



ST. PAUL'S  
EPISCOPAL CATHEDRAL

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## Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

### Choral Eucharist

Sunday, April 2, 2023

Ten o'clock in the morning

**Organ Voluntary** Variations on *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* Michael Burkhardt

### The Word of God

*All are invited to pick up palm branches as they enter. Congregation please turn to face the rear of the Nave for the Liturgy of the Palms.*

### THE LITURGY OF THE PALMS

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*Celebrant* Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

**People** **Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.**

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

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

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

**People** **And also with you.**

*Celebrant* Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People** **It is right to give God thanks and praise.**

*The clergy bless the palms. The people are invited to raise their palms as we pray.*

### *Celebrant*

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. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, 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.**

**Celebrant** Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
**People** **Hosanna in the highest**

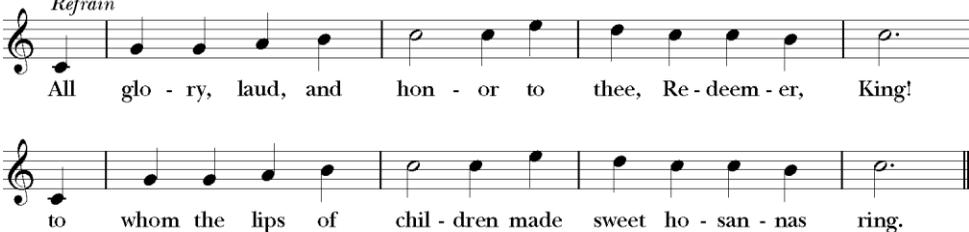
### **THE PROCESSION**

*All are invited to join the procession following the Choir, and wave palm branches.*

**Deacon** Let us go forth in peace.  
**People** **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

### **Processional Hymn 154** *All glory, laud, and honor* VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

*Refrain*



All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King!  
to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.

1 Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,  
 2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels is prais - ing thee on high;  
 3 The peo - ple of the He - brews with palms be - fore thee went;  
 4 To thee be - fore thy pas - sion they sang their hymns of praise;  
 5 Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

*Repeat Refrain*

1 who in the Lord's Name com - est, the King and Bless - ed One.  
 2 and we with all cre - a - tion in cho - rus make re - ply.  
 3 our praise and prayers and an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent.  
 4 to thee, now high ex - al - ted, our mel - o - dy we raise.  
 5 who in all good de - light - est, thou good and gra - cious King.

*The stanzas may be sung by choir alone or alternately by contrasted groups; all sing the refrain.*

Words: Theodulph of Orleans (d. 821); tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt.  
 Music: *Valet will ich dir geben*, melody Melchior Teschner (1584-1635), alt.; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889)

## THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

*The people standing*

*Celebrant*            The Lord be with you.

**People**                **And also with you.**

*Celebrant*            Let us pray.

Almighty and everliving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

**The Lessons, the people sit**

**A Reading from the Book of Isaiah**

[50: 4 – 9a]

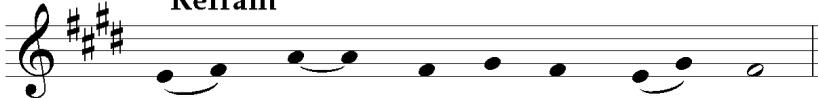
**Psalm 31: 9 – 16**

*In te, Domine, speravi*

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*The Cantor sings the refrain initially and the People join when invited*

**Refrain**

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Have mer - cy on me, O God.

*from Gradual Psalms for the RCL, ed. Bruce E. Ford, Church Publishing Incorporated*

**A Reading from the Letter of Paul to the Philippians**

[2: 5 – 11]

**Hymn 458**

*My song is love unknown*

LOVE UNKNOWN

(St. 1, 2, 3, & 7)

**The Holy Gospel**

[Matthew 21: 1 – 11]

**THE HOMILY**

The Rev. Nicola Bowler

*After the Homily, a period of silent reflection is kept.*

**THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE FORM IV**

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*All stand or kneel as able for prayer.*

*The Celebrant adds a Concluding Collect and the People respond **Amen.***

**THE PEACE**

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**



*During the hymn the Narrators move to their places for the reading of the Passion.*

**THE PASSION OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST ACCORDING TO MATTHEW**

26: 14 – 27: 66

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*The congregation may be seated for the first part of the Passion. At the verse which mentions the arrival at the place that is called The Skull, please stand as able when indicated by the readers.*

*After the conclusion of the Passion, members of the Congregation are invited to remain in the Nave for a time of quiet contemplation, and, when ready, to depart in silence.*

**Announcements for April 2, 2023**

**Volunteer opportunities for Connection Cafe- April 10, 2023** are now open. Please click on the following web link (or copy it into your web browser if clicking doesn't work) to go to the signup sheet: [volunteersignup.org/PADMT](https://volunteersignup.org/PADMT)

To sign up, just follow the instructions on the page. It only takes a few seconds to do. Thank you for volunteering!

