

- **Art Exhibit** - Our gallery is currently hosting an exhibit titled "Painted Prayer," which includes a variety of calligraphed prayers created by Gary Feyen, member at Faith Lilac Way in Robbinsdale. Stop by to view and pray through the exhibit before or after worship, or anytime during office hours.
- **Visitation** - If you're interested in receiving a visit from Pastor Ali or a CoG friend, or would be willing to serve as a visitor (who makes either in-person or phone call visits to homebound members), let Rachel in the office know.
- **Want to Know More About COG?** - We're so glad you're worshipping with us! Welcome. If you're interested in learning more about life together at COG, reach out to Pastor Ali (atranvik@crossofglory.us).

Holy Week at Cross of Glory



**Palm
Sunday**

9:30 am - Worship onsite + online

*Deadline to place carmel roll orders for youth camp fundraiser



**Maundy
Thursday**

6:30 pm - Worship with communion
onsite + online



**Good
Friday**

6:30 pm - Tenebrae worship onsite + online



**Easter
Sunday**

9:30 am - Worship onsite + online

10:30 am - Fellowship & treats

*Carmel roll pick-up and time of fellowship with Easter treats

"Hosanna!

Blessed
is the
one
who comes
in the
name
of the
Lord!"

March 24, 2024

*Cross of Glory Lutheran Church
Brooklyn Center, MN*

Mark 11:9, NRSV

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Welcome to Palm Sunday worship at Cross of Glory, where we are called to share God's gift of life together. If you are visiting, we invite you to fill out a Welcome Card in your pew and place it in the offering plates, so that we can further extend the welcome. We invite you to join us throughout the rest of this Holy Week as we continue to tell the story of Jesus' last supper, death, and resurrection. Service times and details are printed on the back of the bulletin, and more information can be found at www.crossofglory.us.

PALM SUNDAY CALL-AND-RESPONSE

Drawn from the lyrics of "Pave the Way with Branches" ACS #928

Leader: Jesus is coming. Pave the way with branches.

ALL: Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

L: Hope for the downtrodden.

A: Hosanna! Jesus is coming.

L: Land for the landless.

A: Hosanna! Jesus is coming.

L: Forgiveness for the debtors.

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L: Release for the captives.

A: Hosanna! Jesus is coming.

L: Salvation for us all.

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L: Jesus is coming. Pave the way with branches.

A: Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

MUSIC & PARADE OF PALMS

***All children are invited to join in for a procession of palms during our opening hymn!** Please stand as you are able ***

MUSIC **All Glory, Laud, and Honor** **#344**

Refrain

All glory, laud, and honor
to you, redeemer, king,

to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring.

- **Coffee Hour** - All are welcome to a time of food and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall following worship! *Note: there are no Table Talks scheduled for this month.
- **Youth Camp Fundraiser FINAL DAYS** - Visit the youth table today as it is the last day to order your cinnamon or caramel rolls for Easter Sunday! Also, feel free to order Gertens spring flowers to support campers. Last day to place Gertens spring flower orders is April 1.
- **LAST WEEK of MN FoodShare March Food Collection** - This is the last week to donate non-perishable food items to share with our neighboring food shelves at CAPI and CEAP here in BC. All donations can be dropped off in the grocery cart near the Welcome Desk. *Please note, CEAP's food shelf is also in need of paper grocery bags with handles.* If you'd like to give a monetary donation, you're welcome to do so using the envelopes at the Welcome Desk.
- **Bible Study** - There will be no Bible study the week of and following Holy Week. We'll reconvene again on Tues, April 9th at 9:30 onsite and online.
- **First Wednesday** - On Wed, Apr 3, all are welcome for Wed night festivities. Games for kids and CoG Kids Leaders begin at 5 pm in the gym. At 5:30 pm, all are invited to a soup & bread community meal. From 6-7, CoG kids leaders will offer study buddies, storytime, and crafts. And confirmation begins at 7 pm.
- **Lutheran Campus Ministry Sunday** - We're excited to welcome a student preacher from Lutheran Campus Ministry Twin Cities on Sunday, April 7 as we continue to tell the Easter story. A special offering will be collected to support LCMTC, and a board member will also be sharing more during a brief forum after worship. Join us in supporting this important ministry!
- **Next Steps in Discernment - April 14** - As we continue to discern what God's call to life together means at 5929, join us for a congregational conversation after worship on Sunday 4/14. We'll be reflecting on what we've seen and heard in neighborhood listening sessions and site visits this winter and beginning to prayerfully ponder next steps.

