

Wittenberg Lutheran Church

711 W Elm St., Norwood Young America, Minnesota 55368
Worship: 9:30 AM

Palm Sunday

March 25, 2018

Order of Service

Divine Service, Rite Two, Evangelical Lutheran Hymnary, p. 60

Opening Hymn, 279 — *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

Introit

Antiphon, Psalm 22:19–21

O Lord, do not withhold your help from me; O my strength, hasten to help me: Save me from the lion's mouth, and form the horns of the wild oxen, deliver me.

Psalm 22:1, 7–8, 11

My God, My God, why | have Yóu forsáken Me? *

Why are You so | fár from hélping Me.

All those who see | Me rídícúle Me; *

they shoot out the | líp, they sháke the head.

They say “He trusted in the | Lord, lét Him réscue Him; *

let Him deliver Him, since | Hé delíghts in Him!”

Be not far from Me, | for tróuble ís near; *

- for | thére is nóne to help.

Repeat Antiphon

The Kyrie — *II, p. 63*

The Gloria is Omitted during Lent

The Collect

Almighty and everlasting God, who caused Your beloved Son to take our nature upon Himself, that He might endure terrible affliction and suffer death upon the cross for our sins: Mercifully grant us a believing knowledge of this, that we may be made partakers of the forgiveness of sins which come to us by His sacred passion and death, and having been baptized into His death, thereafter may follow His example of patience and humility, through the same, Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one true God, now and forever. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson

Zechariah 9:8–12

Behold, your King comes to you

The Psalm

Psalm 73

Epistle Lesson

Philippians 2:5–11

The Mind of Christ

Tract — *Psalm 22:1, 4–5*

My God, My God, Why have You for- | sáken Me? *

Why are You so far from helping Me, and from the words of My
| gróaning?

Our fathers trusted | in You;*

they trusted, and You de- | lívered them.

They cried to You, and were de- | lívered;*

they trusted in You, and were | nót ashamed.

Christ has humbled Himself

Gospel Lesson

Matthew 21:1–9

Christ's Entry into Jerusalem

The Nicene Creed

Chief Hymn, 273 — *The Royal Banners Forward Go*

Sermon

The Offertory

The Prayer of the Church, page 96

The Service of Holy Communion

Exhortation to the Communicants (page 77)

The Preface (page 72)

The Sanctus

Lord's Prayer

Words of Institution

The Agnus Dei

The Distribution

Nunc Dimittis

Collect

Hymn of Thanks, 280 — *Ride On, Ride On, in Majesty*

Benediction

Closing Hymn, 579 — *Abide in Grace, Lord Jesus*

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WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS in the name of Jesus Christ! Wittenberg Lutheran Church confesses and practices the doctrine of Holy Scripture, as we have received it restored unto us by Luther, and confirmed in the public confessions of our Church, the Book of Concord, 1580. If you have any questions about the Lutheran faith, or about our congregation, please direct them to Pastor Diers.

*Giving thanks to God always, Who has chosen us for salvation
through sanctification by the Spirit and belief in the truth.*

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