

MORNING WORSHIP

*The beginning of the prelude is a call to silent,
personal preparation for the worship of God.*

PRELUDE	Fanfare	<i>Roger W. Lowther</i>
	Processional	<i>William Mathias</i>
	Procession of the Nobles	<i>Nicolai Rimsky-Korsakov arr. Rich Mays</i>
	Hosanna	<i>Franz Liszt</i>
	Canzon noni toni	<i>Giovanni Gabrieli arr. Robert King</i>

INTROIT “Hosanna to the Son of David” *Jody W. Lindh*

***DOXOLOGY AND INVOCATION** (The Hymnal, 592)

***HYMN 88** “All Glory, Laud, and Honor”
Tune: VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

A WORD FOR THE CHILDREN

PRAYERS OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION *(unison)*

We praise you, O God, for your redemption of the world through Jesus Christ. Today he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph and was proclaimed Messiah and King by those who spread garments and branches along his way. Let these branches be signs of his victory, and grant that we who carry them may follow him in the way of the cross, that, dying and rising with him, we may enter into your kingdom; through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

Merciful God, as we enter this Holy Week, we confess all the ways we have failed to be faithful and strong. We confess all the ways we have failed to love you and our neighbors. We confess all the times we have been silent when we should have spoken, passive when we should have acted. Forgive us and renew our faith. Heal us and make us whole, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

DECLARATION OF PARDON

Minister: Friends, believe the good news.

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

ANTHEM

“Lift Up Your Heads, O Ye Gates” from *Messiah*

George Frideric Handel

Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lifted up ye everlasting doors,
and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory?
The Lord strong and mighty; the Lord mighty in battle.
The Lord of hosts, he is the King of glory.

PSALTER

Psalm 118:19–29 (*responsively*)

(page 534, O.T.)

*GLORIA PATRI

(The Hymnal, 579)

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Luke 19:28–40

(page 78, N.T.)

Minister: The Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

A Tale of Two Cities

CALUM I. MACLEOD

“*He went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.*” Luke 19:28 (NRSV)

*HYMN 91

“Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!”

Tune: ST. DROSTANE

*APOSTLES' CREED

(*unison*)

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge
the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost;
the holy catholic church;
the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins;
the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER *(unison)*

**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.**

PRAYER RESPONSE "Amen"

Philip Baker

OFFERING

OFFERTORY ANTHEM "Hosanna to the Son of David"

Orlando Gibbons

Hosanna to the Son of David. Blessed be he that cometh in the name of the Lord. Blessed be the King of Israel, blessed be the kingdom that cometh in the name of the Lord. Peace in heaven and glory in the highest places. Hosanna in the highest heavens.

*PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING AND RESPONSE

For the life that you have giv- en, for the love in Christ made known,
with these fruits of time and la - bor, with these gifts that are your own:
here we of - fer, Lord, our prai-ses; heart and mind and strength we bring.
Give us grace to love and serve you, liv - ing what we pray and sing.

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***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION**

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: **We lift them to the Lord.**

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

All: **God of mercy,**

**you sent Jesus Christ into Jerusalem
with a triumphal procession,
but he was soon left alone in humiliation.
The cries of “Hosanna” soon turned
to cries of “Crucify him!”**

**As we enter into this Holy Week, we thank you
for the abundant mercy you show,
as you invite us again to follow Jesus
on the road to the cross.**

**Accept these our gifts as our protest against the ways
we have not followed Christ in the past
and as our expression of hope that we may renew
our walk of faith in the days to come.**

This we ask through Christ Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

***HYMN 89**

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

Tune: ELLACOMBE

BENEDICTION AND RESPONSE

POSTLUDE

Concerto for Trumpets and Timpani

*Johann Ernst Altenburg
arr. Erich Peterson*

JOIN THE JOURNEY TO EASTER

There are no Noonday services on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday.

Maundy Thursday 12:10 p.m. Communion Service
March 28 *Matt Helms preaching*
7:30 p.m. Tenebrae Communion Service

Good Friday 12:10 p.m. Good Friday Service in the Sanctuary
March 29 *Victoria G. Curtiss preaching*
2:30 p.m. Good Friday Prayer Walk
Meet at Wayman A.M.E. Church (509 W. Elm)
4:00 p.m. Children's Service in Buchanan Chapel
7:30 p.m. Choral Service in the Sanctuary

Saturday 8:00 p.m. Easter Vigil in the Sanctuary
March 30 *John W. Vest preaching*

Easter Sunday 6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Oak Street Beach
March 31 *Joyce Shin preaching*
8:00, 9:30, 11:30 a.m. Easter Service
Calum I. MacLeod preaching
9:30 a.m. Children's Service in Gratz, Fourth Floor
4:00 p.m. Easter Jazz Service with Communion
Adam H. Fronczek preaching

*Please note that the last morning service on Easter begins at 11:30 a.m.
Also please keep in mind that Sanctuary seating for all services on Easter morning
fills quickly and early and be prepared for possible delays in entering
and exiting parking garages as a result of increased traffic volume.*

WORSHIP LEADERS

- 9:30 a.m. Victoria G. Curtiss, John W. Vest, Calum I. MacLeod
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THE MUSIC TODAY

- 9:30 a.m. Tower Brass; The Cherub Choir; The Children's Choir;
The Youth Choir; The Morning Choir
11:30 a.m. Tower Brass; The Cherub Choir; The Children's Choir;
The Youth Choir; The Morning Choir

John W. W. Sherer, Organist and Director of Music
Thomas E. Gouwens, Associate Organist
Matthew Comerford, Artistic Director of Tower Brass
Katy Sinclair, Director of Music for Children and Youth
Hsing-Huei Huang, Children's and Youth Choir Accompanist

WORSHIP NOTES

Tower Brass, Fourth Church's brass ensemble, participates in worship services as well as special events and concerts throughout the year.

The One Great Hour of Sharing Offering is being received throughout Lent. Gifts to this offering support Chicago Lights Tutoring and the Social Service Center as well as the work of Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and the Presbyterian Self-Development of People Program. To make a "One Great Hour of Sharing" gift, you can use the envelopes in the pew racks or write "Lenten Offering" on the memo line of a check made payable to Fourth Presbyterian Church. Gifts can also be made online at www.fourthchurch.org.

The palm branch on the bulletin cover was photographed from the chancel, looking up at the decorated ceiling over the nave. The cover quote is from Fleming Rutledge's book *The Undoing of Death*.

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