



## Worship of God in Christ April 2, 2023



“Entry Into the City” (2012) by John August Swanson

# Palm Sunday

Marking of the Hour

Barbara Moore

*We mark the hour, awakening us to the presence of God, alerting us to the voice of Christ,  
and centering us in the embrace of the Holy Spirit.*

Opening Words

Will Cooke

Prelude – “With Trumpets...Make a Joyful Noise Unto the Lord” (Wagner)

Barbara Moore

Lighting the Candles

*We light these candles to welcome the Spirit, for they represent how Jesus is the  
Light of the world which guides us through life.*

Opening the Bible

*We open the Bible to remind us that God speaks to us through the Holy Word.*

Call to Worship

Shirley Clark

One: We come to prepare for the holiest of weeks.

Many: We will journey through praise, with joy on our lips; we will travel  
through betrayal and death, cradling hope deep in our hearts.

One: Jesus leads us through this week, and we will follow, for he is the  
life we long for, he is the Word who sustains us.

Many: We wave palm branches in anticipation, we lay our love before  
him, to cushion his walk.

One: Setting aside all power, glory, and might, he comes: modeling  
humility and obedience for all of us.

Many: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is the One who brings us the  
kingdom of God.

\*Hymn – “All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

\*Invocation

Sheri Owen

Greeting

Sheri Owen

*Please take a moment to sign and pass the red booklets found in each row  
so that we have a record of your presence with us today.*

Children’s Sermon

Susan Deal

Mission Moment

CBF National Missions Offering

\*Hymn - “Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

Old Testament Lesson - Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Raynell Stokes

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Morning Prayer and Blessing

Rev. Val Fisk

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\*Doxology

Gospel Lesson - Matthew 21:1-11

Anu Odusanya

Leader: The Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Anthem – “Ride On King Jesus” (arr. Hogan)

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon – “What a Strange Celebration!”

Dr. Matthew Tennant

Meditation

Barbara Moore

Invitation

Dr. Tennant

*If you are interested in joining University Baptist Church or speaking  
with a minister, please come forward as we sing our final hymn.*

\*Hymn – “Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love”

\*Choral Benediction - “O Jerusalem!” (Wold) (see below)

Sanctuary Choir

\*Postlude – “See the Lord, Doom of Sinners Sharing” (J.S. Bach)

Barbara Moore

\* *Please rise as you are able, in body or spirit.*

# All Glory, Laud, and Honor

*Hosanna to the Son of David! ... Hosanna in the highest! — Matthew 21:9 NIV*

1. All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or, To Thee, Re - deem - er, King,  
2. The com - pa - ny of an - gels Are prais - ing Thee on high,  
3. To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion They sang their hymns of praise;

To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring:  
And mor - tal men and all things Cre - at - ed make re - ply:  
To Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our mel - o - dy we raise:

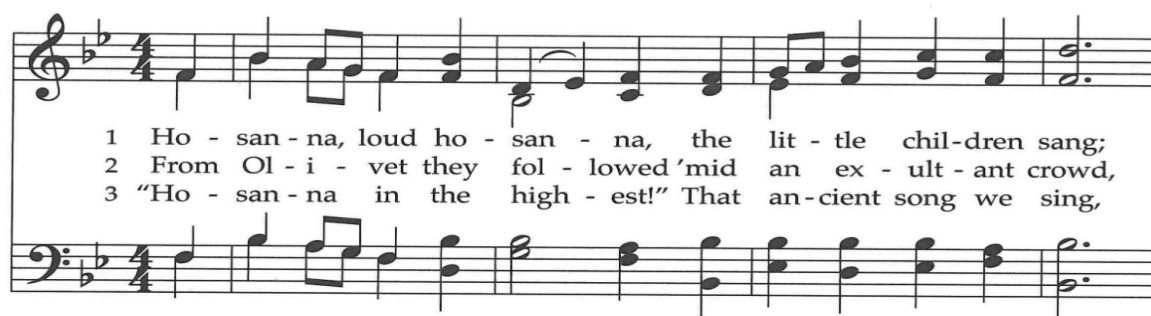
Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, Thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,  
The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went;  
Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; Ac - cept the praise we bring,

Who in the Lord's name com - est, The King and bless - ed One.  
Our praise and pray'r and an - thems Be - fore Thee we pre - sent.  
Who in all good de - light - est, Thou good and gra - cious King.

