

The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

March 28, 2021, 11:00 am

Liturgy of the Palms and The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

The small white flags are placed to maintain social distancing between households. Please set up your chairs, and come to the front of Brooks Hall. If necessary, rest rooms are available in Claiborne Parish House, the building directly behind the church.

Prelude

The Rector says words of introduction.

Celebrant Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

People Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.

Celebrant Let us pray. . . .

The People respond to the prayer Amen.

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Mark 11:1-11

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.
People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Celebrant The Lord be with you. People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

People Hosanna in the highest.

Deacon Let us go forth in peace.

People In the name of Christ. Amen.

Processional Hymn 154



The stanzas may be sung by choir alone or alternately by contrasted groups; all sing the refrain.

Words: Theodulph of Orleans (d. 821); tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt.

Music: Valet will ich dir geben, melody Melchoir Teschner (1584-1635), alt.; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889)

The procession then moves inside the church.

Once everyone reaches their seats, the Celebrant continues The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray. . . .

The People respond to the collect Amen.

Isaiah 50:4-9a

After the lesson

Reader The Word of the Lord. People Thanks be to God.

Psalm 31:9-16 read in unison

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I am in trouble; * my eye is consumed with sorrow, and also my throat and my belly. For my life is wasted with grief, and my years with sighing; * my strength fails me because of affliction, and my bones are consumed.

I have become a reproach to all my enemies and even to my neighbors, a dismay to those of my acquaintance; * when they see me in the street they avoid me.

I am forgotten like a dead man, out of mind; *

I am as useless as a broken pot.

For I have heard the whispering of the crowd;

fear is all around; *

they put their heads together against me;

they plot to take my life.

But as for me, I have trusted in you, O Lord. *

I have said, "You are my God.

My times are in your hand; *

rescue me from the hand of my enemies,

and from those who persecute me.

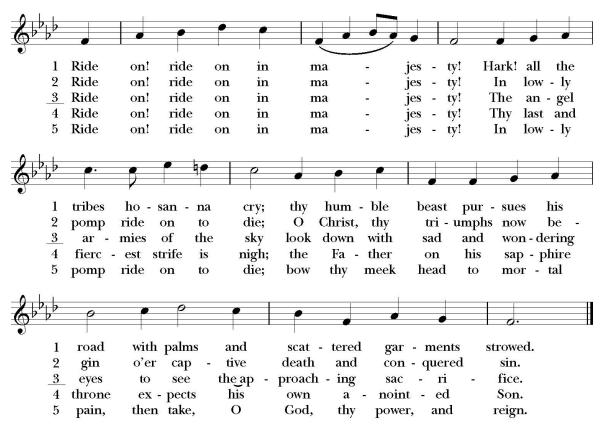
Make your face to shine upon your servant, * and in your loving-kindness save me."

Philippians 2:5-11

After the lesson

The Word of the Lord. Reader Thanks be to God. People

Sequence Hymn 156



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Mark 15: 1-47

The customary responses before and after the Gospel are omitted.

Sermon

David Goodpaster

Prayers of the People, Form V

The people respond to each petition Lord, have mercy.

Deacon Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

After a period of silence, all pray together

Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

The Priest pronounces absolution; then all stand

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

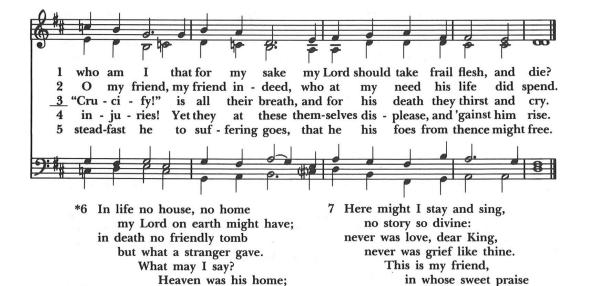
People And also with you.

In greeting each other in the name of the Lord, keep at least 6 feet distant.

Announcements

Offertory Hymn 458 (vss. 1, 2, 6)





Words: Samuel Crossman (1624-1683), alt. Music: Love Unknown, John Ireland (1879-1962)

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I all my days

could gladly spend.

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

but mine the tomb

wherein he lay.

The Celebrant continues

God of all power, Ruler of the Universe, you are worthy of glory and praise.

People Glory to you for ever and ever.

Celebrant At your command all things came to be: the vast expanse of interstellar space, galaxies, suns, the planets in their courses, and this fragile earth, our island home.

People By your will they were created and have their being.

Celebrant From the primal elements . . . and we turned against one another.

People Have mercy, Lord, for we are sinners in your sight.

Celebrant Again and again, you called us to return. . . the way of freedom and peace.

People By his blood, he reconciled us. By his wounds, we are healed.

Celebrant And therefore we praise you . . . in their unending hymn:

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho -ly Lord, God of pow-er and might, hea-ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

The Celebrant continues ... offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

People We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming. *Celebrant* . . . one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

People **Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.** *Celebrant* Accept these prayers and praises, . . . from generation to generation.

