The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022 * 9:00 am

The Liturgy of the Palms

OPENING ANTHEM

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

All Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen*.

GOSPEL READING: Luke 19:28-40

²⁸Jesus went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.

²⁹When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, ³⁰saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³¹If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'" ³²So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. ³³As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" ³⁴They said, "The Lord needs it." ³⁵Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. ³⁶As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. ³⁷As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, ³⁸saying,

"Blessed is the king

who comes in the name of the Lord!

Peace in heaven,

and glory in the highest heaven!"

³⁹Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, order your disciples to stop." ⁴⁰He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out."

BLESSING OF THE PALMS

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 God thanks and praise.

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.

THE PROCESSION

Assisting Priest Let us go forth in peace.

People In the name of Christ. Amen.

PROCESSION HYMN



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

The Word of God

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

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

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen*.

The Lessons

FIRST READING: Isaiah 50:4-9a

Reader A Reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

⁴The Lord GOD has given me the tongue of a teacher,

that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word.

Morning by morning he wakens—wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught.

⁵The Lord GOD has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I did not turn backward.

⁶I gave my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting.

The Lord GOD helps me; therefore I have not been disgraced; therefore I have set my face like flint, and I know that I shall not be put to shame;

⁸he who vindicates me is near.

Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together.

Who are my adversaries? Let them confront me.

9aIt is the Lord GOD who helps me; who will declare me guilty?

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People Thanks be to God.

Verses sung by the Choir to Anglican chant by George Garrett (1834-1897) Refrain (Cantor or Choir, then All)





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. **Refrain**

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. **Refrain**

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." Refrain

"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."

Refrain

SECOND READING: Philippians 2:5-11

Reader A Reading from Paul's letter to the Church in Philippi.

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

6who, though he was in the form of God,

did not regard equality with God

as something to be exploited,

⁷but emptied himself,

taking the form of a slave,

being born in human likeness.

And being found in human form,

8he humbled himself

and became obedient to the point of death—

even death on a cross.

⁹Therefore God also highly exalted him

and gave him the name

that is above every name,

¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus

every knee should bend,

in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

11 and every tongue should confess

that Jesus Christ is Lord,

to the glory of God the Father.

Reader

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People T

Thanks be to God.





THE PASSION GOSPEL: Luke 22:14-23:56

Dramatic reading from the separate booklet titled, "The Passion of Jesus According to Luke."

SERMON

The Rev. Dr. Barbara Stewart

A period of meditative silence follows the Sermon.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Intercessor

Christ Jesus has gathered the Church in unity through the Holy Spirit. With sure and certain hope, let us pray for the Church and for the World saying: Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Maker of all things, in the beginning, you created heaven and earth. In the fullness of time, you restored all things in Christ. Redeem, restore and renew our broken world with your grace and mercy.

All Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Intercessor

Holy Trinity of Love, you desire the unity of all people. Fill us with your goodness as we give thanks for the abundance of your grace and for ______. Set aflame the whole Church with the fire of your Spirit and inspire us to live in the world united in your love.

All Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Life of the world, you breathed new life into the flesh you first created. By your

Spirit, breathe new life into all the children of this earth, especially those who are grieving, suffering or in despair caused by the war in Ukraine and all other places of violence and conflict. Turn hatred into love, sorrow into joy, and war into

eace.

All Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Intercessor God of compassion, through your Spirit you supply every human need. We pray

for ______. Heal the sick, comfort the distressed, befriend the friendless, and free the forgotten, especially give comfort to those suffering from

the war in Ukraine.

All Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Intercessor We commend to your mercy all who have died, especially ______.

We pray that they may rest in the comfort of your saving embrace; and that we

may share with them in your eternal kingdom.

All Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Intercessor Source of peace, your Spirit restores our anxious spirits and comforts our weary

souls during this time of so many challenges. Give all those who govern and hold

authority wisdom and a heart for justice. In our labor, give us rest; in our

temptation, give us strength; in our sadness, give us solace.

All Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer.

Celebrant Faithful and loving God, your sent your Spirit to empower the first disciples to be

witnesses to your truth. Empower us, embolden us, and all who believe, to speak your Word in love so that the world may know the life and love of Jesus Christ

through our very lives and our good works.

All Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Holy Communion

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Psalm 22: 1-21 (Psalm for Good Friday)

Deus, Deus meus

Sung to the traditional Anglican Chant by Samuel Wesley (1766-1837)

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? and are so far from my cry and from the words of my distress? O my God, I cry in the daytime, but you do not answer; by night as well, but I find no rest.

Yet you are the Holy One, enthroned upon the praises of Israel.

Our forefathers put their trust in you; they trusted, and you delivered them.

They cried out to you and were delivered; they trusted in you and were not put to shame.

But as for me, I am a worm and no man, scorned by all and despised by the people.

All who see me laugh me to scorn; they curl their lips and wag their heads, saying,

"He trusted in the Lord; let him deliver him; let him rescue him, if he delights in him."

Yet you are he who took me out of the womb, and kept me safe upon my mother's breast. I have been entrusted to you ever since I was born; you were my God when I was still in my mother's womb. Be not far from me, for trouble is near, and there is none to help.

Many young bulls encircle me; strong bulls of Bashan surround me. They open wide their jaws at me, like a ravening and a roaring lion.

I am poured out like water; all my bones are out of joint; my heart within my breast is melting wax. My mouth is dried out like a pot-sherd; my tongue sticks to the roof of my mouth; and you have laid me in the dust of the grave.

Packs of dogs close me in, and gangs of evildoers circle around me; they pierce my hands and my feet; I can count all my bones. They stare and gloat over me; they divide my garments among them; they cast lots for my clothing.

Be not far away, O Lord; you are my strength; hasten to help me. Save me from the sword, my life from the power of the dog.

Save me from the lion's mouth, my wretched body from the horns of wild bulls. I will declare your Name to my brethren; in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.

OFFERTORY HYMN



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 God thanks and praise.

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

Glory to you for ever and ever.

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.

By your will they were created and have their being.

From the primal elements you brought forth the human race, and blessed us with memory, reason, and skill. You made us the rulers of creation. But we turned against you, and betrayed your trust; and we turned against one another.

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

Again and again, you called us to return. Through prophets and sages you revealed your righteous Law. And in the fullness of time you sent your only Son, born of a woman, to fulfill your Law, to open for us the way of freedom and peace.

By his blood, he reconciled us.

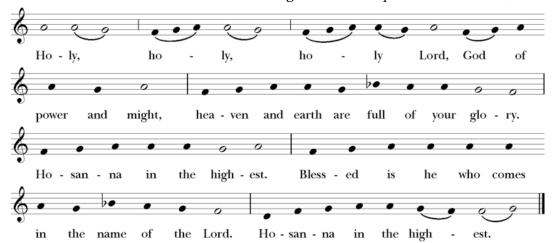
By his wounds, we are healed.

And therefore we praise you, joining with the heavenly chorus, with prophets, apostles, and martyrs, and with all those in every generation who have looked to you in hope, to proclaim with them your glory, in their unending hymn:

SANCTUS

Hymnal S-122

Plainsong; Mass 18; adapt. Mason Martens (1933-1991)



And so, Father, we who have been redeemed by him, and made a new people by water and the Spirit, now bring before you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be the Body and Blood of Jesus Christ our Lord.

On the night he was betrayed he took bread, said the blessing, broke the bread, and gave it to his friends, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper, he took the cup of wine, gave thanks, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Remembering now his work of redemption, and offering to you this sacrifice of thanksgiving,

We celebrate his death and resurrection, as we await the day of his coming.

Lord God of our Fathers; God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob; God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ: Open our eyes to see your hand at work in the world about us. Deliver us from the presumption of coming to this Table for solace only, and not for strength; for pardon only, and not for renewal. Let the grace of this Holy Communion make us one body, one spirit in Christ, that we may worthily serve the world in his name.

Risen Lord, be known to us in the breaking of the Bread.

Accept these prayers and praises, Father, through Jesus Christ our great High Priest, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, your Church gives honor, glory, and worship, from generation to generation. *AMEN*.

