

MAYFLOWER CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
A SERVICE OF MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, April 2, 2023, 10:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday

Welcome and Greeting

Prelude: "Hosanna to the Son of David" (Daniel Greig and Jon Paige)

Opening Sentences

Hymn 178: "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

Opening Prayer

Special Music: "Jesus Shall Reign Where'er the Sun" (Jon Hatton, arr. DeeAnn McCormick)

Giving and Receiving of Our Gifts

Doxology (Hymn 563)

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer (using debts and debtors)

Gospel Reading: Matthew 21:1-11

When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, 'Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. If anyone says anything to you, just say this, "The Lord needs them." And he will send them immediately.' This took place to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet, saying, 'Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.' The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, 'Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!' When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, 'Who is this?' The crowds were saying, 'This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee.'

Sermon: "Unbridled Celebration"

Hymn 185: "Ride On! Ride On in Majesty"

Benediction

Benediction Response 187 (v. 3): "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

"Hosanna in the highest!" That ancient song we sing, for Christ is our Redeemer, the Lord of Heav'n our King.
O may we ever praise Him with heart and life and voice, and in His blissful presence eternally rejoice!

Greet One Another

Participants: Pastor Mark & DeeAnn McCormick, Barb & Jerry Fuller, Lorraine & Kim Finison, Shannon Quinn, Chancel Choir

THE TRIUNE GOD

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All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Theodulph of Orleans, ca. 760–ca. 821

Melchior Teschner, 1584–1635

Trans. by John M. Neale, 1818–1866, alt.

1. All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or To Thee, Re - deem - er, King,
2. Thou art the King of Is - rael, Thou Da - vid's roy - al son,
3. Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; Ac - cept the prayers we bring,

To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring!
Who in the Lord's name com - est, The King and bless - ed One;
Who in all good de - light - est, Thou good and gra - cious King.

The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went; Our
To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion, They sang their hymns of praise; To
All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or To Thee, Re - deem - er, King, To

praise and prayer and an - thems Be - fore Thee we pre - sent.
Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our mel - o - dy we raise.
whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho - san - nas ring! A - men.

Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!

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Henry H. Milman, 1791-1868, alt.

John B. Dykes, 1823-1876

1. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! Hark! all the tribes ho -
 2. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! In low - ly pomp ride
 3. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! The wing - ed squad - rons
 4. Ride on! Ride on in maj - es - ty! Thy last and fierc - est

san - na cry; Thy hum - ble beast pur - sues his road With
 on to die: O Christ, Thy tri - umphs now be - gin O'er
 of the sky Look down with sad and won - d'ring eyes To
 strife is nigh; Bow Thy meek head to mor - tal pain, Then

palms and scat - tered gar - ments strowed.
 cap - tive death and con - quered sin.
 see the ap - proach - ing sac - ri - fice.
 take, O Christ, Thy pow'r, and reign. A - men.

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