

First Baptist Church



Growing Toward Christ

April 10, 2022

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022

Morning Worship

Eleven o'clock

* Please stand as you are able.

Greeting and Invocation

Dr. Wayne Brown

Prelude

The Holy City

Mrs. Patricia Slomanski
arr. Albin Whitworth

Call to Worship

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

Congregation

Leader: O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his steadfast love endures forever!

People: Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures forever."

Leader: Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD.

People: This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it. I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

Leader: The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

People: This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes. This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Leader: Save us, we beseech you, O LORD! O LORD, we beseech you, give us success!

People: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD. We bless you from the house of the LORD.

Leader: The LORD is God, and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar. You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you.

All: O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.

Worship Through Song

Children's Music and Chancel Choir
Who Will Wave the Palms? Glenn and Susan Eernisse

Worship Through Song

Dr. Brown, soloist and Chancel Choir
The Palms Jean-Baptiste Fauré

O'er all the way green palms and blossoms gay,
Are strewn this day in festal preparation.
Where Jesus comes to wipe our tears away,
E'en now the throng to welcome Him prepare;

Chorus:

Join all and sing, His name declare,
Let every voice resound with joyful acclamation.
Hosanna! Praise ye the Lord!
Bless him who cometh to bring us salvation!

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His word goes forth and peoples by its might
 Once more regain freedom from degradation,
 Humanity doth give to each his right,
 While those in darkness find restored the light.

Repeat Chorus:

Sing and rejoice O blest Jerusalem,
 Of all Thy sons sing Thou emancipation,
 Through boundless love the Christ of
 Bethlehem
 Brings faith and hope to Thee forever more.

Repeat Chorus:

Responsive Reading

Congregation

Leader: We've watched you enter the holy city. We find ourselves in the crowd,
 asking, "Who is this before whom we sing 'glory, laud, and honor' "?

People: Christ, our King, a ruler made known in brokenness and strength,
 not in earthly power.

Leader: Who is this before whom we wave our palms in worship?

People: Christ, our Redeemer, who at the heart of the passion and pain
 gives life in all its fullness.

Leader: Who is this whose name brings salvation and life wherever preached?

People: Christ, our Savior, who lifts our hearts in praise.

All: Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is He who comes in the
 name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" (Matthew 21:9b)

* Hymn, No. 126

All Glory, Laud and Honor

ST. THEODULPH

Offertory Prayer

Mrs. Lauren Cole

Offertory

Meditation at the Cross

Mrs. Slomanski
 arr. Albin Whitworth

* Offertory Response

Doxology

HAMBURG

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
 Praise Him, all creatures here below;
 Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;
 Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Pastoral Prayer

Dr. Brown

Scripture Reading

Zechariah 9:9
 Matthew 21:1-11

Dr. Brown

Message

Who Doesn't Like a Parade?

Dr. Brown

Commitment Hymn, No. 150

REDHEAD 76

Go to Dark Gethsemane

Benediction

Dr. Brown

Postlude

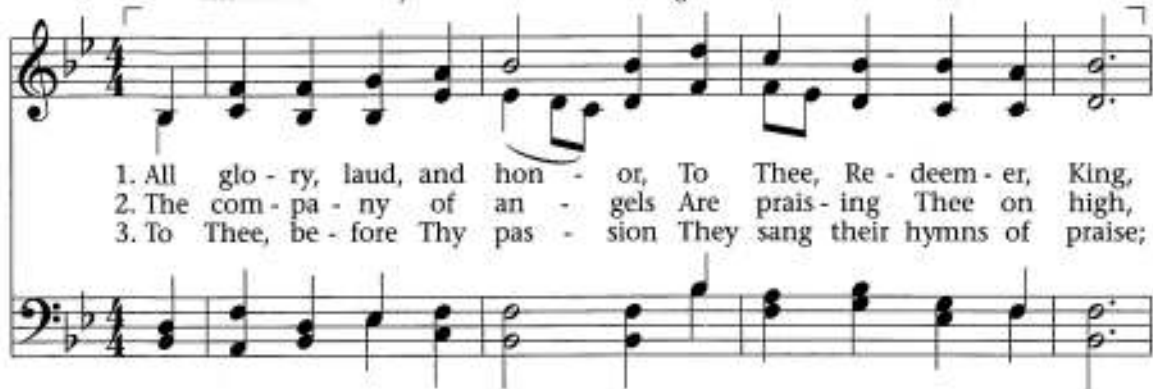
Lift Up Your Heads, O Ye Gates
 (from MESSIAH)

