

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**PALM SUNDAY**  
**April 14, 2019**

*\* Indicates a time to stand, if you are able*

**MUSIC FOR REFLECTION**            *Dr. Christopher Davis, pianist*

**MUSIC TO ENGAGE**

“Into the City Does Jesus Ride”            *St. Andrew’s Choir;*  
(by Hugh S. Livingston, Jr.)            *Erin McKibben, directing*

**WELCOME/NEWS OF THE COMMUNITY**    *Rev. Steve Jacobsen*

**\* WE EXCHANGE CHRIST’S PEACE**

**ONE:**    The peace of Christ be with you.

**OTHER:** And also with you.

**\* OPENING SONG**    “All Glory, Laud and Honor” (vs. 1, 2)

*Hymnal, #88*

**\*WE CALL THE COMMUNITY TO WORSHIP**            *Susan Berg*

**LEADER:** Look, the prophet from Galilee is coming into our city!

**PEOPLE:** We hear he has healed many people and cast out unclean spirits.

**LEADER:** He has eaten with tax collectors and sinners, and been fearless in challenging the authorities that oppose him. Many people feel he may be the Messiah.

**PEOPLE:** Come, let’s welcome Jesus of Nazareth as he enters our city!

**\*WE SING TOGETHER**    “All Glory, Laud and Honor” (vs. 3, 4)

**WE CONFESS TOGETHER**            *unison*

**Dearest Shepherd:** In our best moments, we believe we will have the courage to stand up and speak truth to power when a situation demands it. We believe we will

**defend the vulnerable and feed the hungry. We believe we will recognize and serve you in the least likely of people. Sometimes we do the right thing. But often, when the opportunity comes, we turn away. When faced with the power of government and losing the approval of others, we remain silent. Please forgive us. By the power of your Spirit, make us stronger. Amen.**  
*(time for silent confession)*

**WE PROCLAIM GOD'S GRACE** *responsive*

**LEADER:** Jesus accepted his call and ministry knowing his friends would abandon him in his time of trial and persecution. He knew coming into Jerusalem would so threaten the authorities that they would arrest, beat and kill him. But he came anyway. He came to show the world that divine love is stronger than death. He comes to us aware of our failures and offering us forgiveness and a new beginning.

**PEOPLE:** Thanks be to God! Amen.

**SUNG RESPONSE** "What Wondrous Love is This" (vs.1)

Hymnal, #85

**A READING FROM THE HEBREW BIBLE** Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.

**He makes me lie down in green pastures; he leads me beside still waters; he restores my soul.**

He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I fear no evil; for you are with me;

**Your rod and your staff— they comfort me.**

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;

**You anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.**

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,

**And I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.**

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

**MANY: Thanks be to God.**

**A MESSAGE TO CHILDREN OF ALL AGES** *Carole Shapiro*

**ANTHEM** "Entrance Into Jerusalem" *St. Andrew's Choir;*  
*Erin McKibben, directing*

**THE GOSPEL READING** Mark 11: 1-10, 15-19

ONE: The Word of the Lord.

**MANY: Thanks be to God.**

**MESSAGE** "Your Rod and Your Staff Comfort Me"

*Rev. Steve Jacobsen*

**\*WE RESPOND IN SONG**

"The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want" Hymnal, #170

**WE PRAY TOGETHER and THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**WE OFFER OUR MONETARY GIFTS/ONE GREAT HOUR OF  
SHARING COLLECTION OF FISH BANKS**

**\*WE OFFER OUR PRAISE** "Doxology"

**\*WE DEPART IN SONG**

"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

Hymnal, #89

**\*WE ARE BLESSED**

**\*WE BLESS ONE ANOTHER**

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

**\*MUSIC TO INSPIRE**

*Dr. Christopher Davis*

**PARTICIPANTS IN THIS MORNING'S SERVICE:**

Greeter: *Judith Muller*

Liturgist: *Susan Berg*

Children's Sermon: *Carole Shapiro*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GUESTS, please** stop by our Welcome Table this morning for information about St. Andrew's mission and programs. Please fill out the blue Welcome Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate as it comes by today. For prayer requests to the Prayer Chain, fill out a slip from the pew and place it in a box at the rear of the sanctuary, or email to Lydia Swanson, [lydiaswanson@hotmail.com](mailto:lydiaswanson@hotmail.com).



**EASTER LILY ORDERS** are still being accepted. Please fill out order form in this booklet and return it to the office with your check. **Deadline: TODAY.**  
Thank you!

**MAUNDY THURSDAY ON APRIL 18:** We will host a service remembering Jesus' last supper this Thursday at 6:30pm. Goleta Presbyterian will be joining us. As our focus is "You prepare a table in the presence of my enemies, you anoint my head with oil, my cup overflows," the time at the table will include a time of anointing.

**NO CHOIR PRACTICE THIS WED. NIGHT - 4/17/19**

**EASTER SERVICE** on Sunday, April 21, at 9:30am. Egg hunt for children following service, and reception hosted by Deacons following service.

**MAY 3 - CHURCH WOMEN UNITED** will hold their annual May Friendship Day meeting at First Presbyterian Church on Friday, May 3rd, at 10:30 with a salad lunch to follow. The program focus will be "Agree to Differ" All are invited. Phone 563-8988 or 964-4895 for information and reservations for the lunch (\$8 at the door).

**SPRING CLEANING AND DISPOSAL - SATURDAY, MAY 4.**

**Please help. Starting at 9am, your help is needed to make Clean Up Day successful! If you can lift, great. If you can't lift, bring your window washing items or be willing to assist with a project. We will be assisted by Llamada**

**Final. It should be a short and fun work morning if many pitch in. Thank you! Buildings & Grounds Committee.**

**ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE LIBRARIAN:** Kindly leave a note with the books you donate to the library. Thank you!

**PASTOR STEVE JACOBSEN'S OFFICE HOURS.** Pastor Steve will be available at the office on Tuesdays and Thursdays (9:00am - 2:00pm), and by appointment on Wednesdays. [pastor@standrewspcusa.org](mailto:pastor@standrewspcusa.org)

**WHAT IS PER CAPITA?** This is the way we share the operating expenses for the governing bodies of General Assembly and Synod in the PCUSA Church. Every PCUSA church is requested to pay a calculated amount for every member on the church rolls. This year the request is:

General Assembly: \$8.95  
Synod of So. Cal & Hawaii: \$2.85  
**TOTAL: \$11.80**

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