



# *Palm*

SUNDAY VESPERS

WITH THE CHILDREN'S CHOIRS



CONCLUDING THE LORD'S DAY IN WORSHIP

TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 29, 2026 AT 6:00 P.M.



# PALM SUNDAY VESPERS

---

*with the Children's Choirs*

**EVENING VESPER MEDITATION**

*All your children shall be taught by the LORD,  
and great shall be the peace of your children.*

**ISAIAH 54:13**



Call to Preparation

Rev. Kurt Cooper

The Handbell Prelude

*Canon in D*  
*My Song Is Love Unknown*

arr. Hal Hopson  
Edwin Childs

Chiming of the Hour

† Processional Hymn 186

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

ELLACOMBE

† Call to Worship (*congregation reads bold type*)

Zechariah 9:9, 10b

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

**Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!**

Behold, your king is coming to you;

**righteous and having salvation is He,**

humble and mounted on a donkey,

**on a colt, the foal of a donkey.**

His rule shall be from sea to sea,

**and from the river to the ends of the earth.**

*ALL:* **How great is His goodness, and how great His beauty!**

† Prayer of Invocation

Anthem

*Hosanna to the Son of David*  
The Cherub Choir

Michael Bedford

*Refrain:* Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna to the Son of David!  
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna, Jesus comes.  
Riding on a donkey through the city streets,  
Jesus smiles and waves to everyone He meets. *Refrain.*  
See palm branches waving as the people say,  
“Blest is He who comes on this triumphant day.” *Refrain.*

† Hymn 72

*All Things Bright and Beautiful*  
(first verse sung by the Cherub Choir, congregation joins on second refrain)

ROYAL OAK

Anthem

*We, the Children, Lift Our Voices*  
The Covenant Choir

arr. Hal Hopson

We, the children, lift our voices, with a song each heart rejoices.  
Sing we praise to God who made us, in whose arms so gently holds us.  
*Laudate Dominum. (Praise the Lord)*  
God is the song and the joy of our life.  
Moon and stars in their own courses tell the might that God enforces.  
Nestling birds, they tell the story, tell of God’s own care and glory.  
*Laudate Dominum.*  
God is the song and the joy of our life.  
When the night is dark and dreary, when the days are long and weary,  
God is there beyond all knowing, love and goodness ever showing.  
*Laudate Dominum.*  
God is the song and the joy of our life.  
For such love and tender caring, all through life we must be sharing  
Songs of thanks be ever raising, to our God with endless praising.

† Hymn 455

*All Praise to Thee, My God, This Night*

TALLIS’ CANON

† Scripture Reading – Matthew 21:1-5

pew Bible, page 1049

Anthem

*Majesty Medley*  
The Covenant Choir

arr. Russell Mauldin

Majesty, worship His majesty! Unto Jesus be all glory, honor and praise!  
Majesty, kingdom authority flow from His throne unto His own, His anthem raise!  
So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus.  
Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus the King!  
Majesty, worship His majesty! Jesus who died, now glorified, King of all kings!  
He is Lord, He is Lord ! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!  
Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

† Scripture Reading – Zechariah 9:9-10

pew Bible, page 1013

Homily

*The Coming of the Righteous King*

Rev. Michael Howell

Closing Prayer

Anthem

*God So Loved the World (John 3:16)*  
The Covenant Choir

John Stainer, arr. McClure

God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son,  
That who so believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life.

† Benediction

Postlude

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

Michael Burkhardt

## **WORSHIP LEADERSHIP**

Rev. Kurt Cooper, *Senior Minister*

Rev. Michael Howell, *Assistant Minister*

Dr. Jacob Taylor, *Organist and Music Associate*

Mrs. Lucy Freeman, *Director of Children's Ministries*

Mr. George Gichero, *Accompanist*

Mr. Steve Lee, *Handbell Choir Director*

## **CHILDREN'S CHOIRS**

### **CHERUB CHOIR**

Kathy Horton, *director*; Jan Hogan, Lynn Gilreath, *helpers*

Luisa Allen, Millie Brewer, Liza Carter, Furman Dean, Samuel Dean, Phillipa Dobson

Virginia Freeman, Ridge Govan, Will Green, Reese Hall, Leighton Howe

Mary Mills Hudson, Margaret McClendon, Ellie McPhail, Ana Jean Muzio

Conner Radford, Lucy Reid Shaw, Maragaret Fox Tortorici

Will Van Hooser, Anne Farrell Whitehurst

### **COVENANT CHOIR**

Mrs. Traci Fuller, *director*; Mr. Shaka Marko, *assistant*

Gavin Allan, Jack Behm, Daniel Black, Caroline Blades, David Blades, Hollan Brewer

Fox Caraway, Abby Kate Carroll, Sarah Ann Carroll, Tal Carter, Grayson Cooper

Annie Coyne, William Coyne, Stuart Frazer, Charlie Freeman, Ramsey Govan

Becca Hall, Henry Hudson, Ann Caroline Johnson, Alice Jones

Wils Jones, Gus Muzio, Mary Louise Shaw, Caroline Spooner

Rachel Taylor, Jones Thompson, Collins Trammell

## **SERMON NOTES**

Zechariah 9:9-10

*The Coming of the Righteous King*

I. The Character of the King (v. 9b)

II. The Nature of His Kingdom (v. 10)

III. The Blessings of His Reign (v. 9a)

# HOLY WEEK AT TRINITY



## MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE | APRIL 2

7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

*Music by the organ with Robert Scott, flute.*

Homily by The Reverend Cameron Whitehurst

## GOOD FRIDAY TENEBRAE SERVICE | APRIL 3

7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

*Music by the Chancel Choir, oboe, and organ.*

Homily by The Reverend Kurt Cooper

## EASTER SUNDAY | APRIL 5

Sunrise Service at 6:00 a.m. in Trinity Park\*

*In case of inclement weather the Sunrise Service will be held in Trinity Hall.*

Homily by Andrew Mingus

Pancake Breakfast in Trinity Hall

*Served immediately following the Sunrise Service – all are welcome!*

Easter Morning Worship at 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary

*Music by the Chancel Choir and soloists with organ, trumpet, and timpani.*

Sermon by The Reverend Kurt Cooper

Sunday School – 9:45 a.m.

*\*Nursery (ages 3 months to pre-K) is provided for all services except for the Sunrise Service.*

NO EVENING VESPERS ON EASTER SUNDAY



## VISITORS

We are honored to have you as our guest today. Please complete the information on our Friendship Register (by scanning the QR code) so that we may respond properly to your visit.

*To* all who are spiritually weary and seek rest;  
to all who mourn and long for comfort;  
to all who struggle and desire victory;  
to all who sin and need a Savior;  
to all who are strangers and want fellowship;  
to all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;  
and to all who will come,  
this church opens wide her doors and offers welcome  
in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.



*A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA)*

[trinitypca.org](http://trinitypca.org)