

# *The Cross-Shaped Throne*



## **PALM SUNDAY / SUNDAY OF THE PASSION**

April 14, 2019

### **ZION EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**

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Guests. Welcome to Zion. We are glad to have you with us. Please sign our guestbook located in the Narthex. About Holy Communion: We celebrate this Sacrament every Sunday at Zion. We welcome to the Lord's Table all who have repented of their sins and seek to amend their sinful life; all who believe that Jesus is truly present in, with, and under the bread and the wine; and all who believe that through the words "given and shed for you" forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation are given. If this is your confession and a member of a Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, then come with a thankful heart and join us. See p.329, 330 in the front part of the hymnal for guidance in preparing to receive Holy Communion. We also offer gluten free wafers please notify Elder ahead of time that you would appreciate the gluten free.

## **AS WE GATHER**

**T**oday's liturgy is full of contrasts. We recall Jesus' entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, with its pomp and pageantry. Then we plunge into the Passion, which ends with Jesus' burial. There is a unifying factor: On Sunday, the crowds hailed Jesus as the King of Israel, and on Friday He reigned from His cruel throne, the cross. There He destroyed death for the sake of His subjects. We offer thanksgiving for His royal, benevolent rule over us and all who bend the knee and call Jesus Lord.

*Altar Guild for April: Tracy/Holley S*

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**Order of Worship**

**Divine Service 2**

**Divine Service Lutheran Service Book - Page 167**

**Opening Hymn:**

**"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"**

**LSB 443**

**Confession and Absolution**

**Page 167**

## Introit for Sunday of the Passion

Blessèd is he who comes in the name of the LORD!

**We bless you from the house of the LORD.**

Lift up your heads, O gates! And be lifted up, O ancient doors, **that the King of glory may come in.**

Who is this King of glory? **The LORD, strong and mighty, the LORD, mighty in battle!**

Lift up your heads, O gates! And lift them up, O ancient doors, **that the King of glory may come in.**

Who is this King of glory? **The LORD of hosts, he is the King of glory!**

Blessèd is he who comes in the name of the LORD! **We bless you from the house of the LORD.**

## Collect for Sunday of the Passion

Almighty and everlasting God, You sent Your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take upon Himself our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross. Mercifully grant that we may follow the example of His great humility and patience and be made partakers of His resurrection; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

## OLD TESTAMENT READING

**Zechariah 9: 9+10**

(The coming King.)



9 Rejoice greatly, O Daughter of Zion! Shout, Daughter of Jerusalem! See, your king comes to you, righteous and having salvation, gentle and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

10 I will take away the chariots from Ephraim and the war-horses from Jerusalem, and the battle bow will be broken. He will proclaim peace to the nations. His rule will extend from sea to sea and from the River to the ends of the earth.

Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**EPISTLE**

**Philippians 2:5–11**

(“At the name of Jesus every knee should bow.”)

5 Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus: 6 Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, 7 but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.

8 And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death—even death on a cross!

9 Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, 10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

11 and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

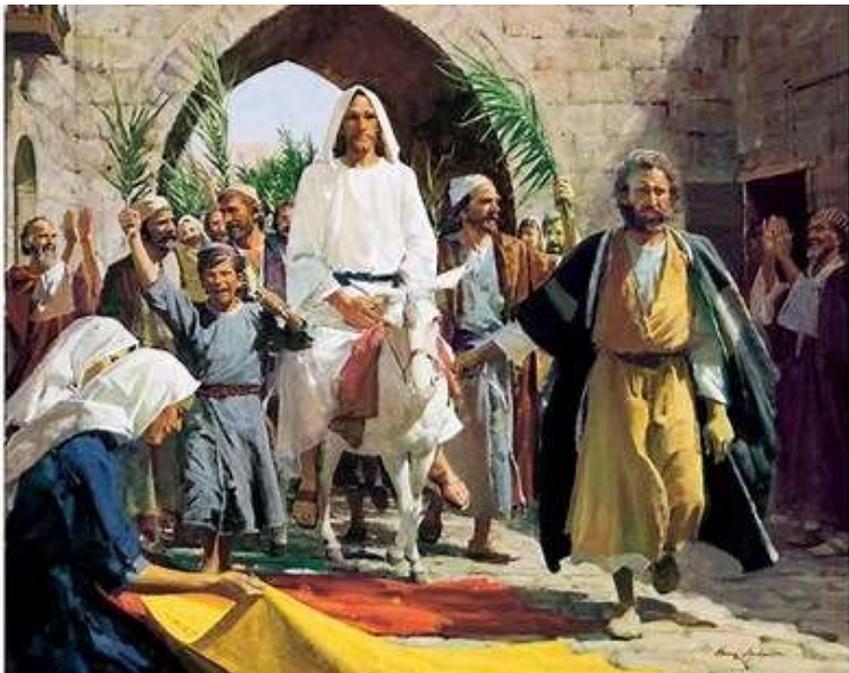
Lector: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**HOLY GOSPEL**

**Luke 19: 28-40**

(Jesus Comes to Jerusalem as King.)