THE LORD'S PRAYER

And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

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 and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

FRACTION ANTHEM

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Congregants worshiping on Zoom or Facebook Live may say the following:

A PRAYER FOR SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

Jesus, I believe that you are truly present in the Blessed Sacrament of the Altar. I love you above all things, and long for you in my soul. Since I cannot receive you in the Sacrament of your Body and Blood, come spiritually into my heart. Cleanse and strengthen me with your grace, Lord Jesus, and let me never be separated from you. May I live in you, and you in me, in this life and in the life to come. *Amen*.

COMMUNION MUSIC

Motet, Ecce quomodo moritur justus

Jakob Handl (1550-1591)

Ecce quomodo moritur justus
et nemo percipit corde.
Viri justi tolluntur
et nemo considerat.
A facie iniquitatis sublatus est justus
Et erit in pace memoria ejus.
In pace factus est locus ejus
et in Sion habitatio ejus.
Et erit in pace memoria ejus.

Behold how the righteous man dies

And no one understands.

Righteous men are taken away

And no one considers:

The righteous man has been taken away from present iniquity

And his memory shall be in peace.

In peace is his place And his home is in Sion And his memory shall be in peace.

Isaiah 57: 1-2 and Psalm 76: 2; Responsory for Matins on Holy Saturday

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

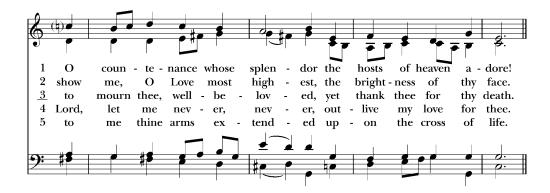
Celebrant Let us pray.

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

BLESSING

POST-COMMUNION HYMN





DISMISSAL

Celebrant Let us go forth in the name of Christ.

People Thanks be to God.

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Flowers for the Altar of Repose During the Vigil after the Maundy Thursday Service:

Those wishing to donate flowers for the Altar of Repose during the vigil after the Maundy Thursday service, please bring flowers to the South Wing before 7 pm on Thursday, April 14th.



We are delighted to welcome you this Sunday morning.

No matter your background, you are welcome to be part of our community as we gather in this sacred space to encounter the Mystery of God through beautiful liturgy and inspiring music. Please be assured that all children, no matter their ages, are invited to join us in worship as a powerful reminder that we are all beloved children of God. Again, welcome!

Please take a moment to silence your cell phone. Thank you.

We publicly livestream our Sunday worship via Zoom and Facebook Live.

Join on Zoom: bit.ly/stmikessunday (Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: 080100) Join on Facebook Live: facebook.com/SMAACDM

Important COVID Safety Reminder

All worshipers who are fully vaccinated are no longer required to wear masks at indoor gatherings. However, if you are not vaccinated, please wear a mask as required by the state COVID guidelines. Masks are available at the entrance to the church. Thank you all for your help in keeping our church a safe place for those most vulnerable.

Today's Worship Team

Celebrant: The Rev. Susan Pinkerton Assisting Priest: The Rev. Dr. Barbara Stewart

Organist: Dr. Ray Urwin

Choir: Rusty Vail, Mary Bailey, Vincent Loza, Scott Ziemann

Sunday School

Godly Play (ages 3-10) and Youth Formation (ages 11-14)

For Palm Sunday, Youth Formation will be joining Godly Play as we talk about Palm Sunday and look ahead to Easter.

Parish Prayer List

Brian Priscilla Diane Dick

Tom Don Ali Lillie – Repose of her soul

To submit a name to the prayer list contact Brooke Pauley (kookiepauley@gmail.com or 949-514-7917), The Rev. Susan Pinkerton susan.pinkerton@stmikescdm.org), or The Rev. Barbara Stewart (barbarastewart001@gmail.com). Prayer requests remain on the list for three weeks unless otherwise requested.

Holy Week and Easter at St. Mike's

Holy Tuesday

April 12 at 8:30 am Holy Eucharist (in-person only)

Maundy Thursday

April 14 at 7:30 pm Holy Eucharist followed by Vigil at the Altar of Repose in the Chapel

Good Friday

April 15

Noon

Stations of the Cross (in-person only)

4:00 pm

Stations of the Cross for Families (in-person only)

7:30 pm Holy Eucharist

Easter Sunday

April 17 at 9:00 am

Holy Eucharist

Followed by All Ages Easter Egg Hunt at 10:30 am

Our services will be livestreamed over Zoom and Facebook Live unless in-person only is indicated.

