

St. Paul's Cathedral

Territory of the People

Anglican Church of Canada
Kamloops, BC

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Sunday, April 9, 2017 – Palm Sunday



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Holy Communion in the Chapel 8:00 a.m.

Presider and Preacher: The Dean; Lay Assistant: Diane McKelvey

The service begins on page 67 of the Book of Common Prayer

Readings: Isaiah 50:4-9a; Psalm 31:9-16; Philippians 2:5-11; Matthew 21:1-11

Holy Eucharist for Palm Sunday

Gathers initially in the Parish Hall prior to 10:00 a.m.

N.B. In many places the Church now chooses to celebrate the Palm Liturgy on this Sunday without the reading of the Passion Gospel. The rationale for this practice is that this Sunday is the beginning of Holy Week and should be treated as such rather than to be a combination of Palm Sunday and Good Friday. This rationale has led to a re-ordering of the Palm Liturgy in The Book of Alternative Services.

There are no announcements or Children's Sacred Square this morning

The Gathering of the Community

All who are able and willing gather in the hall prior to the service for procession into the church. We will sing along the way chants as follows:

**Follow, follow, I will follow Jesus
Anywhere, everywhere, I will follow Him:
Follow, follow, I will follow Jesus
Anywhere he leads me I will follow Him . . .**

Jubilate deo, jubilate deo, Alleluia

Once the choir is in the nave we sing:

**ALL GLORY, LAUD, AND HONOR (CP 181)
TO THEE, REDEEMER, KING!
TO WHOM THE LIPS OF CHILDREN
MADE SWEET HOSANNAS RING.**

**Thou art the King of Israel,
thou David's royal Son,
who in the Lord's Name comest,
the King and Blessed One. REFRAIN**

**The company of angels
are praising thee on high;**

and mortal men and all things
created make reply. **REFRAIN**

The people of the Hebrews
with palms before thee went;
our praise and prayer and anthems
before thee we present. **REFRAIN**

To thee before thy passion
they sang their hymns of praise;
to thee, now high exalted,
our melody we raise. **REFRAIN**

Thou didst accept their praises;
accept the prayers we bring,
who in all good delightest,
thou good and gracious King. **REFRAIN**

Introductory Responses

Christ became obedient unto death for us,
even death upon a cross.
He was pierced for our sins,
bruised for no fault but ours.
His punishment has won our peace,
and by his wounds we are healed.
Worthy is the Lamb that was slain
**to receive power and riches and wisdom,
strength, honour, glory and praise. Amen.**

Hymn of Confession 610 Before I Take the Body of My Lord

At this time, children and Church School teachers are asked to meet Melissa at the back of the church in order to proceed to their programme downstairs

May the God of love and power
forgive you and free you from your sins,
heal and strengthen you by the Holy Spirit,
and raise you to new life in Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Collect of the Day

**Giver of light, your steadfast love endures forever.
Open our hearts to the Blessed One**

**who comes so humbly, on a borrowed colt.
Open before us the gates of your justice,
that we may enter, confessing in heaven and on earth
that Jesus is Lord. Amen.**

1 st Reading	Isaiah 50.4-9a	Jo-Lynne Forbes
Psalm	118.1-2, 19-29	
2 nd Reading	Philippians 2.5-11	Elaine Parkes
Hymn	184 My song is love unknown	
	<i>Three verses before and the remaining verses after the proclamation</i>	
The Holy Gospel according to Matthew 21:1-11		Al Leake
The Sermon		The Dean
Sung creed	44 I believe in God Almighty	
The prayers of the people		Rob Roy
The sharing of peace		

Celebration of the Eucharist

Offertory Song MV 30 It's a song of praise to the Maker
The Prayer over the Gifts

God our provider,
you have not fed us with bread alone,
but with words of grace and life.
Bless us and these your gifts,
which we receive from your bounty,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Blessed are you, gracious God,
creator of heaven and earth;
we give you thanks and praise
through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who for our salvation became obedient unto death.
The tree of defeat became the tree of victory:

where life was lost, life has been restored.
Therefore with angels and archangels
and all the heavenly chorus,
we cry out to proclaim the glory of your name.

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

God of our weary years, God of our silent tears,
you have brought us this far along the way.
In times of bitterness you did not abandon us,
but guided us into the path of love and light.
In every age you sent prophets to make known
your loving will for all humanity.

The cry of the poor has become your own cry;
our hunger and thirst for justice is your own desire.
In the fullness of time, you sent your chosen servant
to preach good news to the afflicted,
to break bread with the outcast and despised,
and to ransom those in bondage to prejudice and sin.

In the night in which he was betrayed,
our Lord Jesus Christ took bread, and gave thanks;
broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying:
Take and eat; this is my body, given for you.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks,
and gave it for all to drink, saying:
This cup is the new covenant in my blood,
shed for you and for all people, for the forgiveness of sin.
Do this for the remembrance of me.

For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup,
we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.
Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Remembering, therefore, his death and resurrection,
we await the day when Jesus shall return
to free all the earth from the bonds of slavery and death.

Come, Lord Jesus! And let the church say, Amen. Amen.

