

PALM SUNDAY

March 24, 2024 at 8:30 AM & 10:15 AM

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

Organ Prelude David Schmidt
Piano Wendy Baldwin

Hymn 227 Come, Let Us Worship and Bow Down

Hymn 225 Come, Christians Join to Sing

Hymn 226 Oh, the Glory of Your Presence

Prayer

Scripture Reading – Psalm 144 (opposite page)

Announcements

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn 300 All Glory, Laud and Honor

Hymn 301 We Will Glorify

Message What If You Were There?

Matthew 21:1-16 Rev. Calvin VanderMey

Benediction

Postlude

WESTMINSTER CATECHISM

Q. 98. What is prayer?

A. Prayer is an offering up of our desires unto God, for things agreeable to His will, in the name of Christ, with confession of our sins, and thankful acknowledgement of His mercies, Ps.10:17; 62:8; Matt. 7:7-8, 1 John 5:14, John 16:23-24, Ps. 32:5-6; Dan. 9:4-19; 1 John 1:9, Ps. 103:1-5; 136; Phil. 4:6

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Tuesday 5:30-7 PM Youth Group

Tuesday 6:30 PM - Precept on Zoom

Wednesday 10 AM - Men's Bible Fellowship

Thursday 8:15 AM – Precept Bible Study

Thursday 6:30-7:45 PM - Choir Rehearsal

Please remember to silence your cell phones to help maintain an attitude of worship without distraction.

Psalm 144 A Song to the LORD Who Preserves and Prospers His People, A *Psalm* of David.

¹Blessed *be* the LORD my Rock, who trains my hands for war, *And* my fingers for battle—

²**My lovingkindness and my fortress,
My high tower and my deliverer,
My shield and *the One* in whom I take refuge,
Who subdues my people under me.**

³LORD, what *is* man, that You take knowledge of him?
Or the son of man, that You are mindful of him?

⁴**Man is like a breath; His days *are* like a passing shadow.**

⁵Bow down Your heavens, O LORD, and come down;
Touch the mountains, and they shall smoke.

⁶**Flash forth lightning and scatter them;
Shoot out Your arrows and destroy them.**

⁷Stretch out Your hand from above;
Rescue me and deliver me out of great waters,
From the hand of foreigners,

⁸**Whose mouth speaks lying words,
And whose right hand *is* a right hand of falsehood.**

⁹I will sing a new song to You, O God;
On a harp of ten strings I will sing praises to You,

¹⁰***The One* who gives salvation to kings,
Who delivers David His servant from the deadly sword.**

¹¹Rescue me and deliver me from the hand of foreigners,
Whose mouth speaks lying words,

And whose right hand *is* a right hand of falsehood—

¹²**That our sons *may be* as plants grown up in their youth;
That our daughters *may be* as pillars, sculptured in palace style;**

¹³*That* our barns *may be* full, supplying all kinds of produce;
That our sheep may bring forth thousands

And ten thousands in our fields;

¹⁴***That* our oxen *may be* well laden;
That there *be* no breaking in or going out;
That there *be* no outcry in our streets.**

¹⁵**Happy *are* the people who are in such a state;
Happy *are* the people whose God *is* the LORD!**

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Wednesday 6:30 PM – A Time of Prayer, Teachings on the Last

Supper, followed by Communion

Friday 6:30 PM – Good Friday Service

Resurrection Sunday Sunrise Service 7:30AM

Breakfast 8:15-9:25AM

Resurrection Sunday Main Service 9:30AM

with the choir and the Buffalo Strings

SCRIPTURE READING FOR THE WEEK

Monday— “Cleansing of the Temple

Matthew 21:12

Tuesday— “Withering of the Fig Tree”

Mark 11:21-22

Wednesday— “Supernatural Power of God in the Temple”

Matthew 21:14

Thursday— “Promise of the Spirit of Truth”

John 14:16-17

Friday— “It is Finished”

John 19:28-30

The Easter offering will be designated towards the purchase of New King James Version Bibles for our pews and new folding chairs for the three classrooms in the back.

Pew Bibles - \$2,600

Chairs - \$3,600