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“Join us for a drink of Living Water”

April 5, 2020
Palm Sunday

We welcome you to the worship of God Almighty this Lord’s Day. It is our intention to bring glory and honor to Him.
God enters our time of worship and we remember this time belongs to Him. **Your Worship Commission**

Meditation

The God you have offended doesn’t demand your blood; he gives his own in Christ Jesus. He knows what you deserve, but he wants to give you what you don’t deserve. He himself has opened the way. He took the initiative. How could it be otherwise? WE can’t avert the wrath of God. We’re the problem, not the answer. We’re helpless before God. But ‘God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son. . . ’ (John 3:16). At the cross, God’s love satisfied his own wrath.

-- Raymond Ortlund Jr.

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Russ Ewing, Lay Assistant

*As we are called into worship today,
it is sobering to remember that when God appeared on earth,
most of the world did not recognize him,
and therefore did not worship him.
Today, Lord, we ask for faith that will open our eyes to see Jesus
for who he actually is,
that we may worship, you, the Triune God, in truth.
Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!*

Hymn

‘All Glory, Laud, and Honor’

Praise and Worship

‘Lead Me to the Cross’

In Essentials...

UNITY

In Non-essentials...

LIBERTY

In All Things...

CHARITY

‘He Will Hold Me Fast’

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Lord God, we give you thanks for the life and ministry of your Son, Jesus Christ, while he witnessed to you on earth. Yet we also acknowledge our failure to respond earnestly to his witness.

We often mistake you, Jesus, for a mere earthly king, simply a friendly companion or problem-solver, instead of the Lord of all creation. We fail to appreciate the depth of your passion and sacrifice on the cross to pay for our sin and faithlessness. We ask for your mercy, grace, and forgiveness in these days of difficulty. . . (silent prayers of confession)

Assurance of Pardon

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

Creed *from the Westminster Catechism*

The Lord Jesus undertook the role of being our mediator completely voluntarily. In order to discharge it, he was made under and perfectly fulfilled the law. He endured extremely severe torment in his soul and extremely painful suffering in his body. He was crucified and died. He was buried and remained under the power of death, but his body did not see decay. On the third day he arose from the dead with the same body in which he suffered and with which he also ascended into heaven. There he sits at the right hand of his Father, interceding for believers. He will return to judge humanity and angels at the end of the world.

By his perfect obedience and sacrifice, offered up to God once and for all through the Holy Spirit, the Lord Jesus has completely satisfied the justice of his Father and purchased not only reconciliation but also an everlasting inheritance in the kingdom of heaven for everyone whom the Father has given to him.

Scripture Readings

John 11:21-27, 12:9-19

Leader: The Word of the Lord ~

People: Thanks be to God ~

Sermon

‘I Am the Resurrection and the Life’
Series: The ‘I Am’ Statements of Jesus

Rev. Scott Graham

Pastoral Prayer and 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.”

Praise Song

‘The Lord is my Salvation’

Hymn

‘There is Power in the Blood’

Benediction

Benediction Response

‘When I Survey the Wondrous Cross’ (Verse 4)

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