

Palm Sunday, 10 April 2022

St Peter's, Glenfield

Preparation

**We welcome you, King Jesus,
humble king, king of our lives,
with shouts of "hosanna"
for you are the God who saves.
We fix our eyes on you, King Jesus,
the pioneer and perfecter of faith,
Amen.**

Song: Hosanna (Praise is rising) *Brenton Brown, Paul Baloche © 2005 Thankyou Music*

Confession

Lord Jesus Christ,
we confess we have failed you as did your first disciples.
We ask for your mercy and your help.

When we take our ease rather than watch with you:
Lord, forgive us.
Christ have mercy.

When we bestow a kiss of peace yet nurse enmity in our hearts:
Lord, forgive us.
Christ have mercy.

When we strike at those who hurt us
rather than stretch out our hands to bless:
Lord, forgive us.
Christ have mercy.

When we deny that we know you for fear of the world and its scorn:
Lord, forgive us.
Christ have mercy.

May the Father forgive us
by the death of his Son
and strengthen us to live
in the power of the Spirit all our days.
Amen.

Palm crosses

**God our Saviour,
whose Son Jesus Christ entered Jerusalem as Messiah
to suffer and to die;
let these crosses be for us signs of his victory
and grant that we who bear them in his name
may ever hail him as our King,
and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life;
who is alive and reigns now and for ever.
Amen.**

Song: *Saviour of the world*

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The Word of God

Scripture Reading: Luke 19.28-40

²⁸ After Jesus had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. ²⁹ As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, ³⁰ ‘Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³¹ If anyone asks you, “Why are you untying it?” say, “The Lord needs it.”’

³² Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as he had told them. ³³ As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, ‘Why are you untying the colt?’

³⁴ They replied, ‘The Lord needs it.’

³⁵ They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it.

³⁶ As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road.

³⁷ When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen:

³⁸ ‘Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!’

‘Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!’

³⁹ Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, ‘Teacher, rebuke your disciples!’

⁴⁰ ‘I tell you,’ he replied, ‘if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out.’

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Address

Hymn: My song is love unknown

'Saviour of the World'

- 1 Jesus, Saviour of the world, come to us in your mercy:
we look to you to save and help us.
 - 2 By your cross and your life laid down, you set your people free:
we look to you to save and help us.
 - 3 When they were ready to perish, you saved your disciples:
we look to you to come to our help.
 - 4 In the greatness of your mercy, loose us from our chains,
forgive the sins of all your people.
 - 5 Make yourself known as our Saviour and mighty deliverer;
save and help us that we may praise you.
 - 6 Come now and dwell with us, Lord Christ Jesus:
hear our prayer and be with us always.
 - 7 And when you come in your glory:
make us to be one with you and to share the life of your kingdom.
- Glory to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Spirit;
as it was in the beginning is now
and shall be for ever. Amen.**

Prayers

Intercessions

Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord, have mercy.

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours
now and for ever.
Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

**True and humble king,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory.
Amen.**

Song: *Send us out*

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The Conclusion

Christ crucified draw you to himself,
to find in him a sure ground for faith,
a firm support for hope,
and the assurance of sins forgiven;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always.
Amen.

The Grace

**The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God,
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
be with us all evermore.
Amen.**

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