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MUSIC CREDITS

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Please join us in lifting up these brothers and sisters in prayer:

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*Dick Mero
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*To be added or removed from the weekly prayer list, please contact the church office
(office@crossofglory.us) or call 763-533-8602.*

*You are welcome to stop at our community prayer wall just outside the sanctuary to
place a written prayer in the wall. Further instructions are at the prayer wall.*

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Verse 1

You are the king of Israel
and David's royal Son,
now in the Lord's name coming,
our King and Blessed One.

(Refrain)

Verse 3

The multitude of pilgrims
with palms before you went;
our praise and prayer and anthems
before you we present. *(Refrain)*

*** Please be seated ***

CONFESSION + FORGIVENESS

P: Let us confess our sins before God and one another, trusting in
the vastness of God's grace.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not
in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will
forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

Silence is kept for reflection and repentance.

P: Most merciful God,

**A: We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free
ourselves. 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. For the sake of your Son, Jesus
Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so
that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the
glory of your holy name. Amen.**

P: God, who is abundant in mercy, loved us even when we were
dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. In the name of
Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven. May God strengthen and sustain
us with the power of the Holy Spirit to journey onward together, that
Christ may live in our hearts through faith.

A: Amen.

MUSIC **Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)** **Brown/Baloche**

Verse 1
Praise is rising,
Eyes are turning to You.
We turn to You.
Hope is stirring.
Hearts are yearning for You.
We long for You.

Pre-Chorus
'Cause when we see You
We find strength to face the day.
In Your presence,
All our fears are washed away.
(Washed away)

Chorus
Hosanna! Hosanna!
You are the God who saves us,
Worthy of all our praises.
Hosanna! Hosanna!
Come, have Your way among us.
We welcome You here, Lord Jesus.

Verse 2
Hear the sound of
Hearts returning to You.
We turn to You.
In Your Kingdom,
Broken lives are made new.
You make us new. (Choruses)

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray together...

**Jesus our Lord, as we journey through the wilderness together
this Holy Week, give us faith to follow in your footsteps. Give us
courage to walk as you walked. Give us company for the journey.
And enliven us with your love each step of the way. In the name
of Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.**

MUSIC **King of Glory** **Younkers/Maher/Ingram
Stanfil/Bentley**

Verse 1
Oh, don't lose heart,
O my soul, O my soul.
Don't give up; there is hope,
there is always hope.

Verse 2
And there is peace in the storm,
in the storm.
No, don't forget He is Lord,
He is Lord of all.

MUSIC **Praise to the Lord, the Almighty** **#858**

*** **Please rise as you're able. Kids are invited to grab a musical instrument from the basket in the back and make a joyful noise as we sing! ***

Verse 1
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty,
the King of creation!
O my soul, praise him, for he is
your health and salvation!
Let all who hear now to his temple
draw near,
joining in glad adoration!

Verse 2
Praise to the Lord, who o'er
All things is wondrously reigning
and, as on wings of an eagle,
uplifting, sustaining.
Have you not seen all that is

needful has been sent by his
gracious ordaining?

Verse 4
Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is
in me adore him!
All that has life and breath, come
now with praises before him!
Let the amen sound from his
people again.
Gladly forever adore him!

PRAYER OF GOOD COURAGE

You're invited to join hands with or put your hand on a neighbor near you and face the exit doors of the sanctuary as a reminder that we do not go forth alone.

**ALL: O God, you have called us to ventures
of which we cannot see the ending,
By paths as yet untrodden,
Through perils unknown.
Give us faith to go out with good courage.
Not knowing where we go,
But only that your hand is leading us,
And your love supporting us,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen!**

DISMISSAL

Go in peace, God saves. **Thanks be to God!**

POSTLUDE

MUSIC

I Want Jesus to Walk with Me

#325

Verse 1

I want Jesus to walk with me;
I want Jesus to walk with me;
all along my pilgrim journey,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

Verse 2

In my trials, Lord, walk with me;
in my trials, Lord, walk with me;
when my heart is almost breaking,

Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

Verse 3

When I'm in trouble,
Lord, walk with me;
when I'm in trouble,
Lord, walk with me;
when my head is bowed in sorrow,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

(Repeat verse 1)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Pastor: Hear us, O God.

All: Your mercy is great.

Table

LORD'S PRAYER

O God, remember us in your kingdom and teach us to pray...

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.

