

Palm Sunday April 2, 2023 9:30 AM

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Gathering

Welcome

Procession

\*Call to Worship

One: Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion!

**All: Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem!**

One: Lo, your king comes to you.

**All: Triumphant and victorious is he.**

One: Humble and riding on a donkey.

**All: On a colt. The foal of a donkey.**

\*Opening Hymn    "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"                      UMH 278

\*Opening Prayer

**We praise you, O God, for your redemption of the world through Jesus Christ. He entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph and was proclaimed Messiah and King by those who spread garments and branches along his way. Just as we carry these branches, may we follow Christ in the way of the cross, that, dying and rising with him, we may enter into your kingdom, through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.**

Joys and Concerns

Special Music

Scripture Reading    Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

\*Hymn                      "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"                      UMH 297

Scripture Reading    Matthew 21:1-11

Sermon                      *Palm Sunday*                      Pastor Sam

Pastoral Prayer

Response to the Word                      UMH 7

Holy Communion

\*Closing Hymn    "The Cross of Christ I Glory"                      UMH 295

\*Blessing and Benediction

\*Recessional Hymn

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**We invite you to keep the following people in your prayers**

Joan Alsever, **Miriam Baker**, Tammy Baskaran, Bob Reed's cousin Lydia, Bruce Beckman, Chris Billings, Yvonne Boone family, Michael Brick, family of Michael Britt, Richard Blood, **Libby Bowerman**, Roy Callahan, **Dave Calloway**, Csanady Family, Darlene Cushman's family, Family of Sheila Davis, Steve Dawson, Family of Bill Dietz, family of Mary Edmundson, Jessica Favret, Pat Finley, Family of Baby Graham Geschke, Lynn Gibbons, Brenda and Georges Guerrier, Anna Marie Hall, **Mark Hardy**, Rose Hatten, Ellie Hunter, family of Dean Jestes, Kurek family, Carol Levigne, Billy Lewis, Ed Massey, Henry Meyers, family of Kirk Miller, Craig Moore, Brian Morton, Gail Phillips Smith and Miles Smith, Theresa Schmitt and the Mullins children, Mark Poerttner, Family of Bob Quisenberry, Scott Robert, Dana Rosendahl, **Russell Rueling**, Family of Ed Scott, Julie

Shachochis, Pat Sievers, Bob Smith, **Spicher family**, Nancy Talbot, Sharon Truedel, Don Weinberg, Family of Harding Wescott, David Whye, Bud Whitehead, **family of Jamie Whitehead**, family of Mary Francis Whitehead, family of Reds Williams, Tom Wimsatt

**Long-term prayer concerns:** Karyn Brandel, Coolidge Family, Cunningham Family, Jerry Fowler, Karen Goles, Shirly Graham, Richard Giffin, Carrie Harrison, Robin Jones, Barbara Maury, Anna Catherine Miller, Michael Smith, Dustin Summers, Ryan Whitehead and his family, Tony Zile

**Thank you** to our Greeters and Ushers

**Thank you** to our Liturgist – Tom Weldon

**Bible Study Opportunities**

- Sunday School – following the service at Emory
- 10 AM Monday at Gary Memorial – He Took the Nails
- 10 AM Tuesday at Emory – The Last Days of Jesus
- 6:30 PM Tuesday at Gary Memorial – He Took the Nails

**Mission Outreach:** The homeless shelter on Route 1 is in need of men's jeans - waist size 30" 31" and 32" in any length.

Jean Reed is collecting prescription bottles of all sizes...