Pastor: The Holy Gospel according to Luke, the nineteenth chapter.

**People: Glory to You, O Lord.**

28 After Jesus had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.

29 As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them,

30 "Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. 31 If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' tell him, 'The Lord needs it.' " 32 Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as he had told them.

33 As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" 34 They replied, "The Lord needs it."

35 They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it.

36 As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road.

37 When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen: 38 “Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!” “Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!” 39 Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, “Teacher, rebuke your disciples!”

40 “I tell you,” he replied, “if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out.”

**Pastor:** This is the Word of the Lord.

**People:** Praise to You, O Christ.

**Nicene Creed or Apostle’s Creed** Page 174 or 175

**Sermon Hymn:**  
“All Glory, Laud, and Honor” LSB 442

**Sermon**

**The Offering**

**Prayer of the Church**

**Word’s of Institution** Page 179

**Agnus Dei** Page 180

**Distribution of the Lord’s Supper**

**Communion Hymns:**  
“Lord Jesus Christ, Life-Giving Bread” LSB 625  
“Lord Jesus Christ, We Humbly Pray” LSB 623  
“Salvation unto Us Has Come” LSB 555

Closing Hymn:  
“Ride On, Ride On in Majesty”

LSB 441

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## Announcements

*From the Board of Stewardship and Evangelism:*

**Luke 22:11 – “Tell the master of the house, ‘The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?’ ”** Did Jesus really need this man’s Upper Room? If the man had refused to let Jesus use it would the work of salvation have been derailed? Of course not. But what an honor for the man who owned this room! It is likewise with us. The Lord needs none of us, but what an honor for God to choose to use our generosity in the work of His Church.

## *The Pewpoint*

### THEME OF THE DAY

*The Cross and Passion of Our Lord Are the Hour of His Glory*

The King of Israel comes into His royal glory by the path of humble obedience “*to the point of death, even death on a cross*” (Phil. 2:8). He “*goes as it has been determined*” (Luke 22:22), according to the Scriptures, willingly submitting to His Father’s plan for the salvation of sinners. “*Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name*” (Phil. 2:9). His suffering and death open the way of repentance for the forgiveness of sins because He goes to the cross bearing the sins of the world. In His resurrection, God the Father vindicates His people

and has compassion on His servants (Deut. 32:36). He kills to make alive; He wounds in order to heal. In remembrance of Him, we praise God, confessing “*that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father*” (Phil. 2:11).

**Attendance:**

Lent Service: 53  
Sunday Service: 63 Communed: 52

**YES IN CHRIST -- Saying Yes With Our Treasures**

Needed per week to make budget: \$2,677

Lenten Envelopes: \$167  
Plate: \$48  
Memorial: Beverly Basol \$1401.10  
Sunday Envelopes: \$2,551  
Lenten Envelopes: \$30  
Plate: \$50  
Children’s Envelopes: \$1  
Automatic Deposit: \$130

**THIS WEEK AT ZION**

Sunday	After Church	Sunday School
Tuesday	6:00pm to 7:30pm	Adult Bible Class @ Trinity
Wednesday	6:00pm to 7:00pm	Confirmation Class
	6:00 pm	Bell Choir
	7:00 pm	Voice Choir
Thursday	7:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Service
Friday	1:30 pm	Good Friday Service
	7:00 pm	Good Friday Service



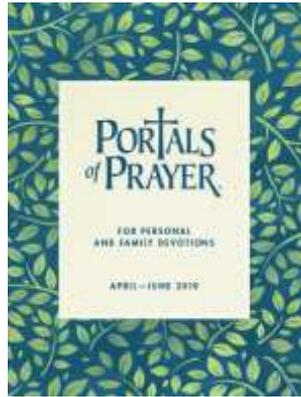
Don't forget next Sunday services are at 6:30am for Sunrise service and 9:30am for Late Service.

Easter breakfast will be served in - between services. Come for some delicious food! All are welcome....



June 9th – Confirmation

The new April – June 2019 Portals of Prayer are available on the table in the narthex. This is a daily devotional and can be a helpful tool in our daily life. So take one today.



The April Lutheran Witness has arrived – pick one up in the narthex

## Special Meeting

There will be a special meeting to call a new Pastor on May 5<sup>th</sup>. If anyone is interested in looking at the Sets, which is the history of the Pastor's, you can contact Chris L and he will show you the information BUT the papers cannot be copied or taken home.

