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## **HOLY COMMUNION**

*Setting One*

*The congregation gathers at the entrance of the church.  
Palms are distributed.*

### **Blessing of the Palms & Procession**

#### **Gathering**

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

**Hosanna in the highest.**

Let us pray.

**Amen.**

#### **Processional Gospel Mark 11:1-11**

When they were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples <sup>2</sup>and said to them, “Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it, you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. <sup>3</sup>If anyone says to you, ‘Why are you doing this?’ just say this, ‘The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately.’” <sup>4</sup>They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, <sup>5</sup>some of the

bystanders said to them, “What are you doing, untying the colt?” <sup>6</sup>They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it. <sup>7</sup>Then they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it; and he sat on it. <sup>8</sup>Many people spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut in the fields. <sup>9</sup>Then those who went ahead and those who followed were shouting, “Hosanna!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

<sup>10</sup>Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David!

Hosanna in the highest heaven!”<sup>11</sup>Then he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple; Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.


**Hosanna in the highest.**

**Processional Hymn**

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

ELW 344


*Refrain*



All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to you, re - deem - er, king,




to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.



1 You are the king of Is - rael and Da - vid's roy - al Son,  
2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels are prais - ing you on high;  
3 The mul - ti - tude of pil - grims with palms be - fore you went;  
4 To you, be - fore your pas - sion, they sang their hymns of praise.  
5 Their prais - es you ac - cept - ed; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

*Refrain*



now in the Lord's name com - ing, our King and Bless - ed One.  
cre - a - tion and all mor - tals in cho - rus make re - ply.  
our praise and prayer and an - thems be - fore you we pre - sent.  
To you, now high ex - alt - ed, our mel - o - dy we raise.  
great au - thor of all good - ness, O good and gra - cious King.

## **Prayer of the Day**

Hosanna! King of all, you reign over the cosmos. Reign in our lives, triumph over evil, and teach us to follow in your footsteps. **Amen.**

## **Children's Bible Story**

### **First Reading - Isaiah 50:7-9a**

<sup>7</sup>The Lord GOD helps me;  
therefore I have not been disgraced;  
therefore I have set my face like flint,  
and I know that I shall not be put to shame;  
<sup>8</sup>he who vindicates me is near.  
Who will contend with me?  
Let us stand up together.  
Who are my adversaries?  
Let them confront me.  
<sup>9a</sup>It is the Lord GOD who helps me;  
who will declare me guilty?

Word of God, word of Life.

**Thanks be to God.**

## **Psalm 118**

20 This is the gate of the Lord; the righteous shall enter through it.

**21 I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.**

22 The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

**23 This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.**

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

**25 Save us, we beseech you, O Lord! O Lord, we beseech you, give us success!**

26 Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. We bless you from the house of the Lord.

**27 The Lord is God, and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar.**

28 You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you.

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

### **Gospel Acclamation**

The holy gospel according to Mark

Where sin runs deep, your grace is more.

Where grace is found is where you are. And where you are, Lord, I am free

Ho - li - ness is Christ in me. Lord, I need you, oh, I need you.

Ev - 'ry hour I need you. My one de - fense, my right - eous - ness; Oh,

God, how I need you. Oh, God, how I need you.

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

### **Gospel: Mark 14:3-9**

3While he was at Bethany in the house of Simon the leper, as he sat at the table, a woman came with an alabaster jar of very costly ointment of nard, and she broke open the jar and poured the ointment on his head. 4But some were there who said to one another in anger, “Why was the ointment wasted in this way? 5For this ointment could have been sold for more than three hundred denarii, and the money given to the poor.” And they scolded her. 6But Jesus said, “Let her alone; why do you trouble her? She has performed a good service for me. 7For you always have the poor with you, and you can show kindness to them whenever you wish; but you will not always have me. 8She has done what she could; she has anointed my body beforehand for its burial. 9Truly I tell you, wherever the good news is

proclaimed in the whole world, what she has done will be told in remembrance of her.”

The gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.**

**Sermon**

**Hymn of the Day** O Sacred Head, Now Wounded ELW 351

## O Sacred Head, Now Wounded



1 O sa - cred head, now wound - ed, with grief and shame weighed down,  
2 How pale thou art with an - guish, with sore a - buse and scorn;  
3 What lan - guage shall I bor - row to thank thee, dear - est friend,  
4 Lord, be my con - so - la - tion; shield me when I must die;



now scorn - ful - ly sur - round - ed with thorns, thine on - ly crown;  
how does thy face now lan - guish, which once was bright as morn!  
for this thy dy - ing sor - row, thy pit - y with - out end?  
re - mind me of thy pas - sion when my last hour draws nigh.



