to designate.

**ADDRESS CHANGES:** Reminder that if you change your email address (especially Cableone customers), phone number or address please let the church office know. Thank you!

**SUNDAY SCHOOL:** **There will be no Sunday school on Easter Sunday.**

**CARE PACKAGES FOR COLLEGE AND MILITARY:** I will be collecting items to send in care packages to our college students and military members. Items can be put in the barrel in the narthex. If any addresses have changed, please let me know. **The last day for supplies will be April 11th.**

Thank You! - Michael Sinn DCE

## Bible Reading Plan

This Week: March 29-April 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Sam 5-10	1 Sam 11-14	1 Sam 15-17	1 Sam 18-21	1 Sam 22-25

Next Week: April 5-9

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Sam 26-31	2 Sam 1-3	2 Sam 4-9	2 Sam 10-13	2 Sam 14-17

### IF THE LORD SHOULD TARRY

**SUNDAY, March 28**

#### **Palm Sunday**

- 7:00 am The Lutheran Hour 102.3 KRMG
- 8:15 am Divine Worship
- 9:45 am Sunday School  
(Adult - in person and via Zoom)
- 11:00 am Divine Worship  
*Holy Communion*
- 12:30-1:30 pm Drive-thru Communion  
Lower Level

**MONDAY, March 29**

**MICHAEL OUT OF OFFICE**

**TUESDAY, March 30**

- 2:00 pm Adult Bible Class
- 7:00 pm Exercise Class

**WEDNESDAY, March 31**

#### **Deadline to Direct Thrivent Choice Dollars**

- 9:00 am Ladies' Bible Study via Zoom

**THURSDAY, April 1**

#### **MAUNDY THURSDAY**

- 11:30 am Worship Service  
*Holy Communion*
- 7:00 pm Worship Service  
*Holy Communion*

**FRIDAY, April 2**

#### **GOOD FRIDAY**

- 11:30 am Tenebrae Service
- 7:00 pm Tenebrae Service

**SATURDAY, April 3**

#### **HOLY SATURDAY**

- 8:00 pm Easter Vigil Service

**SUNDAY, April 4**

#### **MITE BOX SUNDAY**

#### **EASTER SUNDAY**

- 7:00 am The Lutheran Hour 102.3 KRMG
- 8:15 am Divine Worship  
*Holy Communion*
- No Sunday School
- 11:00 am Divine Worship  
*Holy Communion*
- 12:30-1:30 pm Drive-thru Communion  
Lower Level