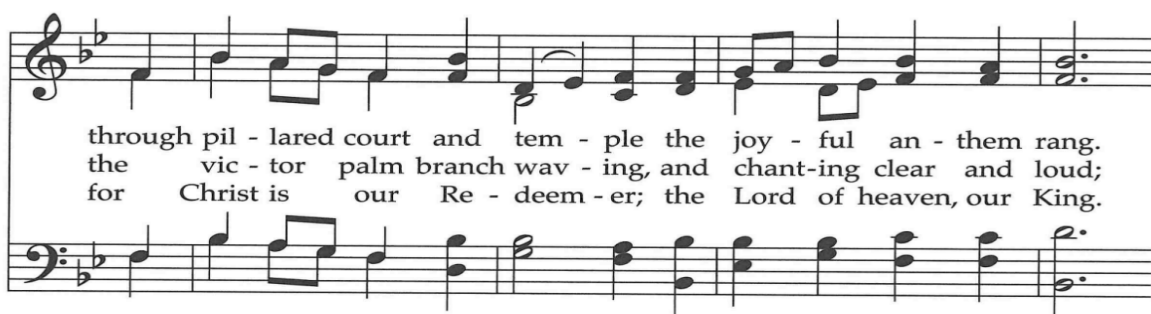
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MUSIC: Melchior Teschner, 1584-1635

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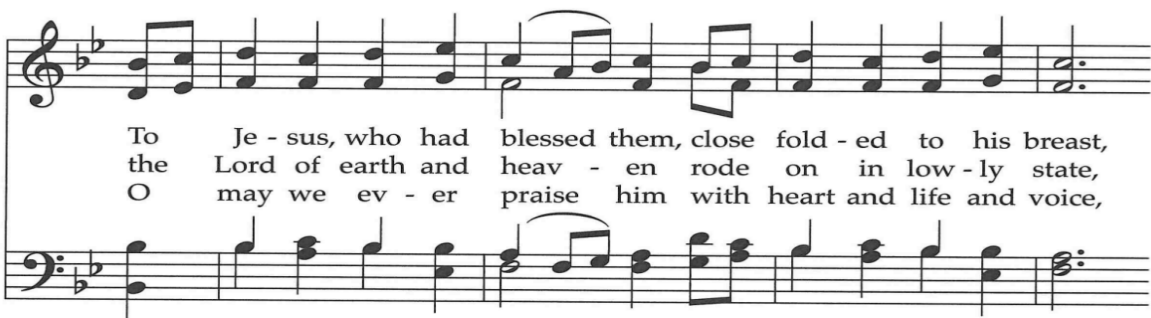
# Hosanna, Loud Hosanna



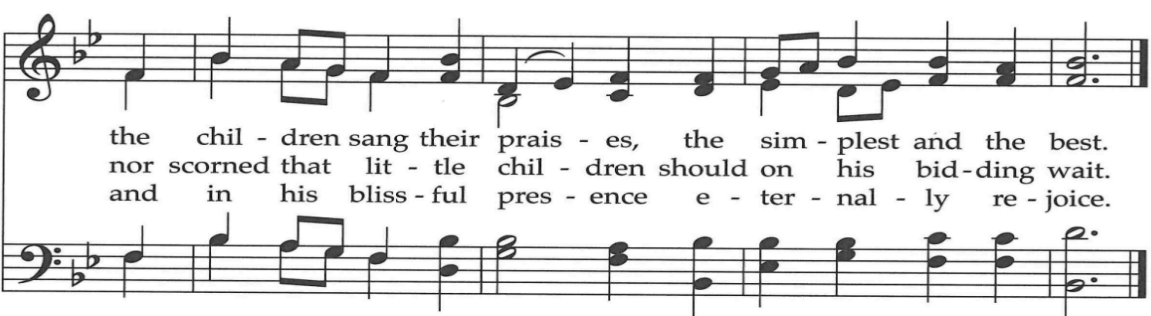
1 Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na, the lit - tle chil - dren sang;  
2 From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed 'mid an ex - ult - ant crowd,  
3 "Ho - san - na in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,