Sending

SENDING BLESSING

L: Hope for the downtrodden.
Land for the landless.
Forgiveness for the debtors.
Release for the captives.
Salvation for us all.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord,
and who comes among us now.

ALL: Amen.

Chorus

There is a King of glory,
There is a God who saves.
One who is strong and mighty,
Freedom is in His name.
Open the gates of heaven.
Lift up a shout of praise.
There is a lion roaring:
Jesus, the King of glory.

Verse 3

So lift your eyes, stand in awe,
stand in awe.
There is one, only one
where my help comes from.
(Chorus)

Word

FIRST READING

Psalm 27

The Lord is my light and my salvation;
whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the stronghold of my life;
of whom shall I be afraid?
When evildoers assail me
to devour my flesh—
my adversaries and foes—
they shall stumble and fall.
Though an army encamp against me,
my heart shall not fear;
though war rise up against me,
yet I will be confident.
One thing I asked of the Lord,
that will I seek after:
to live in the house of the Lord
all the days of my life,
to behold the beauty of the Lord,
and to inquire in his temple.
For he will hide me in his shelter
in the day of trouble;
he will conceal me under the cover of his tent;

he will set me high on a rock.
Now my head is lifted up
above my enemies all around me,
and I will offer in his tent
sacrifices with shouts of joy;
I will sing and make melody to the Lord.
Hear, O Lord, when I cry aloud,
be gracious to me and answer me!
'Come,' my heart says, 'seek his face!'
Your face, Lord, do I seek.
Do not hide your face from me.
Do not turn your servant away in anger,
you who have been my help.
Do not cast me off, do not forsake me,
O God of my salvation!
If my father and mother forsake me,
the Lord will take me up.
Teach me your way, O Lord,
and lead me on a level path
because of my enemies.
Do not give me up to the will of my adversaries,
for false witnesses have risen against me,
and they are breathing out violence.
I believe that I shall see the goodness of the Lord
in the land of the living.
Wait for the Lord;
be strong, and let your heart take courage;
wait for the Lord!

Leader: The word of the Lord.

ALL: Thanks be to God.

CHOIR ANTHEM Ride On, Ride On in Majesty

*Ride on, King Jesus, No man can-a hinder me,
Ride on, King Jesus, ride on, no man can-a hinder me.
Well, well, For he is King. He is the Lord,
Jesus Christ, the first and last, no man works like Him.*

*** Please stand as you are able ***

CONFESSION OF FAITH

Apostles Creed

**I believe in God, the Father almighty,
creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended to the dead.
On the third day he rose again;
he ascended into heaven,
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

SHARING OF THE PEACE

P: The peace of Christ be with you always.

A: And also with you.

P: Let's share a sign of God's peace with one another.

*** Please be seated ***

OFFERING

Our "hosannas" continue through the offering we joyfully share. We invite you to leave an offering in the plates or scan the QR code here to make a secure, online gift. Thank you!



Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!
Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David!
Hosanna in the highest heaven!
Then he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple; and when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

Leader: The Gospel of the Lord.

ALL: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

Kids are invited to meet our Kids Ministry Leaders in the back of the sanctuary for "Godly Play," a time of storytelling. We'll regather in the sanctuary following the sermon.

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A: Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

SPECIAL MUSIC

Gentle Healer

Mark Trease
Kris Simon
Kim Jacobson

*For He is King. He is the Lord,
Jesus Christ, the first and last, no man works like Him.
Oh won't you ride on, King Jesus, ride on.
No man can-a hinder me.
King Jesus rides a milk white horse. No man works like Him.
Oh Lord the river of Jordan He did cross.
No man works like Him.
For He is King of Kings, he is the Lord of Lords,
Jesus Christ the first and last, no man works like Him.
King Jesus rides in the middle of the air,
No man works like Him.
Oh Lord He calls the Saints from ev'rywhere,
No man works like Him.
Oh won't you ride on, King Jesus, No man can-a hinder me,
Ride on, King Jesus, ride on, no man can-a hinder me.
For He is King. He is the Lord,
Oh, Jesus Christ, the first and last, no man works like Him.
(Repeat)*

GOSPEL READING

Mark 11:1-11

*** Please stand as you are able ***

P: The Gospel according to Mark the eleventh chapter.

When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples and said to them, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it, you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. If anyone says to you, "Why are you doing this?" just say this, "The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately." ' They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, some of the bystanders said to them, 'What are you doing, untying the colt?' They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it. Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it; and he sat on it. Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields. Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting, 'Hosanna!