

The Worship of God

Listening Alongside: Echoing Christ

April 9, 2017

PALM SUNDAY

Eleven O'Clock

The worship of God begins with the music of the organ. We encourage you to use this time for meditation and reflection. Please refrain from conversation which would disturb others. Following the service, greet our visitors and share your friendship with those around you. Wireless hearing aids are available in the narthex.

PREPARATION AND PRAISE

ORGAN PRELUDE: Come Sweetest Death, Come, Blessed Rest

J.S. Bach/arr. Virgil Fox

WORDS OF WELCOME AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

ORGAN MEDITATION: Improvisation on "Kyrie" from *Son of God Mass*

Mark Pichowicz

CHILDREN'S INTROIT: "Sanctus and Benedictus" from *A Mass for Treble Voices*

Alan Pote

Holy, holy, holy Lord. God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest!

* PROCESSIONAL HYMN 192: "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"
(*The congregation rises as the organist begins the hymn.*)

ST. THEODULPH

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: Hosanna to the son of David, the King of Israel.

People: **Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!**

Minister: This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.

People: **Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!**

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

People: **Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!**

* THE GLORIA PATRI 35

GREATOREX

* THE INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S ADORATION: "A Lenten Love Song"

Helen Kemp

Now Jesus went into the garden, the garden of Gethsemane. He went there sad and very weary to be alone, to pray. "Dear God, I am so sorrowful, is there no other way? Dear God, if it is possible, let this cup pass away." Now Jesus went into the garden, the garden of Gethsemane. The olive tree bent over him, and heard him sadly pray. "Dear God, your Son is sorrowful, but knows your way is best. Let love take hold of me! Help me to be bold and free to do your will and rest. *Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est.* (Where love and charity are found, God is there. I John 4:16)

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

ORGAN OFFERTORY: Improvisation

Mark Pichowicz

* THE DOXOLOGY

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

OLD HUNDREDTH

CONFESSİON AND ASSURANCE

PRAYERS OF CONFESSİON AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Minister: By self-examination and repentance, prayer and fasting, self-denial and acts of generosity, reading and meditating on the word of God, and by listening for God, we endeavor to keep a holy Lent. Let us now confess our sin to God.

Silent prayers of confession

Choir: "Introit and Kyrie" from *Son of God Mass*

James Whitbourn

Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy.

Christe eleison.

Christ, have mercy.

Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy.

Minister: God is slow to anger and full of compassion. He forgives all who humbly repent and trust in his Son as Savior and Lord. There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. By the mercy of Christ, we are forgiven. Thanks be to God! Amen.

MEDITATION

THE GOSPEL LESSON:

Matthew 21:1-11

Dr. Wright

SERMON: "Listen to the Wind"

James Whitbourn

ANTHEM: "Kyrie Meditation" from *Son of God Mass*

Kyrie eleison.

Lord, have mercy.

ANTHEM: "Gloria" from *Son of God Mass*

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Glory to God in the highest.

Et in terra pax hominibus bona voluntatis.

And on earth peace to all those of good will.

Laudamus te. Benedicimus te. Adoramus te.

We praise thee. We bless thee. We worship thee.

Glorificamus te.

We glorify thee.

Gratias agimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam.

We give thanks to thee according to thy great glory.

Domine Deus, Rex coelestis,

Lord God, Heavenly King,

Deus Pater omnipotens.

God the Father almighty.

Domine Fili unigenite, Jesu Christe.

Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son.

Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris.

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father.

Qui tollis peccata mundi,

Thou who takest away the sins of the world,

miserere nobis.

have mercy upon us.

Qui tollis peccata mundi,

Thou who takest away the sins of the world,

suscipe deprecationem nostram.

receive our prayer.

Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris,

Thou who sittest at the right hand of the Father,

miserere nobis.

have mercy upon us.

Quoniam tu solus sanctus, tu solus Dominus.

For Thou alone art holy. Thou alone art the Lord.

Tu solus Altissimus, Jesu Christe.

Thou alone art the most high, Jesus Christ.

Cum Sancto Spiritu in gloria Dei Patris.

With the Holy Spirit in the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

Amen.

THE PSALTER LESSON: Psalm 51:6-12

James Whitbourn

ANTHEM: "Lava me" from *Son of God Mass*

Credo in unum Deum.

I believe in one God.

Lava me Domine.

Cleanse me, Lord.

Sursum corda.

Lift up your hearts.

Habemus ad Dominum.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Dignum et iustum es.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

ANTHEMS: "Sanctus and Benedictus" from *Son of God Mass*

James Whitbourn

Sanctus, sanctus, sanctus Dominus Deus sabaOTH.

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts.

Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.

Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.

Hosanna in excelsis.

Hosanna in the highest.

Benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini:

Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord:

Hosanna in excelsis.

Hosanna in the highest.

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND INTERCESSION

ANTHEMS: "Pax Domini" and "Agnus Dei" from *Son of God Mass*

Pax Domini sit semper vobiscum.

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
miserere nobis.*

*Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi,
dona nobis pacem.*

James Whitbourn

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, who taketh away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.

AN AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Minister: We believe in God the Creator,
who spoke and the stars, planets, and vastness of the universe were formed,
who called out for plants and animals to inhabit the earth,
and who whispered each of us to life.

All: **We have ears to hear! Let us listen!**

Minister: We believe in God the Son,
whose infant cries and childish laughter made him our brother,
whose words offered comfort and insight, challenge and hope,
and whose cries on the cross and alleluias in the garden brought us eternal life.

All: **We have ears to hear! Let us listen!**

Minister: We believe in God the Spirit,
who daily reminds us of divine love and compassion,
who counsels us toward justice, mercy, and humility,
and who encourages us to echo Christ to the world.

All: **We have ears to hear! Let us listen!**

THE CALL TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

THE BENEDICTION

CHORAL BLESSING: "Amen" from *Son of God Mass*

James Whitbourn

* ORGAN POSTLUDE: *Praeludium*

* Congregation stands.

*The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God
and in loving memory of Anne Duncan Neal Bailey by her family.*

THE MINISTRY OF WORSHIP

Jody C. Wright

Senior Minister

Ramsey Ward

Acolyte

Bo Browder

Soloist

Elizabeth Edwards

Associate Minister

Mark Pichowicz

Organist

Amy Shortt

Minister of Music

Barkley Browder

Crucifer

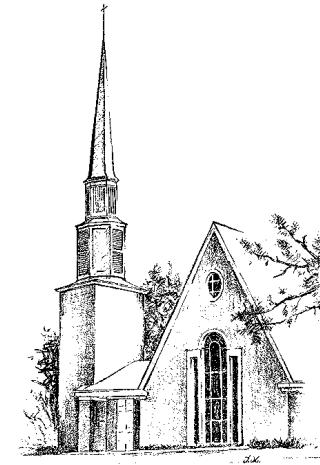
Michael Stephenson

Soprano Saxophone

Children's worship aids are available in the narthex.

Bibles and wireless hearing aids are available in the Prayer Room off the Narthex.

Childcare is available in the Preschool Building.



Lent at Lakeside

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