

Peace Lutheran Church

Palm Sunday

Saturday, April 12, 2025 + 6:00 PM & Sunday, April 13, 2025 + 8:00 AM

PRESERVICE MUSIC (8:00 am only)

Bill Rusch

WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK - "He answered, 'I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out.'" *Luke 19:40*

INVOCATION *Based on Mark 11:9-10*

- L: In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.
C: **Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!**
L: Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!
C: **Hosanna in the highest!**

OPENING HYMN

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

LSB 443 v. 1-3

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

- L: Let us confess our sins to God: Almighty God, we daily sin against You in our thoughts, words and actions. Our sins sent You to Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, and then to the cross on Friday. You went willingly out of love.
C: **Be merciful to us, O God, for often we fail to go to others with the words of love, forgiveness, and salvation that You have given us. Be merciful to us, O God, and forgive our sins.**
L: God has had mercy on you and has sent his Son to be our Savior. For the sake of Jesus and by his command, as a called and ordained servant of the Word, I forgive you all your sins in the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.
C: **I will give thanks to You, O Lord, among the peoples; I will sing praises to You among the nations!**

RESPONSE HYMN

"Ride On, Ride On in Majesty"

LSB 441 v. 1,2,5

PRAYER FOR THE DAY

- L: Let us pray. Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
- C: **Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Deuteronomy 32:36-39

Pew Bible Pg. 164

The Lord will vindicate his people
and have compassion on his servants,
when he sees that their power is gone
and there is none remaining, bond or free.
Then he will say, "Where are their gods,
the rock in which they took refuge,
who ate the fat of their sacrifices
and drank the wine of their drink offering?
Let them rise up and help you;
let them be your protection!
"See now that I, even I, am he,
and there is no god beside me;
I kill and I make alive;
I wound and I heal;
and there is none that can deliver out of my hand."

- L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

EPISTLE READING

Philippians 2:5-11

Pew Bible Pg. 921

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name,

so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

8:00AM

Jenny Weyker

GOSPEL

Luke 19:28-40

Pew Bible Pg. 825

When [Jesus] had said these things, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village in front of you, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' you shall say this: 'The Lord has need of it.'" So those who were sent went away and found it just as he had told them. And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying the colt?" And they said, "The Lord has need of it." And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road. As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."

L: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

C: **Praise to You, O Christ.**

SERMON HYMN

"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

LSB 442 v. 1-5

SERMON

"The Stones Will Cry Out"

Pastor Dave Karolus

"Luke 19:28-40"

APOSTLES' CREED

OFFERING PRAYER

OFFERING HYMN (Saturday only) “Prepare the Royal Highway” **LSB 343 v. 1-3**

SOLO (8:00 am only) “Feel the Nails” Bill Rusch

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

LORD’S PRAYER

CLOSING PRAYER

BENEDICTION

P: The Lord bless you and keep you.
 The Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you.
 The Lord look upon you with favor and give you His peace.
C: **Amen.**

CLOSING HYMN “Prepare the Royal Highway” **LSB 343 v. 4**

Holy Week Schedule

April 13	Palm Sunday Worship	8 & 10:30 am
	Easter Egg Hunt	9:15 am
April 17	Maundy Thursday	6:30 pm
April 18	Good Friday Service	1:30 & 6:30 pm
April 18-19	Prayer Vigil	Fri. 8 pm – Sat. Midnight
April 20	Easter Sunrise/HC	6:00 am
	Easter Breakfast	7:00 am
	Easter Worship/HC	8:00 am & 10:30 am
	Bible Study	9:15 am