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Received
LIKE A KING

Luke 19:28-44



PO Box 427 - 500 S Penn Ave

Pastor Dave Martin

9:30 AM Worship

Palm Sunday – April 2, 2023

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Songs **“Hosanna”** (*Sunday school kids invited to wave palm branches*)

“Hear Our Praises”

Prayer of Confession

All: God, gracious and forbearing: We remember with sorrow how people hailed and welcomed your Son on the day we have come to call Palm Sunday, and how so many of the same people were there again, just a few days later, shouting “Crucify him!” We confess that we feel a guilty, uneasy kinship with these people. We, too, switch our votes in whatever direction self-interest seems to dictate, in order to stay popular or safe.

Remind us, O God, of the courage of Jesus, who set his face steadfastly toward Jerusalem, even though he knew the fate that awaited him there. For his sake, grant us renewal of your offer of mercy, and forgive us of our sin. In his name we pray. Amen.

Announcement of Forgiveness

Pastor: Jesus hung on the cross and died for our forgiveness. Our sins are forgiven for Jesus' sake. We can live in peace and with hope. **C: Amen.**

GOD SPEAKS TO US IN HIS HOLY WORD

Scripture Lessons:

Psalm 32:1-7

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Romans 10:5-11

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Children’s Sermon

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Sermon **“Received like a King”**

GIVE THANKS TO GOD

Song "Jesus Paid It All"

Apostles Creed

Offering**

Prayers of the Church

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Words of Institution

The Lord's Prayer

Distribution

Communion Blessing

GOD CALLS US TO SERVE

Song "Let All Things Now Living"

LBW 557

Benediction

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Thank you for joining us this Sunday morning to worship our God together! ***We will have fellowship time with coffee and cookies following worship.*** We hope you will join us!

*****The offering plate will be in the narthex so please place your donations in as you enter or exit. To GIVE ONLINE through Breeze, go to our website www.tlclplatted.org. Click on "GIVING" on our homepage and you will be directed to our online giving platform Breeze. It is a convenient, safe and simple way for our members or visitors to make automated payments through bank ACH directly or credit/debit cards. Text-to-give (605) 741-4118.***

March 26 General Offering: \$2930.00 **Attendance:** 135

Greeters April 2: Aaron & Nicki Reiser

April 9: John & Dee Rasmussen

April 16: Toby & Wendy Qualm

Ushers April 2: Lee DeHaan & Spencer DeHaan

April 9 & 16: Anthony DeHaan & Dan Daum

April 23 & 30: Mike Konechne & Derek Wollman

Communion Servers: Mike Gilbertz, Shirley Johnson, Carey Hoffman

Coffee/Cookie Servers

April 2: Susan Holter, Casey Holter, Kathy Holter

April 9: EASTER (no cookies)

Today we will be celebrating Holy Communion.

Visitors are welcome to share with us the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, given and shed for us, for the forgiveness of sins.

In this Lenten season devoid of Community Lenten Services, why not join us Sunday afternoons for a different type of Lenten service?

Today **Sunday, April 2 at 2:00 PM**, we will host a Lenten service at Twilight Vista. **These services are a great place for Confirmation students to earn volunteer service hours.**

Instruction for First Communion will begin for all fifth graders on Wednesday, April 5th. Classes will meet from 4:00 to 5:30 PM in Classroom 9 (the old Confirmation room). We will also meet at 3:45 to 5:00 on Wednesdays, April 12, 19 and 26. First Communion will be celebrated on Sunday, May 7th, with First Communion Celebrants and their families receiving Holy Communion before the rest of the congregation.

Holy Week Worship Schedule:

Maundy Thursday service: Thursday, April 6 at 7 pm
with Holy Communion

Good Friday Service: Friday, April 7 at 7 pm

The **Easter Sunrise Service** with Holy Communion will be at 7 AM on Sunday, April 9 followed by an **Easter breakfast** (*servicing from 8-9 AM*) hosted by the students going to summer camp this summer. They will be serving egg bakes, rolls, fresh fruit, juice and coffee. Free will donation. Join us after sunrise or before regular worship time.

Easter morning worship with Holy Communion will be at 9:30 AM. No Sunday school and no fellowship time fellowship worship.

Men, **please join us Saturday, April 8th at 7 AM** in the Fellowship Hall for our **weekly Men's Breakfast**. After eating, we will adjourn to the Fireside Room, where we will watch a video from the Authentic Manhood 33 Series. Following the video, we will break into small groups, discuss the video, and pray with and for one another.

The flower committee **welcomes any Easter lilies or flowers** to decorate our sanctuary this Lenten season. Thank you!

Please let the camping committee (Tricia Meyerink, Wendy Wollman or Chelsey Schrank) know if your kids will be attending camp this summer and if you would like to help with the Easter breakfast fundraiser.