Mrs. Slomanski
 George Frideric Handel

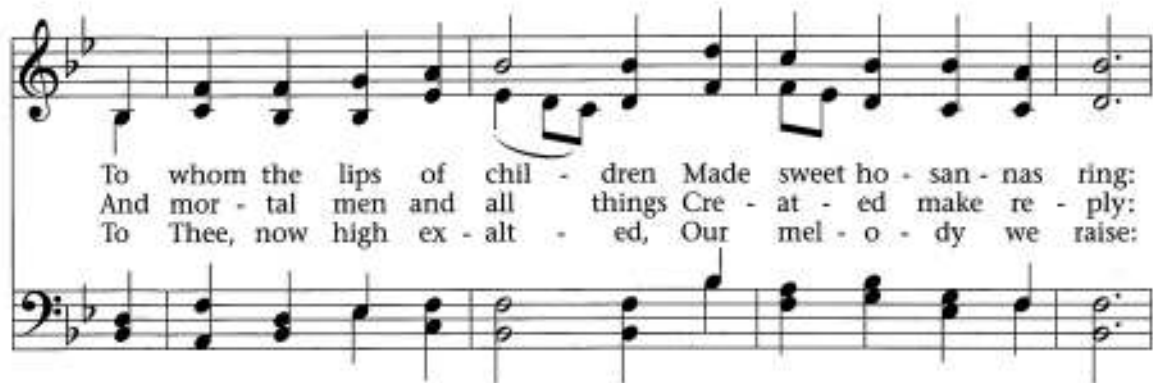
All Glory, Laud, and Honor

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Hosanna to the Son of David! ... Hosanna in the highest! — Matthew 21:9 NIV



1. All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or, To Thee, Re - deem - er, King,
 2. The com - pa - ny of an - gels Are prais - ing Thee on high,
 3. To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion They sang their hymns of praise;



To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring:
 And mor - tal men and all things Cre - at - ed make re - ply:
 To Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our mel - o - dy we raise:



Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, Thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
 The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went;
 Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; Ac - cept the praise we bring,



Who in the Lord's name com - est, The King and bless - ed One.
 Our praise and pray'r and an - thems Be - fore Thee we pre - sent.
 Who in all good de - light - est, Thou good and gra - cious King.

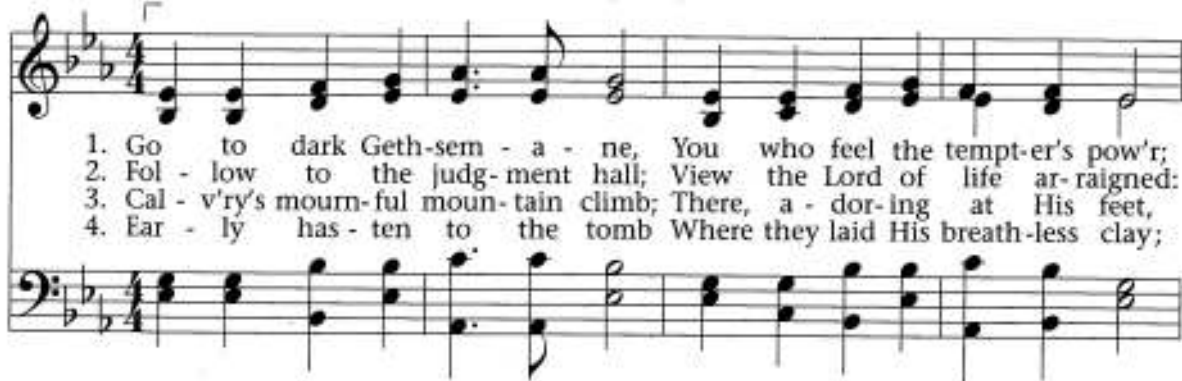
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 MUSIC: Melchior Teschner, 1584-1635

