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Palm/Passion Sunday Sunday, April 10, 2022 Worship 9:30 am

Throughout the service, where you find an asterisk (*) you are invited to stand as you are able.

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gathering

Those who are able, please gather in the narthex for the beginning of the liturgy. See Celebrate for the Procession with Palms.

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

C Hosanna in the highest.

(Repeat three times.)

READING Luke 19:28-40 See Celebrate

GREETING

PRAYER

P Let us go forth in peace

C in the name of Christ. Amen.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN* Prepare the Royal Highway RED #264

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

C Hosanna in the highest.

PRAYER OF THE DAY*

See Celebrate

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Word

FIRST READING (Response: Thanks be to God)

See Celebrate

See Celebrate

PSALM (Chanted responsively by whole verse.) Psalm Tone #5 RED p. 337 SECOND READING (Response: Thanks be to God) See Celebrate GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (Please remain seated.) RED pp. 151 INTRODUCTION TO THE GOSPEL GOSPEL RESPONSE Glory to you, O Lord. **GOSPEL READING** Praise to you, O Christ. **GOSPEL RESPONSE** HYMN OF THE DAY * Christ, the Life of All the Living **RED #339** APOSTLES' CREED * RED p. 105 See Celebrate PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION* **Thanksgiving** OFFERTORY VERSE * Create in Me a Clean Heart **RED #186** Doxology * Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. OFFERTORY PRAYER * GREAT THANKSGIVING & HOLY, HOLY, HOLY * RED pp. 152-153 WORDS OF INSTITUTION * LORD'S PRAYER * RED p. 154 LAMB OF GOD * RED p. 154 COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL COMMUNION BLESSING* POST COMMUNION CANTICLE* Now, Lord **RED #201** PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION*

Sending

BLESSING * (Response: Amen, Amen, Amen)

CLOSING HYMN * All Glory, Laud, and Honor RED #344

DISMISSAL * (Response: Thanks be to God.)

POSTLUDE

Help us keep an updated prayer list. If you have placed an individual on our prayer list, please remember to notify the office when that individual can be removed. Thank you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Wayne Mixell (Jesse Burigana's grandfather), Ryan Adams (Jesse Burigana's friend), Eva Kunz, Betty Hammell, Deb Nickle (Betty Nickle's daughter-inlaw), Alex Chubb, Marion Tosheff, Mark Horvath (Millie's son), Phoebe Drake, Millie Horvath, Anthony Coppola (Carol Ranck's grandson), Tom Snyder, Mary Louise Shuler, Linda Freed, Deb Wolf, MaryPat & Aaron MacMurtie (Hope Bowling's family members), Jacqueline Neil (Brad Neil's mother), Abby Keith (Marilyn Hocker's granddaughter), Rahbiyah, Zheyan & Omid (friends of the Flemings), Sharon Veet (Dawne Veet's mother-in-law), Bernie Kunz, Ed Seneca, Todd MacMurtrie (Hope Bowling's nephew), Lisa Tosheff (Marion's daughter-in-law), Russ Kolacek (Tom & Wendy Snyder's son-in-law), Tiffany Crosby, Jeff Noaker (friend of the Flemings), Kathy Dare, Annabelle Paul, Leroy MacMurtie (Hope Bowling's father), Andrew (friend of Pastor Joel), Lisa (Dawne Veets' family member), Ed Digon (Malane's husband), Cheryl Digon (Ed & Malane Digon's daughter-in-law), Bob Sheetz (Bill's brother), Makwan Sayed (friend of the Flemings), Veronika Lenker (friend of the Flemings), Betty Giovaninello (friend of Linda Schreier), Sondra Andrews (Bob & Jean Lisse's daughter), Barbara Hammell (Betty's daughter), Vernel Brown (friend of the Flemings), Bishop Dunlop.

Pray for missionaries, especially Tonya Starner in Mongolia. Pray for our military, especially Ian Bowling, Robert McCann, Jason Nunez, Maxwell Reilly, Noel Sanchez & George Schreffler, III.

Pray for our shut-ins, especially Shirley Kaltreider, Lauralee Kunz, Irene Nanov, Miriam Reinard, Ed Seneca, Alta Shadel, Tom & Wendy Snyder.

Prayers of remembrance for Ellavene Rutter and Linda Houseseal, and condolences to her family.

MISSION STATEMENT

Our Saviour Lutheran Church, a caring congregation dedicated to the word of Christ welcomes all people to worship and grow with us as we share His love and salvation with our neighbors, our children and ourselves.

"Friendly Reminder" from Our Saviour's COVID-19 Task Force

As we all have watched the "ebb and flow" of the COVID pandemic and variant "surges", we are reminded of the "patience of Job".

During the winter months with doors and windows closed and other things like the "flu", colds, sore throats, and pneumonia, we need to "stay the course" of caring for one another. Keeping our "church home"

We thank you all for your patience and commitment to being a caring congregation. As we continue our journey thru the winter months and Lent, please remember:

- mask wearing is strongly encouraged
- hand washing continues to be very important

safe has been one of the goals of the Task Force.

 using hand sanitizer stations or personal hand sanitizer continues; sanitizing "touch points" throughout the church continues



- indoor social distancing, especially for poorly ventilated areas, is encouraged.

