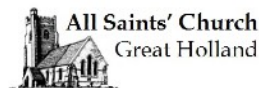




Palm Sunday Service

28 March 2021



GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Responses and Prayer of Praise

Matthew 21v8-9

⁸A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted, 'Hosanna to the Son of David!'

'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'

'Hosanna in the highest heaven!'

Lift up your hearts! **We lift them up to the Lord!**

Hymn

***All glory, laud and honour, to Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.***

Thou art the king of Israel, Thou David's royal Son,
Who in the Lord's name comest, The King and Blessèd One.

***All glory, laud and honour, to Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.***

2. The company of angels Are praising Thee on High,
And mortal men and all things Created make reply.

***All glory, laud and honour, to Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.***

3. The people of the Hebrews With palms before Thee went;
Our prayer and praise and anthems Before Thee we present.

***All glory, laud and honour, to Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.***

4. To Thee, before Thy passion, They sang their hymns of praise;
To Thee, now high exalted, Our melody we raise.

***All glory, laud and honour, to Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.***

5. Thou didst accept their praises; Accept the prayers we bring,
Who in all good delightest, Thou good and gracious King.

***All glory, laud and honour, to Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children Made sweet hosannas ring.***

GOD CALLS US TO CONFESS OUR SINS

Confession

The Lent Collect, used as our Confession

Almighty and everlasting God, you hate nothing that you have made and forgive the sins of all who are penitent: make in us new and contrite hearts so that, lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, we may receive from you, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

God's Promise of Forgiveness

Zechariah 9v9

⁹ Rejoice greatly, Daughter Zion! Shout, Daughter of Jerusalem! See, your king comes to you, righteous and having salvation, gentle and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Words of Thanks and Praise (*stand*)

Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth. Lord God, heavenly King, almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory. Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

GOD CALLS US TO SERVE HIM

Bible Reading

*Genesis 22v1-19 (p.22 at St. Michael's)
(p.19 at All Saints')*

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

Words of belief.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.
I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come 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.

**means universal*

Collect, Prayers of intercession and Lord's Prayer

Palm Sunday

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards mankind sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature and to suffer death upon the cross so that all mankind should follow the example of his great humility, grant that we may both follow the example of his patience and also have our part in his resurrection, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever. Amen.

GOD SENDS US OUT INTO THE WORLD

Hymn

O worship the King, all glorious above,

O gratefully sing His power and His love;
Our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.

2. O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space,
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.

3. The earth with its store of wonders untold,
Almighty, Thy power hath founded of old;
Established it fast by a changeless decree,
And round it hath cast, like a mantle, the sea.

4. Thy bountiful care, what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light;
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

5. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail;
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
Our maker, defender, redeemer, and friend.

6. O measureless might! Ineffable love!
While angels delight to worship Thee above,
The humbler creation, though feeble their lays,
With true adoration shall all sing Thy praise.

Blessing*Numbers 6v24-26*

"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face towards you and give you peace."

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. **In the name of Christ. Amen.**