People AMEN.

Celebrant As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray.

All

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

S 161 Lamb of God, you take way the sins of the world: Lamb of God, take have mer - cy us. you way on 0 sins of the world: have mer - cy Lamb of God. onus. you take a - way the sins of the world: grant us peace.

When Bread and Wine are ready for distribution, the Celebrant says
The gifts of God for the people of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for
you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion. Be sure to maintain 6 feet of distance from anyone outside your household at all times. Keep your mask on, extend your arms fully, and cup your hands to receive the wafer bread without touching. Gluten-free wafers are available; simply ask the priest. As you pass the table of chalices, you are invited to pick up one per household. After returning to your seat, shift your mask, consume the Sacrament, and re-mask right after. Please return the chalice to one of the tables provided following the service.

Communion of the People

Sending forth of Eucharistic Visitors (if needed)

(in unison) In the name of Otey Parish, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

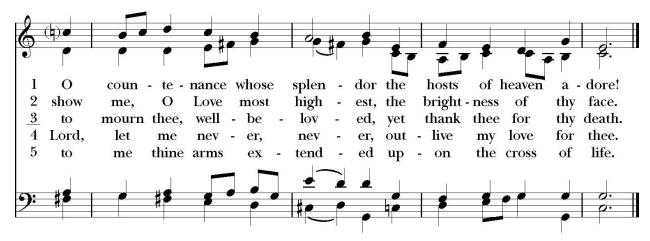
After Communion, the Celebrant says Let us pray

Celebrant and People

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.





Words: Paul Gerhardt (1607-1676); sts. 1-3 and 5, tr. Robert Seymour Bridges (1844-1930); st. 4, tr. James Waddell Alexander (1804-1859), alt. Music: Herzlich tut mich verlangen [Passion Chorale], Hans Leo Hessler (1564-1612); adapt. and harm. Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

The Celebrant prays over the People, who respond Amen.

A Deacon dismisses the People, who respond Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Readers - Beth Wiley, Lauren Goodpaster Intercessor – Deacon Ted Clarkson Video – Meghan Mazur Ushers – Isabel, Amy, and Neil Patterson Tellers - Beth Wiley, Neil Patterson Vestry of the Day – Altar Guild - George Dick

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: the Episcopal Church Women and Daughters of the King

Prayer Requests: Abu-Ali Abdur'Rahman, Sandra Babb, Corky Carlisle, Carolyn Davis, Pixie Dozier, Barb Ford, Catherine Garcia, David Kearley, George Ramseur, Jennifer Sturgis Roberts, and those others we name.

Birthdays: Ren Elrod, Christian Taylor, Frieda Hawkins, Doug Seiters, Tom Phelps, Beth Chamberlain, Christianna Taylor, Rod Smith, Paul Mazur, Eleanor Smith

The 8:30am service will be offered online and afterward on our Facebook page and at 11:00am and afterward on our YouTube channel. People who have been through the entire vaccination course plus 2 weeks may attend at 8:30 in person in the church, with overflow in St. Mark's Hall.

The 11 am service takes place outside (weather permitting) for everyone, as long as they do not have symptoms of COVID. In case of rain, the 11 am service will be in the church, with overflow in St. Mark's Hall.

Home Communion is available from the clergy and lay Eucharistic Visitors with the goal that any parishioner not comfortable attending church in person will be able to receive safely once per month. If you would like Communion brought to you, please contact Deacon Betty Carpenter at deacon@oteyparish.org.

Fire on the Mountain Youth Sunday School (grades 6-12) – 4:00-6:00 pm in St. Mark's Hall with masks and distancing. Please bring your own water.

No Sunday Forum on Easter Sunday.

CAC continues its work of serving the needy with food and in other ways. Director David Goodpaster is staffing CAC, taking sensible precautions while serving people in need 9 to 11am, Monday through Friday. Please call 931-598-5927.

Parish staff members are combining in-person and remote work as best fits their duties. To meet with a staff member, please contact the staff member directly, call the office phone number (931-598-5926), or send an email (admin@otevparish.org).

Maunday Thursday, April 1 - 5:00pm Holy Eucharist in St. Mark's Hall.

Good Friday, April 2 -12:00 and 5:00 pm - Solemn Liturgy in St. Mark's Hall.

Easter Day, April 4 - 8:30 & 11:00am Festival Holy Eucharist.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held at 10:15 a.m. on Easter Sunday with three age categories - up to age 3, ages 3 through 1st grade, and 2nd-5th grade

Youth and adult volunteers are needed to help hide the eggs at 9:30 a.m. If anyone has decorated eggs you would like to donate to the hunt, please bring them to the Brooks Hall sidewalk by 9:30.

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The mission of Otey Parish is to worship God, to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, to serve the world for which Christ died, to educate and nurture our community, and welcome all.

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