

THE CELEBRATION OF THE SABBATH  
PALM-PASSION SUNDAY

April 10, 2022

10:00 AM

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*"The day the power of love overrules the love of power,  
the world will know peace."*

-Mahatma Gandhi

TOLLING OF THE HOUR

PASTORAL GREETING

Revs. Moon & Fischer

PRELUDE

Norman McFarlane, Organist

*Prepare Ye the Way of The Lord - Ross Anderson*

\*INVITATION

Beth Nichols

One: Blessed is the one who comes in the power of love:

**All: Who mends the broken hearted;**

One: Who heals the sick and settles the scattered mind;

**All: Who stands with the outcast and the oppressed;**

One: Who makes a place for all peoples;

**All: Who takes the shards of violence and makes them whole.**

\*GATHERING HYMN

*All Glory Laud and Honor*

MESSAGE FOR ALL GOD'S CHILDREN

Sarah Pradhan

\*SUNG RESPONSE

*This Little Light of Mine*

SCRIPTURE

One: As we hear the words of scripture,

**All: Let us listen in the words for the Word of God.**

Luke 19:28-40

One: The grass withers and the flower fades,

**All: But the Word of God shall stand forever.**

\*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Hymnal No. 46

ANTHEM

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

Bell Choir

(arr. Anna Laura Page, based on the hymn tune Ellacombe)

SERMON

"The Way of Jesus: Humble Dynamite"

Rev. Denny Moon

PRAYERS FOR THE WORLD AND LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Dr. Sandra Fischer

\*CLOSING HYMN NO. 247

*Wind upon the Waters*

## **\*BENEDICTION**

**Go forth into the world and serve God with gladness;  
Be of good courage; hold fast to that which is good;  
Render to no one evil for evil; strengthen the fainthearted;  
Support the weak; help the afflicted;  
Honor all people; love and serve God,  
Rejoicing through the power of the Holy Spirit.  
The grace of Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
And the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all. Amen.**

## **POSTLUDE**

Norman McFarlane, Organist

*Psalm XVIII - Benedetto Marcello (1686-1739)  
("I Will Praise Thee, O Lord, my strength")*

### *MUSIC NOTES (Info from a YouTube uploader)*

*Benedetto Marcello was an Italian composer, poet and parliamentarian, born one year after Johann Sebastian Bach. Though he called himself a dilettante, he was thoroughly trained in music.*

*Marcello's masterpiece is considered to be his collection of paraphrases on the first fifty Psalms. The piece is arranged for organ by the late E. Power Biggs. This piece is played during the opening scene of the 2008 movie "Gran Torino" which was directed and produced by Clint Eastwood who also starred in the film.*

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