



Trinity Presbyterian Church

Gathering in the Name of the Triune God

A Southeastern Wisconsin PCA (Presbyterian Church of America) church.

March 29, 2015

Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday



Christus Victor

The traditional monograms **IC** and **XC** are ancient Latin abbreviations for **Jesus** (*IHCOYC*, a Latinized form of his Greek name) and **Christ** (*XRICTOC*). **NIKA** means Victor or Conqueror. Jesus Christ was born to conquer sin, death, and the Devil. The cross in the center of the world reminds us that Jesus has conquered by means of his suffering, death, and resurrection. Jesus now reigns *because* he died for us.

We symbolize Christ's Lordship with purple banners as we anticipate through the suffering and death of Jesus, the coming Easter festival and hope of newness that we celebrate in His resurrection on Easter Sunday, and every Lord's Day of the year.

Lord's Day Service – March 29, 2015 Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

Welcome & Announcements

Entrance – God Calls Us to Worship

Silent Preparation

* *Call to Worship*

Zechariah 9:9-10; 16-17

Pastor: Let us rise and worship God, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

People: **Amen!**

Pastor: The Lord be with you!

People: **And also with you!**

Ruth 2:4

Pastor: Our help is in the Name of the LORD,

People: **Who made heaven and earth.**

Ps 124:8

* *Hymn of Praise*

Trinity Hymnal, #173
All Glory, Laud and Honor

Pastor: Save now, we pray, O LORD;

Ps 118:25

People: **Hosanna to the Son of David!**

Mt 21:9

Pastor: O LORD, we pray, send now prosperity

Ps 118:25

People: **Hosanna in the highest!**

Mt 21:9

Pastor: Come let us worship and bow down.

People: **Let us kneel before the LORD our Maker.**

Ps 95:6

Purification – We Confess Our Sins to God

O most merciful God, since you have given your only begotten Son to die for me, have mercy on me, and for his sake grant me remission of all my sins; and by your Holy Spirit increase in me true knowledge of you and of your will, and true obedience to your Word, that by your grace I may come to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ my Lord. Amen!

(Silent, personal confession of sin)

Now lift up your heads and hear the good news! God, our heavenly Father, has had mercy on us. He has given His only Son to die for us, and for His sake forgives us of all our sins.

Thanks be to God! Our sins are forgiven in Jesus' name. AMEN!

Ascension – God Consecrates Us by His Word

Pastor: Lift up your hearts!

People: **We lift them up to the Lord!**

Ps 86:4, Lam 3:41

Pastor: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God!

People: It is proper and right to do so!

Psalms 92:1

Pastor: Truly it is good, right, and beneficial that we should give thanks to you at all times and in every place, O Lord, holy Father, almighty and everlasting God. You graciously invite your people to cleanse their hearts and prepare with joy for the Easter feast. Renew our zeal in faith and life, and bring us to the fullness of grace that belongs to us as the children of God. Therefore, we praise you, joining our voices with angels and archangels and with all the saints in heaven, who forever sing to the glory of your Name:

* *Hymn of Preparation*

Trinity Hymnal, #172
Ride On! Ride on in Majesty!

* *Prayer*

It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day He entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along His way. Grant that we who bear His name may ever hail Him as our King, and follow Him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. AMEN!

Old Testament Lesson: the Hallel

Psalms 113-117

Pastor: The Word of the Lord.

Trinity Hymnal, p. 650-652

People: Thanks be to God!

* *Gospel Lesson*

Mark 11:1-11

Pastor: The Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

People: Praise to you, O Christ!

Sermon

"Jerusalem! Behold, Your King Is Coming to You"

Tribute – We Offer Ourselves through Tithes

* *Presentation & Dedication of Tithes & Offerings*

* *Hymn of Consecration*

Psalter, #118C
I Shall Not Die (1st four stanzas, 10-13)

Prayers of the Church

Requests & Lord's Prayer

Peace – We Commune with God

Words of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Luke 22:14-23

We Confess Our Faith in the Triune, Incarnate God

Creed (inside hymnal cover)

* *Hymn of Thanksgiving*

Psalter, #118C
I Shall Not Die (last four stanzas, 14-17)

Benediction – God Commissions & Blesses Us

* *The Lord's Commission of Us*

Matthew 28:19-20

* *We Receive God's Blessing, His Good Word to Us*

Jude 24, 25

* *We Bless the Lord, Lifting Our Hands and Voices to Him*

Doxology

* *Threefold Amen & Postlude*

LORD'S SUPPER

We observe Communion, or the Lord's Supper, weekly in our midst.

We believe it is worthily received by those who:

1. Have been baptized in the name of the Triune God (Matt 28:18-20);
2. Do profess faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Son of God, and Savior of sinners, and do rest upon Him alone for salvation as He is offered in the Gospel (Ro 10:9-10);
3. Do live in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit and endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Jesus Christ (Gal 5:16-26); and
4. Are communing members in good standing in an evangelical church (1 Cor 10:1-6)

If these things are all true, we rejoice with you and invite you to commune with us at the Lord's Supper. If any of these are not true of you, we ask that you refrain. We invite you to speak to one of the Elders if you have doubts or questions regarding any of these beliefs, or if you are interested in learning more about Trinity.

Though collections are not ordinarily taken during a service, giving is a vital element of worship. Tithes and offerings may be placed in the basket at the rear of the church. (2 Corinthians 9:6-11)

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Sermon Notes – March 29, 2015

"Jerusalem! Behold, Your King Is Coming to You"

Text: Mark 11:1-11

1. The _____ of Christ's public entry into Jerusalem to His mission (1-8)
 - A. Prophetic fulfillment: *your* _____ *to you* (Zechariah 9:9-10)
 - B. Symbolic importance of donkey, palms, "red carpet treatment": He comes _____
2. The _____ of Christ's public entry into Jerusalem from His mission (9-11)
 - A. Prophetic fulfillment: *Hosanna!* _____ *!*
(Ps 118:25-26)
 - B. Symbolic importance: *the* _____ *that comes*

Announcements

Sunday School

No Sunday School today or next week. Sunday School will resume on April 12 with a study of WCF chapter 11, "Of Justification."

Good Friday Service

Good Friday tenebrae service this Friday evening at 7 pm. Please gather in silence for worship; after the service we will depart in silence.

Easter Breakfast

Next Sunday at 8 am we will have an Easter breakfast fellowship meal. See sign-up sheet to bring an egg casserole, fruit, or muffins/pastry.

Westminster Shorter Catechism

Questions 25-27, Trinity Hymnal, p. 667.

Scripture Memory

This week review Mark 10:42-45.

42 *Jesus...said to them, 'You know that those who are considered rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them.*

43 *'Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant.*

44 *'And whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all.*

45 *'For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.'*

WIC Activities

- Women's Bible study will meet Monday, April 13th, 7 pm. Chapter 7 of the study book will be discussed.
- Dinner Around Fellowship groups continue to meet March and April.

Set-up Teams

Next Week

April 5 Team 4 J Pennington*, Cox, K Hummel, Jens, Kelling

Following Weeks:

April 12 Team 3 J Hummel*, D Dykema, Nader, Seaman

April 19 Team 5 Reich*, D'Alessio, Leskinen, Piquette, Ruchti

April 26 Team 1 Dykema*, Burie, N Greenwald, Hammer, Zitzke

May 3 Team 2 D Greenwald*, Dietzel, B Dykema, Nagle, N Pennington