

Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church

Palm Sunday

March 29, 2026

9:00 a.m.



PRELUDE

(=Congregation stands)*

*P: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

*C: **Hosanna to the Son of David!**

The Holy Gospel according to Matthew the 21st Chapter

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

THE PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL: Matthew 21:1-11

¹When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, ²saying to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. ³If anyone says anything to you, just say this, 'The Lord needs them.' And he will send them immediately." ⁴This took place to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet: ⁵"Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey." ⁶The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; ⁷they brought the donkey and the colt and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. ⁸A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" ¹⁰When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, "Who is this?" ¹¹The crowds were saying, "This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee."

The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

*P: The Lord be with you.

*C: **And also with you.**

*P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

*C: **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

*P: We praise and thank.... one God, now and forever.

*C: **Amen.**

***HYMN #344**

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

Refrain: *All glory, laud, and honor to you, redeemer, king,
to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.*

- 1 You are the king of Israel and David's royal Son,
now in the Lord's name coming, our King and Blessed One. *Refrain*
- 2 The company of angels are praising you on high;
creation and all mortals in chorus make reply. *Refrain*
- 3 The multitude of pilgrims with palms before you went;
our praise and prayer and anthems before you we present. *Refrain*
- 4 To you, before your passion, they sang their hymns of praise.
To you, now high exalted, our melody we raise. *Refrain*
- 5 Their praises you accepted; accept the prayers we bring,
great author of all goodness, O good and gracious King. *Refrain*

SPECIAL MUSIC *Choir Anthem - “Blessed Is He”*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

P: Let us pray.

C: Everlasting God, in your endless love for the human race you sent our Lord Jesus Christ to take on our nature and to suffer death on the cross. In your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

WORD

FIRST READING: Isaiah 50:4-9a

⁴The Lord God has given me the tongue of a teacher, that I may know how to sustain the weary with a word. Morning by morning he wakens— wakens my ear to listen as those who are taught.

⁵The Lord God has opened my ear, and I was not rebellious, I did not turn backward. ⁶I gave my back to those who struck me, and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard; I did not hide my face from insult and spitting. ⁷The 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; ⁸he who vindicates me is near. Who will contend with me? Let us stand up together. Who are my adversaries? Let them confront me. ^{9a}It is the Lord God who helps me; who will declare me guilty?

This is the word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

PSALM: Psalm 31:9-16 (read responsively)

⁹ Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am in trouble;
my eye is consumed with sorrow, and also my throat and my belly.

¹⁰ **For my life is wasted with grief, and my years with sighing;
my strength fails me because of affliction, and my bones are consumed.**

¹¹ I am the scorn of all my enemies, a disgrace to my neighbors,
a dismay to my acquaintances; when they see me in the street they avoid me.

¹² **Like the dead I am forgotten, out of mind; I am as useless as a broken pot.**

¹³ For I have heard the whispering of the crowd; fear is all around;
they put their heads together against me; they plot to take my life.

¹⁴ **But as for me, I have trusted in you, O LORD. I have said, "You are my God.**

¹⁵ My times are in your hand; rescue me from the hand of my enemies,
and from those who persecute me.

¹⁶ **Let your face shine upon your servant; save me in your steadfast love."**

SPECIAL MUSIC *Sunday School Children*

CHILDREN'S TIME

SERMON Pastor Zane Anderson

SPECIAL MUSIC *"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" by Celebration Ringers* (Offering Received)

APOSTLES' CREED

C: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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P: Hear us O God;

C: Response - your mercy is great.

LORD'S PRAYER - (WOV Page 52)

P: Lord, remember us in your kingdom, and teach us to pray.

**C: 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.**

SENDING

P: Go in peace. Jesus meets you on the way.

C: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN 264 ***"Prepare the Royal Highway"***

*Refrain: All glory, laud, and honor to you, redeemer, king,
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DISMISSAL / POSTLUDE

VIDEO BROADCAST: In memory of Steve Nokleby (Birthdate: April 4th), given by Susan and family.

AVAILABLE BROADCASTS: If you would like to sponsor a video broadcast in honor of, in memory of, in appreciation of, or in celebration of a loved one, please call or email the Church Office.

Video: \$25

May – 3, 24	July – 12, 19
June – 7	August – 2, 30

THIS WEEK AT OUR REDEEMER’S:

Sunday: 9:00 AM – Worship
10:00 AM – Coffee Hour
10:00 AM – LG. Group Sunday School (FH)
10:00 AM – 5th Gr. Bread Making
7:00 PM – “Who Do you Say That I Am?” Program

Monday: 9:00 AM – Faithfully Fit Forever

Tuesday: 1:00 PM – Knitting (Library)

Wednesday: 9:00 AM – Faithfully Fit Forever / Staff / Quilting
3:30 PM – Joyful Noise
4:30 PM – God Squad
6:00 PM – Choir

Thursday: 1:00 PM – Knitting (Library)
5:30 PM – 5th Gr. First Communion Banquet
7:00 PM – Maundy Thursday Worship w/ 5th Gr. First Communion

Friday: 9:00 AM – Faithfully Fit Forever
7:00 PM – Good Friday Worship

Saturday: 11:00 AM – Baptism of Coraline & Fergus Tarmann

Sunday: 7:00 AM – Easter Worship w/ Holy Communion
9:00 AM – Easter Worship w/ Holy Communion

COFFEE HOUR: Thank you to Andrea Thomson for serving coffee & treats today! The proceeds will go to the Boiler Project. If you would be willing to serve and bring treats for coffee hour, please sign up on the clipboard in the back of the Sanctuary (coffee area).

