

A Welcoming Christ-Centered Community

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We gather in the Narthex Greeting

Prayer of the Day

First Reading

Quality Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem! Lo, your king comes to you; triumphant and victorious is he, humble and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. The will cut off the chariot from Ephraim and the war-horse from Jerusalem; and the battle bow shall be cut off, and he shall command peace to the nations; his dominion shall be from sea to sea, and from the River to the ends of the earth. The for you also, because of the blood of my covenant with you, I will set your prisoners free from the waterless pit. The Return to your stronghold, O prisoners of hope; today I declare that I will restore to you double.

Processional "All Glory Laud and Honor" (ELW 344)

Welcome

Song of Praise: "Golden Breaks the Dawn" (ELW 852)

Children's Time - Belynda K.

Psalm 35:1-10

¹Contend, O LORD, with those who contend with me;

fight against those who fight against me!

²Take hold of shield and buckler, and rise up to help me!

³Draw the spear and javelin against my pursuers; say to my soul, "I am your salvation."

⁴Let them be put to shame and dishonor who seek after my life.

Let them be turned back and confounded who devise evil against me.

⁵Let them be like chaff before the wind, with the angel of the LORD driving them on.

⁶Let their way be dark and slippery, with the angel of the LORD pursuing them.

⁷For without cause they hid their net for me; without cause they dug a pit for my life.

⁸Let ruin come on them unawares.

And let the net that they hid ensnare them;

let them fall in it — to their ruin.

⁹Then my soul shall rejoice in the LORD, exulting in his deliverance.

¹⁰All my bones shall say, "O LORD, who is like you?

Pastor: Rev. Trish Schmermund (she, her, hers)

Ministers: Every Member

Musician: Jared Samborski (he, him, his)

You deliver the weak from those too strong for them, the weak and needy from those who despoil them."

Second Reading

Revelation 7:1-3,9-12

¹After this I saw four angels standing at the four corners of the earth, holding back the four winds of the earth so that no wind could blow on earth or sea or against any tree. ²I saw another angel ascending from the rising of the sun, having the seal of the living God, and he called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to damage earth and sea, ³saying, "Do not damage the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have marked the servants of our God with a seal on their foreheads." 9After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. ¹⁰They cried out in a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!" 11And all the angels stood around the throne and around the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, ¹²singing, "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might be to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Gospel Acclamation – ELW Setting 4. p.151 (Lent)

Gospel Reading

Mark 11:1-11

¹When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples ² and said to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it, you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. 3lf anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately." 4They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, 5 some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" 6They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it. ⁷Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it; and he sat on it. 8Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields. 9Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! 10Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" ¹¹Then he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple; and when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

Sermon - Rev. Trish Schmermund

Song of the Day

"Blessed Be the God of Israel" (ELW 250)

Prayers

In our prayers: Dave B, Dayna S, Cody M, Susan K, Pr. Richard R, Daryl A, Tom d, Son & Tien N, Kevin L, Dennis L, Tim L, Gertie B, Luke T, Corey, Catherine, Jo-Ann T. and those we hold dear in our hearts.

Sharing of the Peace

Offertory "Restore in Us, O God" (ELW 328) vs 1,2,3

The Great Thanksgiving – ELW Setting 4, p.152

Sanctus - ELW Setting 4, p.153

Eucharistic Prayer

Lord's Prayer – (by W Wallace)

Invitation to Communion

Communion Songs

Lamb of God - ELW Setting 4, p.154

"Hark! A Thrilling Voice Is Sounding" (ELW 246)

"Great God, Your Love Has Called Us" (ELW 358)

"When the Poor Ones" (ELW 725)

"All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly" (ELW 725)

Community Life

Blessing

Sending Song

"Let Streams of Living Justice" (ELW 710)

Dismissal

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