O sa - cred head, what glo - ry, what bliss till now was thine!  
Thy grief and bit - ter pas - sion were all for sin - ners' gain;  
Oh, make me thine for - ev - er, and should I faint - ing be,  
These eyes, new faith re - ceiv - ing, from thee shall nev - er move;



Yet, though de - spised and gor - y, I joy to call thee mine.  
mine, mine was the trans - gres - sion, but thine the dead - ly pain.  
Lord, let me nev - er, nev - er out - live my love to thee.  
for all who die be - liev - ing die safe - ly in thy love.

Text: Paul Gerhardt, 1607–1676, based on Arnulf of Louvain, d. 1250; tr. composite

Music: HERZLICH TUT MICH VERLANGEN, German melody, c. 1500; adapt. Hans Leo Hassler, 1564–1612

**Prayer Refrain – Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying**



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, Lord, send your Spir-it in this place;



Lord, lis-ten to your chil-dren pray-ing, send us love, send us pow'r, send us grace.

## Prayers of the People

### Announcements

#### Peace

The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**And also with you.**

#### Offering

#### Offering Song



Give thanks to the Lord, our God and King, His love en-dures for -ev - er.



For He is good, He is a - bove all things, His love en-dures for -ev - er.



Sing praise, \_\_\_\_\_ sing praise. \_\_\_\_\_



For -ev - er God is faith ful, for -ev - er God is strong,



for -ev - er God is with us, for -ev - er, \_\_\_\_\_ for -ev - er, \_\_\_\_\_

\*Words and music by Chris Tomlin

## **Offering Prayer**

Let us pray.

Jesus, you are the bread of life  
and the host of this meal.

Bless these gifts that we have gathered  
that all people may know your goodness.

Feed us not only with this holy food  
but with hunger for justice and peace.

We pray this in your name.

**Amen.**

## **Great Thanksgiving**

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.**

With this bread of his body and wine of his blood we remember our Lord's  
passover from death to life as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

O God of resurrection and new life: Pour out your Holy Spirit on us and on  
these gifts of bread and wine. Bless this feast. Grace our table with your  
presence.

**Come, Holy Spirit.**

Reveal yourself to us in the breaking of the bread. Raise us up as the body  
of Christ for the world. Breathe new life into us. Send us forth, burning with  
justice, peace, and love.

**Come, Holy Spirit.**

With your holy ones of all times and places, with the earth and all its  
creatures,

with sun and moon and stars, we praise you, O God,  
blessed and holy Trinity, now and forever.

**Amen.**



## The Lord's prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven,

hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come,

thy will be done,

on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread;

and forgive us our trespasses,

as we forgive those who trespass against us;

and lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,

forever and ever. Amen.

## Invitation to Communion

This is Christ's table and Christ welcomes each and every single one of you.

## Communion Hymn

WORDS AND MUSIC BY STEVEN FURTICK, CHRIS BROWN, WADE JOYE AND MACK BROCK

1. Are you hurt - - ing and bro - ken with - in \_\_\_\_\_  
2. Leave be - hind - - your re - grets and mis - takes. \_\_\_\_\_

o - ver - whelmed by the weight of your sin? \_\_\_\_\_  
Come to - day; there's no rea - - son to wait. \_\_\_\_\_

Je - sus is call - ing.  
Je - sus is call - ing.

Have you come to the end of yours - self \_\_\_\_\_  
Bring your sor - - rows and trade them for joy; \_\_\_\_\_

do you thirst for a drink from the well? \_\_\_\_\_ Je - sus is call - ing.  
From the ash - es a new life is born. \_\_\_\_\_ Je - sus is call - ing.

CHORUS

O come to the al - tar; the Fa - ther's arms are o - pen wide. \_\_\_\_\_

For - give - ness was bought with the pre - cious blood of Je - sus Christ. \_\_\_\_\_

# Distribution

## Song After Communion

Words and Music by Michael Farren and Lauren Daigle

VERSE



O we know that you are God, yours is the vic - to - ry.  
We know there is more to come, that we may not yet see,  
so with the faith You've giv - - en us, we step  
in - to the val - - ley un - - a - fraid.

BRIDGE



So breath, oh breath of God, now breathe, oh breath of God.  
Breathe, oh breath of God, now breathe. So breath, oh breath of God, now  
breathe, oh breath of God. Breathe, oh breath of God, now breathe.

CHORUS



We call out to dry bones, "Come a -live, come a -live."  
We call out to dead hearts, "Come a -live, come a -live."  
Up out of the ash - es let us see God's peo - ple rise.  
We call out to dry bones, "Come a -live."  
We call out to dry bones, "Come a -live."