**Palm Sunday Procession for Peace**

Organized by Des Moines Faith Committee for Peace

Sunday, April 2, 2023, Procession at 3:00 pm and Service at 3:30 pm. For more information, please visit our website [www.stpaulsdm.org](http://www.stpaulsdm.org), or call the Cathedral Office 515-288-7297.

The Altar Guild is inviting parish members to join us on Holy Saturday, April 8, to prepare the church for the Great Vigil and Easter Sunday. There are many things to do, such as polishing silver, arranging flowers, replacing linens, cleaning followers, and preparing congregational candles. We start at 10:00 in the morning, and we welcome anyone interested in helping. Please join us in the preparation of this most joyous of services.



# Holy Week



## **April 2: Palm & Passion Sunday**

8:00 am Holy Eucharist  
10:00 am Choral Eucharist #+

## **April 3: Monday in Holy Week**

11:00 am Chrism Mass #+

## **April 4: Tuesday in Holy Week**

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist \*

## **April 5: Wednesday in Holy Week**

12:00 pm Holy Eucharist \*  
7:00 pm Tenebrae Service led by St. Paul's Youth \*

## **April 6: Maundy Thursday**

7:00 pm Holy Eucharist & Stripping of the Altar #+  
8:00 pm Contemplation in the High Street Chapel \*

## **April 7: Good Friday**

12:00 pm Liturgy  
7:00 pm Liturgy & Sung Passion #+

## **April 8: Holy Saturday**

8:00 pm The Great Vigil of Easter ^#+

## **April 9: Easter Sunday**

8:00 am Holy Eucharist +  
10:00 am Festival Eucharist ^#+

^ Incense In Use  
\* In High Street Chapel  
# Livestream Available  
+ Bishop Monnot Present

*Wherever you are on your spiritual journey,  
you are welcome here.*

**Worship In Person or Online**

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Coffee Hour in the Guild Hall is a wonderful way to come together with friends and newcomers after Sunday service, and we need volunteers to help. Could this be your ministry? Refreshments don't need to be lavish, and guidance is available. If you are available to serve on an occasional basis we would be delighted; please contact the Cathedral Office.

**History of Bishop Scarfe's Episcopacy** – As announced by Diocesan Historiographer Dr. Hal Chase last Sunday, you are invited to submit your story, long or short, of how Bishop Scarfe's ministry touched you. Stories are to be collected into a history of Bishop Scarfe's Episcopacy. Submit by E-mail to [halchasebeyondrace@gmail.com](mailto:halchasebeyondrace@gmail.com)

**Parish Directory updates** – St. Paul's is updating directory contact information. Please check your entry in the ring binders in the Guild Hall and make changes if needed, or call the office on (515) 288-7297 to update your entry before April 28, 2023.

### **Today's Liturgical Ministers**

*Celebrant* – The Rt. Rev. Betsey Monnot

*Homilist* – The Rev. Nicola Bowler

*Crucifer* – Rosa Walker

*Torch-bearers* – Eleanor Whipple, Ned Whipple

*1<sup>st</sup> lesson* – Mike Bany

*Cantor* – Kirsten Buniak

*2<sup>nd</sup> lesson* – Anna Whipple

*Intercessor* – Volunteer requested

*Eucharistic Minister* – Scott Jeneary, Catherine Gillespie

*Audio System* – Tim Hird

*Ushers* – Volunteers requested

*Chapter Counters* – Duane Sand, Rosa Walker, (alt., John Stender-Custer)

*Passion Readers* – Mike Bany, Anna Whipple, John Zickefoose



**Mission Statement:** St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral is a welcoming, worshiping community committed to living Christ's unconditional love through fellowship, service, and kindness.

**Vision Statement:** Grounded in Worship. Deepening in Faith. Reaching Out in Love.