

# Westminster Presbyterian Church

2110 Sheridan Blvd. Lincoln, NE



March 28, 2021  
Palm Sunday

Prelude

John Ross, organ

Welcome

Rev. Chris Peters

Call to Worship (Mark 11:9-10)

Deacon Robyn Uebele

As Jesus entered Jerusalem, those who went ahead of him were shouting,  
**“Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!”**

As Jesus rode into town on a colt those who followed him were shouting,  
**“Blessed is the coming kingdom of our ancestor David! Hosanna in the highest heaven!”**

**\*Hymn #196 All Glory, Laud, and Honor**

Call to Confession

Time of Silent Confession

Unison Prayer of Confession

***Holy God, we give thanks for your saving love made known to us in the life, death, and resurrection of Christ. As we receive that love, we name and confess our sinfulness. We joyfully claim our faith with words while our actions are selfish and greedy. We speak of blessings to our neighbors while ignoring needs caused by poverty. We shout “hosanna,” yet refuse to place our cloaks of welcome before your path. Lord, forgive us and correct our own paths of sin. Shape us into followers who are self-less, giving, and welcoming. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, we pray. Amen.***

Response to the Confession

**#471 O Lord, hear my prayer. O Lord, hear my prayer.  
When I call, answer me.  
O Lord, hear my prayer. O Lord, hear my prayer.  
Come and listen to me.<sup>1</sup>**

Assurance of Forgiveness

***In Jesus Christ, we are a new creation!***

\*Response of Praise

**#577 Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.  
Kyrie eleison. Kyrie eleison.  
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.**

**Children's Chat**

Rev. Chris Peters

***Special Music***

**Prayer for Illumination**

**Scripture**

**Gospels Mark 11:1-11**

The Word of the Lord. ***Thanks be to God.***

**Sermon "Shouts"**

Rev. Chris Peters

**\*Hymn #198 Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!**

**Affirmation of Faith**

***I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.***

**Prayers of the People**

Deacon Robyn Uebele

**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 debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.***

**\*Charge & Benediction**

Rev. Chris Peters

**Postlude**

John Ross, organ

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The flowers are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of their daughter, Beth, by Margaret and John Sprude.