through pil - lared court and tem - ple the joy - ful an - them rang.  
the vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, and chant - ing clear and loud;  
for Christ is our Re - deem - er; the Lord of heaven, our King.



To Je - sus, who had blessed them, close fold - ed to his breast,  
the Lord of earth and heav - en rode on in low - ly state,  
O may we ev - er praise him with heart and life and voice,



the chil - dren sang their prais - es, the sim - plest and the best.  
nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren should on his bid - ding wait.  
and in his bliss - ful pres - ence e - ter - nal - ly re - joice.

The opening two stanzas narrate the first Palm Sunday in the past tense, but the third stanza shifts to the present tense to emphasize what current singers do and believe. The repeated elements in this anonymous German tune suggest the repetitive patterns in a crowd's chant.

TEXT: Jennette Threlfall, 1873, alt.

MUSIC: *Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Wirtembergischen Katholischen Hofkapelle*, 1784; alt.

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# Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

## Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people

here below; praise Holy Spirit ever more;

praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.

TEXT: Neil Weatherhogg, 1988  
MUSIC: Genevan Psalter, 1551  
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# Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love

Capo 3: (D) (A7)  
 Refrain F C7

Je - su, Je - su, fill us with your love; show

(D) (D/F#) (Em7) (A7) (D)  
 F F/A Gm7 C7 F Fine

us how to serve the neigh-bors we have from you.

(D) (Bm) (Em) (A)  
 F Dm Gm C

1 Kneels at the feet of his friends, si - lent - ly wash - es their  
 2 Neigh-bors are wealth-y and poor, var - ied in col - or and  
 3 These are the ones we should serve; these are the ones we should  
 4 Lov - ing puts us on our knees, will - ing to wash oth - ers'

(D) (Bm) (Em7) (A7) (D)  
 F Dm Gm7 C7 F to Refrain

feet, Mas - ter who acts as a slave to them.  
 race; neigh-bors are near us and far a - way.  
 love; all these are neigh-bors to us and you.  
 feet; this is the way we should live like you.

## Choral Benediction - "O Jerusalem!"

O Jerusalem! O Jerusalem!

Your stony streets broke silence as the Savior rode on by;  
Your palm trees offered branches green, the Christ to glorify;  
Your skies rang with "Hosannas!" loud, then later "Crucify!"

O Jerusalem, the great and glorious city of our salvation!

Your upper room grew warm with friends who gathered there to meet;

The floor grew wet with water as the Savior washed their feet;  
Those walls bore witness to the charge to love and drink and eat.

O Jerusalem, the great and glorious city of our salvation!

O Jerusalem! Jerusalem!

Your Garden of Gethsemane stood watch throughout the night

As Jesus sighed in anguish, prayed for rescue, fought the fight;

Your paths grew loud with marching feet as soldiers came in sight.

O Jerusalem, the great and glorious city of our salvation!

O Jerusalem! O Jerusalem!

Your Golgotha resounded with the clash of wood and nails;

Your ground grew damp with blood and tears, your air was filled with wails;

Jerusalem! Yet in such grief and brokenness the love of God prevails.

O Jerusalem, the great and glorious city of our salvation!

O Jerusalem! O Jerusalem!



# WELCOME TO UNIVERSITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Thank you for joining us in worship today. We are blessed by your presence with us, and we trust that this hour will help to deepen your spiritual life. We look forward to meeting you personally at the close of the service.

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