### **Prayer after Communion**

Generous God,  
at this table we have tasted your immeasurable grace.  
As grains of wheat are gathered into one bread,  
now make us one loaf to feed the world;  
in the name of Jesus, the Bread of life.  
**Amen.**

### **Blessing**

Beloved,  
we are God's own people,  
holy, washed, renewed.  
God bless you and keep you,  
shower you with mercy,  
fill you with courage,  
and † give you peace.  
**Amen.**

# SENDING SONG There in God's Garden vv 1,2,6 ELW 342

## There in God's Garden



1 There in God's gar - den stands the Tree of Wis - dom,  
2 Its name is Je - sus, name that says, "Our Sav - ior!"  
3 Thorns not its own are tan - gled in its fo - liage;  
4 See how its branch - es reach to us in wel - come;



whose leaves hold forth the heal - ing of the na - tions:  
There on its branch - es see the scars of suf - f'ring;  
our greed has starved it, our de - spite has choked it.  
hear what the Voice says, "Come to me, ye wea - ry!



Tree of all knowl - edge, Tree of all com -  
see there the ten - drils of our hu - man  
Yet, look! it lives! its grief has not de -  
Give me your sick - ness, give me all your



pas - sion, Tree of all beau - ty.  
self - hood feed on its life - blood.  
stroyed it nor fire con - sumed it.  
sor - row, I will give bless - ing."

5 This is my ending  
this my resurrection;  
into your hands, Lord,  
I commit my spirit.  
This have I searched for;  
now I can possess it.  
This ground is holy.

6 All heav'n is singing,  
"Thanks to Christ whose passion  
offers in mercy  
healing, strength, and pardon.  
Peoples and nations,  
take it, take it freely!"  
Amen! My Master!

Text: Király Imre von Pécselyi, c. 1590–c. 1641; tr. Erik Routley, 1917–1982

Music: SHADES MOUNTAIN, K. Lee Scott, b. 1950

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**The Easter egg hunt is today** in the Community Center at 11 AM.

**Food for the cast and crew** of Journey to the Cross is needed – sides, salads, and desserts. Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex.

**It's not too late to volunteer** for special music on Easter. If you are available for either of our Easter services, 7 or 9 AM please see Ray or Adra.

**Easter Breakfast** will be at 8 AM on March 31. Workers are needed the day before for prep; and the morning of the breakfast to prepare, serve and clean up the meal. More hands make lighter work. Sign up in the narthex or contact Kim Cramer at 313-600-9297 or [cramergirls09@gmail.com](mailto:cramergirls09@gmail.com)

**A special meeting of the congregation** will be held on Sunday, April 7 immediately following the 9 AM worship service. We will vote to approve spending up to \$48,000 to remove the asbestos tile & carpeting in the sanctuary, sacristy, balcony, and narthex; and install new tile and carpeting in the sanctuary, sacristy, balcony, and narthex.

**A short WELCA meeting to discuss** a purchase that needs to be made before Synod Assembly will be held in the Community Center lobby after the congregational meeting on April 7.

**The Annual Blessing of the Seed, Soil & Sower** is on Sunday, April 21 at 9 AM and Wednesday, April 24 @ 7 PM. Be sure to invite area friends, farmers, and backyard gardeners to either of these services.

Give via our website: [princeofpeaceida.org](http://princeofpeaceida.org). You may also direct deposit or scan to donate an offering:



## **Journey to the Cross**

***Dress Rehearsal*** – Dress rehearsal for Journey to the Cross will be held on Wednesday, March 27, beginning with pizza and garment fitting at 5:00 in the Community Center. All of the members of Prince of Peace who are involved in this drama are asked to make this rehearsal a priority. Musicians who will offer their talents on Good Friday do not need to attend this rehearsal.

***Props are needed*** - We again need to borrow a number of “props” that will help make the scenes more realistic. We need a lot of old wooden hand tools for the carpenter’s shop. We need 6-8 flood lights and extension cords that will help light the scenes and a number of clamps. We need baskets, crocks, wooden crates and old jugs for all of the scenes.

If you can provide any of these supplies, or other appropriate items, please place them in the Gathering Place anytime during the week of March 17th. Place them in the corner of the room near the choir robe cabinet, either on the floor or on the table in that area. Be sure your name is marked on the item in some way, perhaps with tape on the bottom. You may pick these up in the same area any time after Saturday morning, March 30. We thank you for being so generous and allowing them to be used in this dramatization.

***Tear down help needed*** - We need a lot of help on Saturday morning, March 30<sup>th</sup>, to disassemble all of the scenes, and store away the props, beginning at 8:30 AM. With enough help most of these tasks will be completed in less than two hours. This Easter gift to our community would not be possible without your help. Thank you again for your help in any or all of these opportunities.

