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*Palm/Passion Sunday*  
*Sunday, April 13, 2025*  
*Worship 9:00 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.

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READING Luke 19:28-40 See Celebrate

PRAYER

P Let us go forth in peace

**C in the name of Christ. Amen.**

PROCESSIONAL HYMN\* *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* RED #344

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PRAYER OF THE DAY\* See Celebrate

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

### *Word*

FIRST READING (*Response: Thanks be to God*) See Celebrate

PSALM (*Chanted responsively by whole verse.*) See Celebrate  
*Psalm Tone #9* RED p. 338

SECOND READING (*Response: Thanks be to God*) See Celebrate

SERMON

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (*Please remain seated.*) RED pp. 151

GOSPEL READING

HYMN OF THE DAY \* *A Lamb Goes Uncomplaining Forth* RED #340

NICENE CREED \* RED p. 104

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION\* See Celebrate

### *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.*)

CLOSING HYMN \* *Go to Dark Gethsemane* RED #347

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.***

David Ranck (Carol's husband), Linda Schreier, Carol Ranck, Shirley Lafferty (Jim Lubrecht's niece), Mike Densmore (Jeanette Logan's cousin), Dennis Hocker, Marian Wilson (Otis's sister), Jeannette Spencer (Anneke Fleming's friend), Marietje Koning (Anneke Fleming's twin sister), Patsy Bauman, Randy Brittelli (Linda Schreier's son), Adam Mazur (Linda Schreier's godson), Jennifer Dupilka (Linda Schreier's granddaughter's mother), Abby Keith, Betty Nickle, Carol Gerig, Betty Hammell, Jason Ziegler (friend of T.J. Johnson), Katherine Keister (friend of Nancy Pinko), Tina Stark (friend of Linda Schreier), Nancy Staab (Joan Bateman's sister), Patti Spirk (Logan family friend), Grace MacMurtrie (Hope Bowling's mother), Marion Tosheff, Betty Giovaninello (friend of Linda Schreier), Bishop Dunlop.

Pray for our military, especially Ian Bowling, Robert McCann, Jason Nunez, Reed Pollock, Jack Pollock, Maxwell Reilly, Myles Reilly, George Schreffler, III, & Chris Stevenson.

Pray for our shut-ins, especially Linda Freed, Shirley Kaltreider, Dottie Koppenhaver, Miriam Reinard, Pastor John Schaertel, Ed Seneca, Tom Snyder.

#### **VISION STATEMENT**

Through the power of the cross, we, as disciples of Jesus Christ, are called to nourish those who hunger in mind, body, and spirit.

### Assisting Help Is Still Much Needed!

We need **additional help!** with ushering duties & communion assistants. If we have a few more “teams” then our current assistants would not have to be assigned as often, sometime more than once a month. If you would like to help us with either of these duties, on a rotating basis, please call the church office (717-545-9992) or email Barb at (ossec@comcast.net). Thank you.

### Donations Please!

The Welcome Committee is asking for donations for our 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Socials. If you would like to donate baked goods, please sign up on the sheet that is on the Welcome Committee bulletin board directly beside the main entrance door in the Narthex. Thank you.

### Sponsorship of Sunday Bulletins

The sign-up sheets to sponsor our Sunday bulletins for the **entire year of 2025** are now on the bulletin board. The cost to sponsor remains \$12.30. **There are still open dates!**

### Jesus Said, “Let the Little Children Come to Me.”

We will have Children’s Sunday School on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month during the service. At each session the children complete a craft and enjoy a snack. **The next class will be, TODAY, April 13<sup>th</sup>!!!** Children will be excused for their lesson after the children’s message. Please share our news with anyone you know who may be interested. We welcome every child to join us and learn!

### Manna Food Pantry

Our “2nd Sunday” food collection is still ongoing. During this time of continuously rising food prices, food pantries are seeing a greater demand for their services. If you would like to donate 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 would like to make a monetary donation, please mark your envelopes “Manna Food Pantry”, and place it with your regular giving envelope.

### WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOUR TODAY

- **Welcome pads are on the pews** at the center aisle; please sign and pass to your neighbor. Please include any changes.
- Please put your cell phones in quiet mode.

The bulletins today are sponsored in honor of Pastor Joel and his family.

#### TODAY

<b>9:00 am</b>	Reader	Deb Flage
	Ushers	Nadine & Otis Martin
	Communion Assistants	Alice & Jim Lubrecht
	Counters	Herb Logan, Nadine & Otis Martin

#### MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 17

<b>7:00 pm</b>	Reader	John Zimmerman
	Ushers	Penny & John Zimmerman
	Communion Assistants	Alice & Jim Lubrecht

#### GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18

<b>7:00 pm</b>	Reader	Deb Flage
	Ushers	Kathy & Bill Sheetz

#### NEXT SUNDAY, April 20, 2025 | EASTER SUNDAY

<b>9:00 am</b>	Reader	Alice Lubrecht
	Ushers	Nadine & Otis Martin
	Communion Assistants	Jeanette & Herb Logan
	Counters	Donna Miller, Sara Smith & Sandy Moritz

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Today	9:00 am	Worship w/Children’s
	10:30 am	Sunday School
		Bible Study
		<b>Sunday fellowship</b>
Monday, April 14		Holy Week begins
Thursday, April 17	7:00 pm	<b>Maundy Thursday</b> worship



### **In Your Church Mailbox Today**

Our updated church directory has been printed & your copy is now in your church mailbox. Don't forget to pick-up your copy.

**Also**, our **April** edition of our newsletter in your mailbox for those who do not have email or request a hard copy.

**And also**, everyone's 1<sup>st</sup> quarter contribution statements are in the mailboxes also.

### **A Little Reminder**

If you use the "Designated Offering" envelopes that are in the pews & on the table in the Narthex for any contribution(s) **PLEASE!!** write your name on the envelope (space to do so is on the back) so they are recorded correctly on your giving statements. THANK YOU!!

### **Mark Your Calendars & Please Join Us - Our Community Spring Banquet**

The Welcome Committee is sponsoring our community spring banquet on **Wednesday, May 7, 2025** beginning at 6pm, here at Our Saviour.

#### **Tickets are now on sale.**

Tickets are \$18 for adults & children 10 & over; children under 10 are \$5. We will have a catered dinner, entertainment and door prizes.

Mark your calendars & please join us!

Our Menu:

Chicken Parmesan w/Baked Ziti

French Style Green Beans

Tossed Salad w/dressing

Italian Bread & Butter

Dessert

Beverages

The Entertainment:

The Amazing Magi, PA's best family magician