The **Prayer Equipping Class** that will meet again on Thursday, April 13 at 6:30 PM in the Fireside Room. (There's no meeting this Thursday due to Maundy Thursday service). The class will also meet on Thursdays, April 20, 27 and May 4. The goals of this class are to teach people the biblical truths of prayer, to instruct them how to pray under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and to provide training so they can practice praying with and for one another in a variety of circumstances.

We will have our **annual church cleaning Monday, April 16 through Friday, April 22**. Many hands make light work. You will be contacted soon where you what area you will be responsible for. Thank you!

Please contact Lee Hanten if you would be willing to **usher for funerals**.

WOW Mission Project for March - Backpack Project for Helping Hands Food Pantry: The food pantry committee is trying to fill backpacks of groceries to send home with students. Some of these items would include non-perishable foods such as soup, crackers, canned chicken and tuna, Tuna Helper, Hamburger Helper, breakfast bars, pudding 4-packs, cereal, macaroni and cheese, spaghetti, veggies, or any items that children would like. A tote is in the fellowship hall so let's fill it up several times.

The Vine's Bountiful Table will move back to the 2nd Thursday evenings of every month. Our Next meal will be April 13, 2023. The Menu will be **Cowboy Stew**. Sign up sheet is in the foyer of Platte CRC or Call Norma at 605-680-1691. Sign up deadline is **April 9, 2023**. Invite a friend to come!

Sunday, April 2nd at 3 pm at the Lyric Theater Comedian Tim Lovelace is one funny man! As a Grammy & Dove nominated artist, this nationally sought after storyteller & musician has been described as the most versatile comedian on stage today. His award-winning musical talents, coupled with his crystal clean humor, have people of all ages laughing their ribs loose! He uses humor to motivate & inspire by uniquely delivering life lessons. He also has an extraordinary way of weaving songs into his stage performance as he masterfully displays his musical abilities on piano, guitar & harmonica. Tickets are \$20. Contact BBLC board members or email board.bbhc@gmail.com

Platte Community Student Ministry Upcoming Teaching Topics:

- April 5 "Hello my name is...."
- April 12 "Gain the world but lose your soul"
- April 19 Movie night at the Lyric Theater
- April 26 Final message of the school year
- May 3 JH Party (last night)
 - Heath Feiok speaking at SH
- May 10 Senior Night (last night)

Parents, if you'd like to know more about the teaching series or have any questions, please call Paul at 605-680-5069.

PRAYER PRAISES AND CONCERNS

Those in nursing and assisted living homes or home-bound:

Mary Lee Erickson, Mike Erickson, Laura Johnson, LaDene Nelson,
Maylou Stanforth

Please pray for:

- Please keep Tammy Darling's four-year-old granddaughter, Taylor Cole, and her parents, Ethan and Charmayne Cole, in your prayers as they travel to Rochester, MN, for tests. Taylor has cerebral palsy and has been suffering from seizures lately. Please pray for: safe travel to and from Rochester for them, godly wisdom for her medical team that they might rightly discern what is causing the seizures and prescribe the right treatment for her, and for God's hand of healing, comfort, strength, and love to be with them all.
- Please keep Alison Dykstra's sister, Julie Pepper, her husband, Matt, and their extended family in your prayers as Julie continues her 3rd round of chemo for ovarian cancer. Thank God Julie has experienced very few side effects from the chemo. Pray her appetite would remain good, that she could sleep well, that she could be healed of her sinus infection, and that she and all her loved ones would know the Lord's peace that surpasses all understanding.
- Please keep Jerry Dykstra's brother-in-law, Rod Berg, in your prayers along with his wife, Vicki, and all their loved ones as he undergoes high-dose Prednisone infusions to treat lesions in his brain. Pray the Research Study he is in would be able to rightly diagnose the disease and prescribe the right course of treatment. Pray the Lord's hand of healing would be upon him, and that Rod would quickly recover from and soon be completely free of the lesions. Pray God's hand of provision, protection, and strength would soon see Rod & his loved ones through this trial.
- Praise God for Moe Johnson's successful surgery March 15th to remove an enlarged lymph node from his neck. Thank God Moe's doctor has chosen not to subject him to painful radiation. Pray God would sovereignly eradicate any cancer from Moe's body and would relieve the numbness in his lower lip, left cheek, and left ear.
- Please continue to pray for Pastor Mike De Jager of the First Reformed Church in Platte. Please pray for the Lord to heal his spine & stabilize his neck, especially where it attaches to the brain stem. Pray for the Lord to heal him quickly & completely & for Mike to be blessed with many years of active life ahead of him. Pray Mike, his wife, and his entire family would

know the Lord's comfort, love, strength, and peace as they go through this trial.

