



Shine God's Light

As disciples of Christ, we share and rejoice
in the warmth of God's love and light by
teaching the holy word,
servicing Christ's community, and
growing together in faith.



March 24, 2024
Palm/Passion Sunday

The Service for the Lord's Day

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March 24, 2024

9:30 am

Prelude

Festal Voluntary
Ride On in Majesty!

Flor Peeters
Edward Broughton

Call to Worship

One: Sing songs of loudest praise!

All: Hosanna!

One: Sing songs that are unashamed.

All: Hosanna!

One: Sing songs without being afraid.

All: Hosanna!

One: Sing for the God of tomorrow and today.

All: Hosanna!

One: Let us worship the One worthy to be praised.

*Hymn

All Glory, Laud and Honor

No. 196

Prayer of Confession (unison)

Holy God, we want to run into the streets and sing your praise! We want to be bold and unashamed of this good-news Gospel; however, too often we find ourselves standing against the wall. Too often we stay quiet. Too often we let others carry the song. Forgive us for the moments when we could lead the parade, but instead find ourselves standing on the sidelines. Show us which songs are ours to sing. Show us which parades are ours to lead and then give us the courage and conviction to do both. With hope and honesty we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Gloria Patri

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

*Passing the Peace

(Please check first with those you approach)

Welcome and Announcements

Anthem

Bell Peal on "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"
Memorial Ringers

Susan Geschke

Children's Message

*Children's offering will be collected as they come forward for the message.
After the message, children and youth may depart for Sunday School or return to their pew.*

Prayer of Dedication

*Doxology

No. 607

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow: praise Christ all people here below;
Praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God whom we adore. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and the 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Hymn

Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!

No. 198

*Charge and Benediction

Response

Go Now in Peace

Joyce Eilers

Go now in peace and know that the love of God will guide you, feel his presence here beside you, showing you the way. In your time of trouble, when hurt and despair are there to grieve you, know that the Lord will never leave you, he will bring you courage. Know that the God who sent his son to die that you may live, will never leave you lost and alone in his beloved world. Go now in peace.

Postlude

Ride On, O King, Ride On!

Gilbert Martin

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