Send your Holy Spirit, our advocate, to fill the hearts of all
who share this bread and cup with courage and wisdom
to pursue love and justice in all the world.

Come, Spirit of freedom! And let the church say, Amen. Amen.

Join our prayers and praise with prophets and martyrs of every age,
that, rejoicing in the hope of the resurrection,
we might live in the freedom and hope of your Son.

**Through him, with him, in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
all glory and honour is yours almighty Father, now and for ever. Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer in sung

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Celebrant	We break this bread,
All	Communion in Christ's body once broken.
Celebrant	Let your Church be the wheat which bears its fruit in dying.
All	If we have died with him, we shall live with him; if we hold firm, we shall reign with him.

The Communion

Communion – *All are welcome at Christ's table. If you require gluten free bread, please indicate this to
Communion Assistant at the altar rail. We invite you to participate in quiet during communion as a time for
prayer and reflection. Communion Hymns: 56 I am the bread; 154 Deep in our hearts; 63 Eat This Bread*

Blessing and Procession with Palms

*After the choir concludes the anthem all our younger members are invited to gather up front
for the blessing and distribution of the palm crosses.*

Dear friends in Christ, during Lent we have been preparing
for the celebration of our Lord's passion, death and resurrection.

On this day our Lord Jesus Christ
entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph.
The people welcomed him with palms and shouts of praise,
but the path before him led to self-giving, suffering, and death.

Today we greet him as our King,
although we know his crown is thorns and his throne a cross.
We follow him this week from the glory of the palms
to the glory of the resurrection
by way of the dark road of suffering and death.
United with him in his suffering on the cross,
may we share his resurrection and new life.
Let us pray together:

**Assist us mercifully with your help,
Lord God of our salvation,
that we may enter with joy
into the celebration of those mighty acts
whereby you give us life and immortality;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

It is right to praise you, almighty God,
for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us
through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord.
The Hebrews acclaimed Jesus as Messiah and King,
with palm branches in their hands, crying, Hosanna in the highest.

May we also, carrying these blessed crosses,
go forth to meet Christ and follow him
in the way that leads to eternal life;
who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit,
now and for ever. **Amen.**

Hymn 374 Alleluia sing to Jesus

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WORSHIP MINISTERS at 10 a.m. service

Presider/Preacher – The Dean; Gospeller – Al Leake; Prayer Ministry – Verna Albright, Ron Ste Marie; Altar Guild – Verna Albright, Lynn Watrich, Judy Waddington; Coffee – Mavis Chalmers, Bridget Jensen; Greeters – Ken & Laura Munro; Lay Admin – Lindley Roff, Bud Forbes, Alison McKinnon; Lock Up – Melissa Green; Prayers of the People – Rob Roy; Readers – Jo-Lynn Forbes, Elaine Parkes; Servers – Rae Long, Margaret Hyslop, Bud Forbes

Lections for Easter Sunday, April 16 are: Acts 10:34-43; Psalm 118:1-2, 18-24; Colossians 3:1-4; John 20:1-18

HOLY WEEK AT YOUR CATHEDRAL

Ministry Focus: Prayer Shawl Ministry

Outreach Focus: PWRDF – Canadian Food Grains Bank

Office Hours: Tuesday – Thursday 9:30-1:30

Monday	5 pm	Passionate Love – Liturgy for Holy Week - Cathedral
	7 pm	Contemplative Prayer - Cathedral
Tuesday	Noon	Education Committee Meeting - Cathedral
	1 pm	Peace & Justice Meeting - Cathedral
	5 pm	Passionate Love – Liturgy for Holy Week - Cathedral
Wednesday	11 am	Centering Prayer – Cathedral
	Noon	Bible Study - Chapel
	5 pm	Passionate Love – Liturgy for Holy Week - Cathedral
Maundy Thursday	10 am	Traditional Liturgy - Chapel
	7 pm	Contemporary Liturgy - Cathedral
Good Friday	10 am	Good Friday liturgy - Cathedral
Saturday	9 am	Decorating for Easter – Cathedral and Chapel

ON THE HORIZON

- Thursday, April 20, 1 p.m., Anglicanism 101, Creeds, Councils and Christ – Chapel
- Thursday, April 20, 4 p.m. Wedding rehearsal - Cathedral
- Saturday, April 22, 2 p.m. Wedding - Cathedral
- Monday, April 24, 7 p.m., Anglicanism 101, *Creeds, Councils and Christ* – Chapel
- Tuesday, April 25, 7 p.m. Cathedral Committee - Cathedral

HITHER, THITHER AND YON

- A **funeral for the late John McCannell** will now occur on the long weekend in May
- Copies of the **Dean’s Easter Letter** are available in hardcopy at the back of the church
- Notes and minutes from **recent Cathedral Committee meetings** are available on the notice board in the parish hall
- Advance **polling for the BC Provincial Election** will commence later in April here at the Cathedral. Anticipate minimal but necessary disruption
- Early in May we will publish a set of notes from the 2017 **Lenten Lecture Series**.
- **The Dean will be on vacation or study leave** as follows: April 17-19; April 27-May 1 (North American Cathedral Deans meeting in Chicago); May 19-22