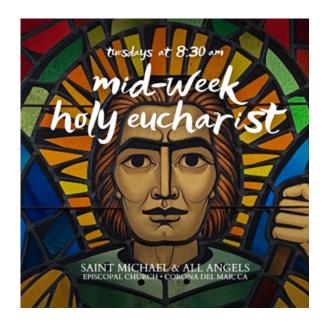
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Tuesday Holy Eucharist

Join us in the Chapel every Tuesday morning at 8:30 am for our mid-week Holy Eucharist.

This week's Celebrant and Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Barbara Stewart

Prayer Vigil for Peace in Ukraine

Friday evenings at 6:00 pm

Join us in the St. Michael's sanctuary and on Zoom as we pray for peace in Ukraine.

Join on Zoom: bit.ly/stmikessunday (Meeting ID: 912 3096 9532 / Passcode: 080100)

Below is a list of options for giving to help the people of Ukraine.

Ukraine Relief: Online Charity Resources

Episcopal Relief & Development (Donation Page) - https://support.episcopalrelief.org/ukraineresponse

World Central Kitchen - https://wck.org/relief/activation-chefs-for-ukraine

Amnesty International - https://donate.amnestyusa.org/page/100216/donate/1

UN High Commission on Refugees - https://give.unrefugees.org/

UNICEF - https://www.unicefusa.org/stories/unicef-children-crossfire-ukraine-crisis/

Doctors Without Borders - https://www.doctorswithoutborders.org/what-we-do/countries/ukraine

Voices of Children - https://voices.org.ua/en/

Sunflower of Peace - https://www.sunflowerofpeace.com/

Save the Children - https://www.savethechildren.org/us/where-we-work/ukraine

CARE - https://my.care.org/site/Donation2?df_id=31071

International Medical Corps - https://give.internationalmedicalcorps.org/page/99837/donate/1

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Keith Lumpkin, Stewardship
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Small Groups and Adult Christian Education

All are welcome to join one or more of the groups listed below. For more information, visit our website: www.stmikescdm.org.

NEW! St. Mike's Sunday Conversations

10:30 am in the Davis Library and on Zoom
On Apr 10, we begin with part 1 of 12 of History of
Christianity, a BBC DVD with Diarmaid MacCulloch,

Gillian Bancroft, and Sian Salt.

Join on Zoom: bit.ly/sundaysat10

Meeting ID: 966 632 5340 / Passcode: 221426

View our full schedule on our website.

Contact: Kim Montgomery

Tuesday Nights at Mike's

Tuesdays at 7:00 pm on Zoom

On Apr. 12 we will be discussing The Prodigal Son. On Apr. 19 we continue our study of the parables.

Join on Zoom: bit.ly/tuesdayatmikes

Meeting ID: 834 2976 3754 / Passcode: none

Contact: Beth Bianchi

NEW! Bible Challenge

Third Sundays at 8:00 am in the Conference Room and on Zoom On Apr. 17, we begin a new series on Creation Care, the 50 Day Bible Challenge published by Forward Movement.

Join on Zoom: bit.ly/thirdsundaybiblechallenge Meeting ID: 958 1933 0475 / Passcode: 018474

Contact: Susan Caldwell

Inklings Book Group

Third Mondays at 10:30 am in the Davis Library and on Zoom Discussing *Praying with C.S. Lewis* by Charles Taliaferro.

Join on Zoom: bit.ly/inklingsbookgroup

Meeting ID: 938 4250 5095 / Passcode: 573156

Contact: Susan Caldwell

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Fridays at 10:00 am on the Patio

Please join us as we knit or crochet and pray! Contact: Barbara Stewart+ at (949) 378-9780

Men's Fellowship Group

Thursdays at 8:30 am on the Patio

Dedicated to studying the Bible and the works of Christian theologians. Open to all adult men of the parish.

Contact: Kim Montgomery

Visit our church calendar for more:

www.stmikescdm.org/events