### Holy Week Schedule:

Maundy Thursday Service – 7 PM  
Good Friday Journey to the Cross 11 am-2 pm and 4-7 pm  
Good Friday Service – 7:30ish

Easter Sunday, March 31  
7 AM & 9 AM  
Easter Breakfast 8 AM

**PRINCE OF PEACE  
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# EASTER EGG HUNT

**SUNDAY, MARCH 24 | 11:00 AM**  
Following Palm Sunday Mass  
TODDLER - 5TH GRADE KIDS ARE WELCOME

Prince of Peace Church  
1920 Lewis Ave  
Ida, MI 48140

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Wrapped candy Donatons are greatly appreciated. Please have them brought in by Sunday March 17th.



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**SAINT GABRIEL  
LENTEN FISH FRY DINNER**  
\*\* ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH - IDA \*\*



**DATES**

\*\* EVERY FRIDAY DURING LENT \*\*  
FEBRUARY 16, 23  
MARCH 1, 8, 15, 22 & 29

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**4 PM - 7 PM**  
INSIDE DINING OR  
DRIVE THRU PICKUP

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**50/50 DRAWING**  
CASH & CHECKS ACCEPTED

**DINNERS**

ALL DINNERS INCLUDE:  
FISH / SHRIMP, SCALLOPED  
POTATOES, GREEN BEANS,  
COLE SLAW, ROLL,  
DESSERT & BEVERAGE  
OR GRILLED CHEESE & CHIPS  
.....  
WHILE SUPPLIES LAST


**INSIDE DINING**

ALL YOU CAN EAT: \$18  
SMALL ONE SERVING MEAL  
( 4 PIECES OF FISH ): \$13  
GRILLED CHEESE: \$8

**DRIVE THRU**

ALL FISH: \$25  
LARGE MEAL: \$18 \* SMALL MEAL: \$13  
GRILLED CHEESE: \$8

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Every drop counts. Donate blood.

**Blood Drive  
Ida Area Churches  
Prince of Peace Lutheran  
Church**

Gymnasium  
1920 Lewis Avenue  
Ida, MI 48140

**Thursday, April 11, 2024**  
**11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**

SPRING to DONATE! Schedule YOUR appointment, please call  
1-800-RED CROSS or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter code: IDACHURCHES



Make an Impact: Come give blood 4/8 to 4/28 for a \$10  
gift card by email to a merchant of choice!



[ST] DOWNS: 11/20/2023 11:51:51 AM 1-800-RED CROSS

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## WOMEN'S Retreat

Saturday - April 27, 2024 | 10:00am-3:00pm  
\$20 per person (includes meal & snack)

**"Empowering Women Through Sharing"**

RSVP by April 13, 2024 to:  
StPaulselca.temperance@gmail.com or  
Linda Taylor (call or text) @ 419.461.0673

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# JOURNEY to the CROSS

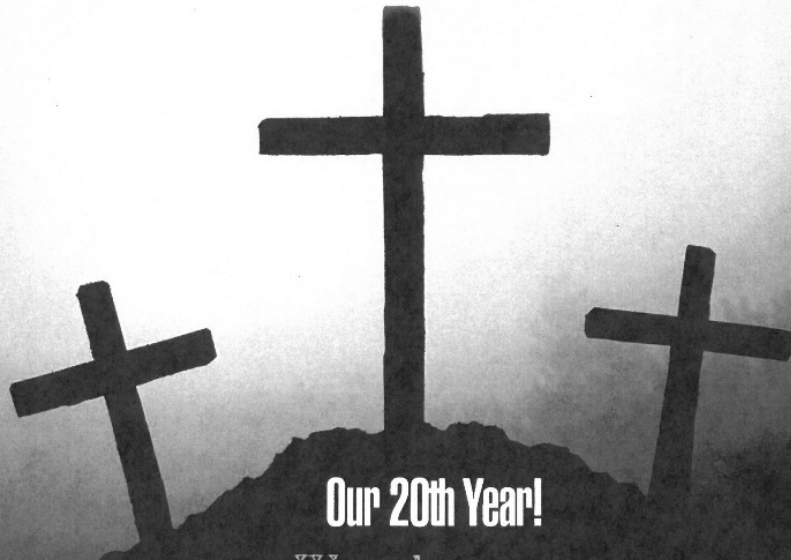
**GOOD FRIDAY MARCH 29, 2024**

No Charge All Ages Handicap Accessible

**Dramatic Reenactment of Christ's Last Days**

The Last Supper The Garden of Gethsemane The Carpenter's Shop The Tomb

**Guided Tours Every 15 Minutes  
11 am - 2 pm & 4-7 pm**



**Our 20th Year!**

We welcome you

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