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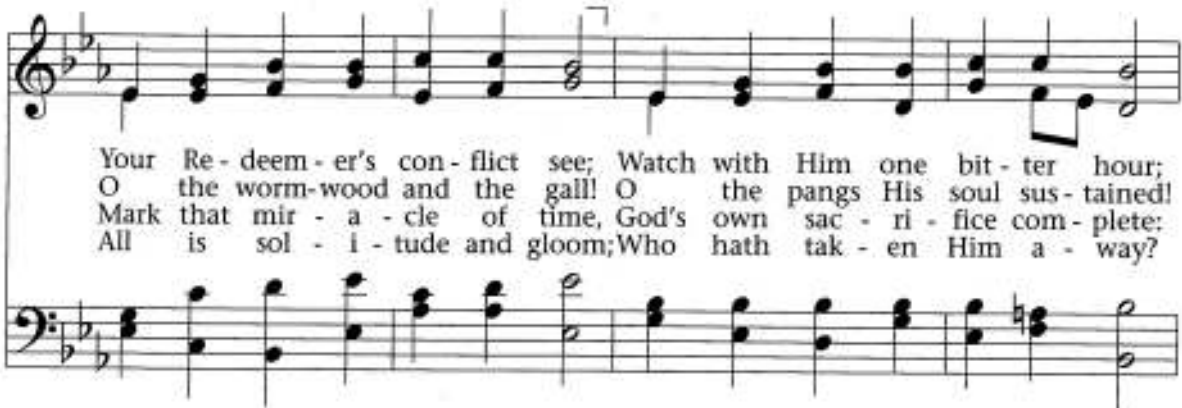
Go to Dark Gethsemane

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My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death — Matthew 26:38 NIV



1. Go to dark Geth-sem - a - ne, You who feel the tempt-er's pow'r;
 2. Fol - low to the judg-ment hall; View the Lord of life ar-raigned;
 3. Cal - v'ry's mourn-ful moun-tain climb; There, a - dor-ing at His feet,
 4. Ear - ly has - ten to the tomb Where they laid His breath-less clay;



Your Re - deem - er's con - flict see; Watch with Him one bit - ter hour;
 O the worm-wood and the gall! O the pangs His soul sus - tained!
 Mark that mir - a - cle of time, God's own sac - ri - fice com - plete:
 All is sol - i - tude and gloom; Who hath tak - en Him a - way?



Turn not from His griefs a - way; Learn of Je - sus Christ to pray.
 Shun not suf - f'ring, shame, or loss; Learn of Him to bear the cross.
 "It is fin - ished!" Hear the cry; Learn of Je - sus Christ to die.
 Christ is ris'n! He meets our eyes: Sav - lor, teach us so to rise.

WORDS: James Montgomery, 1771-1854
 MUSIC: Richard Redhead, 1820-1901

REDHEAD 76
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The flowers are given to the glory of God.

Today's Responsive Reading was adapted from *Prayers & Litanies for the Christian Seasons*,
Smyth & Helwys Publishing Incorporated, Macon, GA, 1999.

The Palms

Join all and sing, His name de-clare, Let ev - ry voice re - sound-with
joy - ful ac - cla-ma - tion. Ho - san - na! Praise ye the Lord!
Bless Him who com-eth to bring us sal - va - tion!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Sunday, April 10

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

Monday, April 11

5:15 p.m. Children's Music Activity

Wednesday, April 13

12:00 noon Lenten Service at WUMC with
guest speaker Rev. Marty Sellers, Pastor of
Evergreen United Methodist Church,
lunch to follow, no cost for the meal,
donations accepted
4:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
5:30 p.m. Children's Committee Easter Activity—Pizza,
Egg Hunt, Easter Message, and Games.

Maundy Thursday, April 14

6:00 p.m. Communion and Tenebrae:
A Service of Shadows at WUMC

Good Friday, April 15

12:00 noon Devotion around the FBC Cross

Resurrection Sunday, April 17

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship Celebration with
Ordinance of Baptism

Saturday, May 21

Operation Inasmuch

If you would like to be considered for an FBC College Scholarship,
please see Donna Prince or come by the church office to pick up
an application.

Deacons of the Week

4/10 Genie Carter / Peggy Underwood
4/17 David Carter / Glenn Waters
4/24 Stephen Prince / Mary Alice Stanley
4/31 Kate C. Lee / John Sauls



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