

Prayer List

We protect the confidential nature of our prayer requests.

The complete list of requested prayers is provided during worship rather than on this "online" bulletin.

You may contact the church office concerning any needs for prayer. You may also email prayer requests.

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The congregation extends their sympathy to Joe and Becky in the loss of their daughter, Katrina.

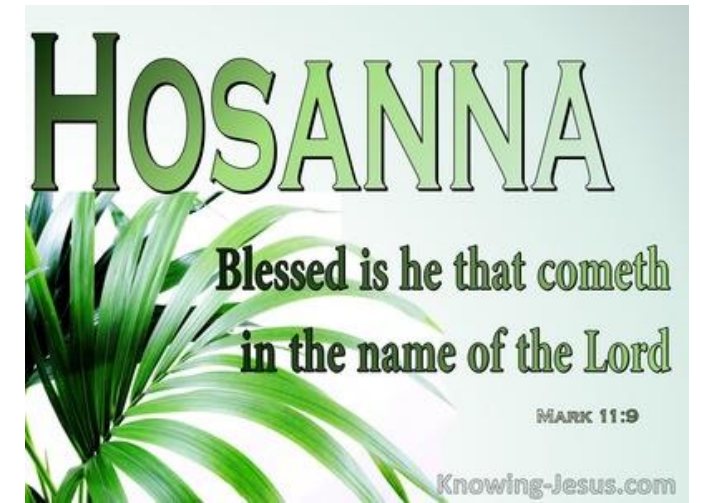
Sermon Notes

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Ottawa Presbyterian Church
March 24, 2024
Palm Sunday

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Welcome to OPC!

*The Congregation stands if able in body or spirit.
We welcome Rev. Amy Remaklus this morning!

GATHERING

Welcome

One: This is the day that the Lord has made.

All: Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Announcements

Call to Worship

One: Dear friends in Christ, during Lent we have been preparing by works of love and self-sacrifice for the celebration of our Lord's death and resurrection. Today we come together to begin this solemn celebration in union with the Church throughout the world. Christ enters his own city to complete his work as our Savior, to suffer, to die, and to rise again.

All: *(Palms raised)* God our savior, whose Son Jesus Christ entered Jerusalem as Messiah to suffer and die, let these palms be for us signs of his victory; and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as King and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

*Hymn *This is the Day* #391

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

All: O God, you know us well. We are quick to speak of faith but slow to live it fully. We shout "hosanna" as Jesus approaches; but we do not want him to come too close - not close enough to really

see that we are fickle and slow to live fully and everywhere as faithful disciples. We know where we fail...

Silent Prayer

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri #581

THE WORD

Prayer for Illumination

1st Scripture Reading Psalm 118:19-29

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

Time with the Kids

Choir Anthem *Rejoice, Rejoice*

2nd Scripture Reading Mark 11:1-11

"Readers Theatre" based on Mark 11:1-11 and Luke 19:39-40.

One: The word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon "What Does This Story Mean to You and Me"
Rev. Amy Remaklus

RESPONSE

*Hymn *A Cheering, Chanting, Dizzy Crowd* #200

Joys & Concerns

Call to Offering

*The Doxology #606

Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

*Prayer of Dedication

Sharing the Peace

SENDING

*Hymn *Now Go in Joy (2x)* #745

*Charge & Benediction

Announcements

Church Movie Night: Tonight at 6:30 pm. Will be watching "Jesus Revolution". Popcorn and soda provided. All are welcome.

April Newsletter articles are due to the office by tomorrow, March 25th.

Signup sheets are now posted in the hallway for anyone willing to help/do the following:

Prayer Vigil: Thurs. Mar. 28 – Fri. Mar. 29

Easter flowers: Deadline to signup is tomorrow, Monday, March 25th. Have to church by Sat. March 30

Choir will practice on Thursday, March 28 at 7:30 pm

No Sunday School: Next Sunday, Easter Sunday.

We have narrowed down some tee-shirt slogans and will have them on the hall bulletin board to vote. Please vote only once. Deadline is Easter. Victoria Otto has offered to use her talents to make the shirts and we will have a sign-up sheet for tee shirts when we decide the slogan.