- Please continue to pray for John & Dee Rasmussen and all their loved ones as they mourn the passing of John's brother, Dick. Pray they would continue to walk in the Lord's comfort, love, peace, and hope.
- Please continue to pray for Jeff, Rhonda, Reganne, Kaetlyn, & Collin Engebretson, as well as for Jeff's mom, Bonnie, his brother, 2 sisters, & their extended family as they mourn the passing of Jeff's father, Frank. Pray they would know the Lord's comfort, love, peace, & strength as they go through this difficult time.
- Please keep the family of Gary Konechne in your prayers. Please keep his wife, Lisa, his ten children, and his entire extended family in your prayers. Pray they would know the Lord's comfort, strength, love, and peace that surpasses all understanding as they grieve Gary's passing. Gary is the brother of Mike Konechne.
- Please continue to pray for Lee Hanten, thanking God for the healing He has already provided, and asking Him to relieve the swelling and stiffness in Lee's knee. Thank Him that Lee is able to drive again. Please pray for him to soon have complete flexibility and range of motion in his knee.
- Please pray for all who suffered in the recent school shootings in Nashville, TN. Pray for all who lost loved ones to know the Lord's comfort, love, peace, strength, and hope. Pray for any who were injured to soon recover completely. Pray for the Lord to heal the deep trauma and emotional and psychological wounds of the students, parents, school staff, and emergency responders. Pray all would somehow be able to eventually forgive the shooter and so not be bound to this tragedy forever.
- Please continue to pray for the survivors of the Turkish/Syrian earthquakes, asking God to surround them with the love and compassion of His Church, to strengthen the many volunteers with a double portion of His grace, to provide financial assistance to the many relief organizations working to bring the supplies and hope the people need, and to infuse in the people an understanding that God is still with them, that He loves them, and He will see them through this crisis. Pray as well for people affected by recent earthquakes in Peru, Colombia, and Ecuador, and in Pakistan and Afghanistan.
- Please also pray for those in the U.S., whose lives have been devastated by tornadoes, floods, blizzards, and other natural disasters. Pray they would know the Lord's comfort, love, & presence, & would feel His love in a tangible way as the Church reaches out to touch their lives.

Hosanna

Praise is rising, eyes are turning to You, We turn to You
Hope is stirring, hearts are yearning for You, We long for You

'Cause when we see You, we find strength to face the day
In Your Presence all our fears are washed away, washed away

Chorus: Hosanna, hosanna. You are the God Who saves us, worthy of
all our praises. Hosanna, hosanna. Come have Your way among us
We welcome You here, Lord Jesus

Hear the sound of hearts returning to You, we turn to You
In Your Kingdom broken lives are made new,
You make us new

'Cause when we see You, we find strength to face the day
In Your Presence all our fears are washed away, washed away

Chorus

'Cause when we see You, we find strength to face the day.
In Your Presence all our fears are washed away;
'Cause when we see You, we find strength to face the day.
In Your Presence all our fears are washed away, washed away.

Chorus x2

Hosanna, hosanna

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Hear Our Praises

May our homes be filled with dancing,
May our streets be filled with joy
May injustice bow to Jesus as the people turn to pray.

Chorus: From the mountain to the valley,
Hear our praises rise to You
From the heavens to the nations,
Hear our singing fill the air.

May a light shine in the darkness as we walk before the cross
May Your glory fill the whole earth as the water o'er the seas.

Chorus x2

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Jesus Paid It All

I hear the Savior say, Thy strength indeed is small;
Child of weakness, watch and pray, Find in Me thine all in all.

Refrain: Jesus paid it all, All to Him I owe;
Sin had left a crimson stain, He washed it white as snow.

Lord, now indeed I find Thy power and Thine alone,
Can change the leper's spots and melt the heart of stone.

Refrain

And when before the throne I stand in Him complete,
Jesus died my soul to save, my lips shall still repeat

Refrain

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King of Kings

In the darkness we were waiting, Without hope without light
Till from Heaven You came running, There was mercy in Your eyes
To fulfil the law and prophets, To a virgin came the Word
From a throne of endless glory, To a cradle in the dirt

Chorus: Praise the Father, Praise the Son, Praise the Spirit three in one
God of Glory, Majesty, Praise forever to the King of kings

To reveal the kingdom coming, And to reconcile the lost
To redeem the whole creation, You did not despise the cross
For even in Your suffering, You saw to the other side
Knowing this was our salvation, Jesus for our sake You died

Chorus

And the morning that You rose, All of heaven held its breath
Till that stone was moved for good, For the Lamb had conquered death
And the dead rose from their tombs, And the angels stood in awe
For the souls of all who'd come, To the Father are restored

And the Church of Christ was born, Then the Spirit lit the flame
Now this Gospel truth of old, Shall not kneel shall not faint
By His blood and in His Name, In His freedom I am free
For the love of Jesus Christ, Who has resurrected me

Chorus Praise forever to the King of Kings