

LENTEN MIDWEEK SERVICES

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

February 17 – April 2, 2021

Ash Wednesday

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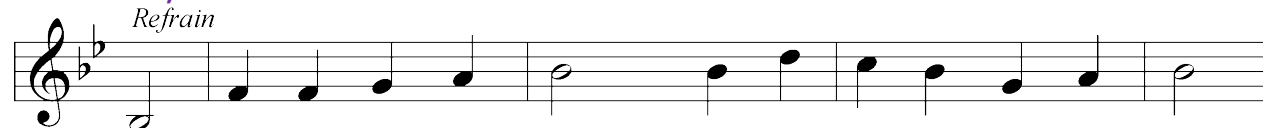
A Welcome from Pastor Don

A Song to Begin

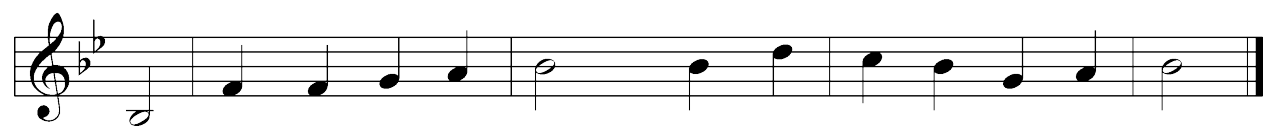
All Glory, Laud, and Honor

LSB 442, verses 1 and 3

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,
3 The mul - ti - tude of pil - grims With palms be - fore You went;



Refrain



Now in the Lord's name com - ing, Our King and Bless - ed One.
Our praise and prayer and an - thems Be - fore You we pre - sent.

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A Prayer for the Evening

A Scripture Reading, Mark 11:1-11 (NIV)

As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of His disciples, ²saying to them, "Go to the village ahead of you, and just as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has

ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. ³If anyone asks you, 'Why are you doing this?' say, 'The LORD needs it and will send it back here shortly.'"

⁴They went and found a colt outside in the street, tied at a doorway. As they untied it, ⁵some people standing there asked, "What are you doing, untying that colt?" ⁶They answered as Jesus had told them to, and the people let them go. ⁷When they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks over it, He sat on it. ⁸Many people spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread branches they had cut in the fields. ⁹Those who went ahead and those who followed shouted,

"Hosanna!"

"Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the LORD!"

¹⁰*"Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!"*

"Hosanna in the highest heaven!"

¹¹Jesus entered Jerusalem and went into the temple courts. He looked around at everything, but since it was already late, He went out to Bethany with the Twelve.

Some thoughts to get us started:

1. Up to this point, where has Jesus been doing His ministry?

2. Where does the rest of His earthly ministry take place after this event?

3. Read Zechariah 9:9ff

4. Who lived in Bethany?

5. What does "Hosanna" mean?

6. Read Psalm 118:26. Next read the entire Psalm, thinking about how verse 26 might fit in with the entire Psalm...and with Mark 11:1-11.

7. Read 2nd Samuel 7:11-16 and consider its implications here.

A Time for Prayer

A Song to Conclude

All Glory, Laud, and Honor
LSB 442, verses 2 and 5

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.

2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels Is prais - ing You on high,
5 As You re - ceived their prais - es, Ac - cept the prayers we bring,

And we with all cre - a - tion In cho - rus make re - ply.

O Source of ev - 'ry bless - ing, Our good and gra - cious King.

Refrain

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