We encourage appropriate coughing/sneezing methods and ask folks to be mindful of others. The Fellowship Hall is available with live streaming Sunday service as an alternative to the sanctuary.

AND PLEASE, if you are not feeling well please enjoy our online live stream Sunday service (as well as archived) from the comfort of your home through our website at http://www.oslutheranharrisburg.org/. We pray that you will feel better each day.

IF you have any questions, suggestions, or concerns, please let us know. Pastor, Carol R, Hope B, Phoebe D, Victor L, Brad N, and Marcia S.

Let's think about camp!

We have received the new camping corp. brochures for the upcoming 2022 summer programs. They are on the table in the Narthex. Camping is not just for children. They offer family camp & elders camp. Pick one up & check out all that is being offered this year!

April Newsletter

A reminder that if you have not already picked up your April newsletter that is in your mailbox please do so. Of importance is our Holy Week worship schedule.

WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOUR TODAY

Please put your cell phones on quiet mode.

The bulletins today are sponsored by Our Saviour.

ASSISTING TODAY

9:30 am Reader Herb Logan

Ushers Deb Flage

Counters Donna Miller, Sara Smith,

Sandy Moritz

ASSISTING MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 14

7:00 PM Reader Alice Lubrecht

Ushers Nadine & Otis Martin

ASSISTING GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 15

7:00 PM Reader John Zimmerman

Ushers Zimmerman family

NEXT WEEK, SUNDAY, APRIL 17 EASTER SUNDAY

9:30 am Reader Deb Flage

Ushers

Communion Assistants Alice & Jim Lubrecht

Counters Jim Lubrecht, John Zimmerman

UPCOMING EVENTS:		
Today Palm Sunday	9:30am	Worship
Monday, April 11 Holy Week begins	6:00pm	Praise Him Singers Rehearsal
Wednesday, April 13	2:00pm 6:00pm	Bible Study @Manor @Oakridge Council
Maundy Thursday, April 14	7:00pm	Worship
Good Friday, April 15	12 noon 7:00pm	joint worship @Epiphany Evening worship @OSL
Saturday, April 16	7:00pm	Easter Vigil @Good Shepherd
Sunday, April 17 Easter Sunday	9:30am	Worship newsletter deadline

Easter Egg Making 2022

THANK YOU! for all the support and hard work of all of our volunteers for making this year's egg project a huge success! We could not have done it without all of you who helped make the eggs and also all of you who sold our eggs. We still have some eggs that are available for sale on a 1st come, 1st serve basis.

Family Fun Day!

The Welcome Committee is sponsoring a FAMILY FUN DAY on Sunday May 1, 2022 at 11:00 AM in the fellowship hall. We will be serving a light lunch before teaming up to play friendly rounds of Family Feud. ALL ages are encouraged to attend. We will pick teams after lunch for those interested in playing. The plan is to play several rounds. Even if you are not interested in playing, PLEASE still plan to join us as the more spectators we have, the more fun we will have! Pastor Joel will be our Master of Ceremony. The deadline to sign-up for this day of FUN is Sunday April 24th. Sign-up sheets are in the narthex. We hope you will join us!

Sponsorships of Sunday bulletins

The sign-up sheets to sponsor our Sunday bulletins for the **entire year** are now on the bulletin board. There are still many Sundays open for sponsorship.

Donations Need

We are looking to replace our artificial Christmas tree in the Sanctuary for the 2022 Christmas Season with a new one. We are asking for monetary donations for this project, please **do not** go out and purchase one on your own as a donation to the church. All donations should be placed in the offering plate in an envelope clearly marked "Christmas Tree Donations." If you have any questions about this or your donation, please call the church office. Thank you!

Manna Food Pantry

Our "2nd Sunday" food collection is still ongoing. During this time of rising food prices and combined with the pandemic, food pantries are seeing a greater demand of their services. If you would like to make a donation you may bring your items into the church & place them on the table in the Narthex at any time. There is a list of suggested items now on the table. If you are not comfortable with coming into the church building we would be happy to offer "curbside drop-off" during regular office hours. Just let us know & will be happy to come out & get your donation from you. If you would like to make a monetary donations, please mark your envelopes "Manna Food Pantry" and place it with your regular giving envelope. Thank you.

Free Oak China Cabinet is available

It is 2 pieces with a 2 door glass top and a 2 door bottom. This is free for whoever would like it. All you need to do is pick it up. Please contact the church office if you are interested.

Synod Assembly 2022

The Synod Assembly this year will be held June 3rd and 4th via Zoom. We are still looking for 2 volunteers to represent us at the Assembly, 1 lay female and 1 lay male, both voting member. If you are interested or have any questions, please call the church office or Pastor Joel. Thank you.