

*Palm Sunday*  
**Service of Word**  
*March 29, 2026 at 11:00am*

**GATHERING IN PRAISE**

*Gathering in the Fellowship Hall*

*The Opening Song of Praise*

This is the Day (*see insert*) No. 657

*The Introduction to the Service*

*The Opening Prayer*

*The Lighting of the Candles*

*\*The Processional Hymn*

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty” (*see insert*) No. 64 (all verses)

*The Call to Worship*

Hosanna!

**Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord!**

Hosanna in the Highest Heaven.

**Save us Jesus, our Redeemer and King.**

*The Intercessory Prayers*

The light of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

*The Lord’s Prayer*

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,

for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.

Amen.

*The Giving of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings*

*The Offertory*

“All Glory Laud and Honor” arr. Berry

*\*The Doxology*

**THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

*\*The Prayer for Illumination* *see insert*

*\*The Scripture Lesson* Ezekiel 37:1-14

*The Anthem*

“Jerusalem, Behold Your King” Barrett and Angerman

*The Sermon*

“Giving Up: Hopelessness”

**RESPONDING IN FAITH**

*\*The Hymn of Response*

“What a Friend We Have in Jesus” No. 526 (vs. 1, 3)

*\*The Apostles’ Creed*

No. 881

*\*The Gloria Patri*

**SENDING FORTH**

*\*The Hymn of Invitation*

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor” No. 280 (vs. 1, 4, 5)

*\*The Benediction*

The Lord bless you and keep you.

The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you.

The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

*\*The Choral Benediction*

“All My Trials” Sinclair

*\*Postlude*

“Lift High the Cross” arr. Berry

*The flowers on the Altar are dedicated to the Glory of God  
and given in loving memory of  
Lt. Col. “B” and Marie “Boosie” Watson  
by their children.*

## WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Ferns** – The church is selling ferns for \$22.00. All proceeds for these plants will go to missions. Call the church office to place your order. The deadline to order is Easter Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Hydrangeas** – If you purchased hydrangeas, they may be collected after the Easter service on April 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Holy Week** – Mark your calendars to make sure you can participate in this year's holy week worship. **There will be no Wednesday night activities during Holy Week.**

Thursday, April 2	6:00pm	Maundy Thursday Worship
Friday, April 3	12:05pm	Good Friday Worship
Sunday, April 5	11:00am	Easter Worship

**Camp Lake Stephens Clean-up Day** – Camp Lake Stephens is holding a winter storm clean-up day on Saturday, April 11, from 9:00am to 1:00pm. Please contact Brother Chad if you are interested in helping.

**Mission Trip Interest Meeting** – If you are interested in future mission trips, please attend the meeting on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, after church in the library.

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

*Meetings will take place in the church library*

**Mar. 30 at 5:00pm** – CDC Board

**Apr. 9 at 10:00am** – Congregational Care Committee

## MID-WEEK ACTIVITIES

### Tuesday

5:00pm Revive Study Group

### Wednesday

12:00pm Holy Communion (Sanctuary)

*Blessed is he that cometh  
in the name  
of the Lord;*

*Hosanna  
in the highest.*

MATTHEW 21:9