GLACIAL RIDGE GATHERING (MORRIS): Will be held on Saturday, April 18th. Registration is 9:00 a.m., Brunch at 9:30 a.m. The cost is \$15. Program is open to the public. Please bring nonparishables for the Food Shelf!

ORW SPRING TEA LUNCHEON: will be held Wednesday, April 15th with devotions at 11:00 am, and buffet serving from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm. Units 2 and 3 are hosting the event. There will be a free-will offering with all proceeds going to the Prairie 5 Swift County Food Shelf. Quilt Raffle tickets are currently available. See any ORW Board member or stop at the Church office

to get your tickets! The Quilt drawing will take place at the Luncheon. Need not be present to win. Thank you for your support - we hope to see you there!

FIFTH GR. FIRST COMMUNION: Please keep the 5th grade students in your prayers as they prepare for their First Communion next week:

Harper Fahje

Amelia "Mia" Kowal

Emerson Giese

Jenna Ohmacht

Georgia Goschey

Derek Olson

Brady Hanson

Carson Razink

Noah Hill

Adeline "Addy" Robison

Ryker Johnston

Luis Zehringer



Maundy Thursday: April 2nd

5:30 p.m. – Banquet for 5th Grade First Communion

7:00 p.m. – Worship in the Sanctuary & Online
(5th Grade First Communion)

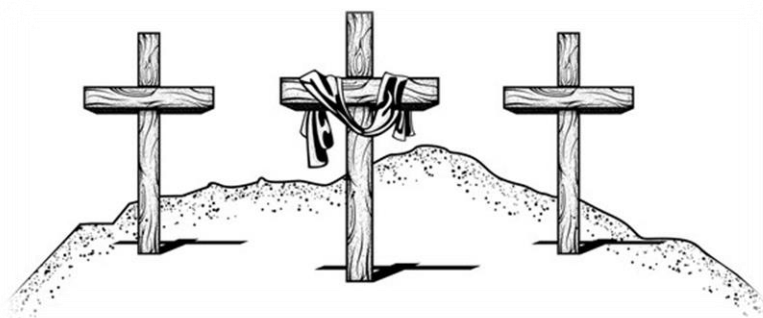
Good Friday: April 3rd

7:00 p.m. – Worship in the Sanctuary & Online

Easter Sunday: April 5th

7:00 a.m. – Sunrise Easter Worship in the Sanctuary w/Holy Communion & Online

9:00 a.m. – Easter Worship in the Sanctuary
w/ Holy Communion & Online



**PALM SUNDAY
EVENING PROGRAM**

**“Who Do You Say That I Am?”
by Lloyd Larson**

**Sunday~ March 29, 2026
7:00 PM**



**A DRAMATIC PRESENTATION WITH
CHOIR MUSIC, SCRIPTURE AND HYMNS**

**Our Redeemer's Lutheran Church
800 10th Street South, Benson**

ONGOING PRAYERS FOR HEALING: Ron Orvik, Jeff Holgate (son of Bruce & Jean Holgate), Thea Lowman (daughter of Ron & Lynne Orvik), Barb Razink (sister-in-law of Otto “Butch” Puchalski), Rick Horecka, Rick Schaaf, Rodney Kohout (son of Mary Uhden), Bobby Matthies (grandfather of Vanessa Pryne), Shirley Schueler (sister of Diane Loen & Gary Svingen), Claire Kubik (close friend of Mike & Ann Forsberg), Neil Ness (nephew of Sharon Ness), Lynette Bonnema (daughter of Dorothy Williams), Pastor Dale Degner, Kae Roebing (daughter of Sharon Ness), Deb Anderson, Eryn Patton (relative of Helen & Jim Norstedt).

Projector Operator: Peggy Bausman
Acolytes: McKayla Fernholz, McKenna Peterson
Lay Reader: Grant Herfindahl
Livestreamers: Jack Kjos, Jay Alsaker, Sarah Skarsten

FINANCIAL UPDATE:

Lenten Worship & Sunday Attendance: 223
General Funds: \$7,105.00 **Designated Funds:** \$4,000.00

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Choir Director: Jan Iversen

Custodian: Lynda Giese

Youth Directors: Matthew & Ainsley Anderson

Celebration Ringers & Joyful Noise Director: Sarah Skarsten