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Our Worship Today - Palm Sunday, the 25th of March, 2018

Liturgy -- Divine Service 1 with Communion -- LSB page 151

The Message: "The King of Glory"
is based on the Introit text: Psalm 24:7-10

The Old Testament reading is **Zechariah 9:9-12**. Zechariah prophesies the coming of the King. He comes not as a conqueror but as a peace maker. His kingdom will not have boundaries, like most nations do. His reign will cover all that is. Though He will be the greatest king, He does not in a grand procession, but just a simple donkey. The Epistle reading is **Philippians 2:5-11**. Though Christ is God, He did not come among us in full form and majesty of God. He instead takes on the form He wishes us to emulate and is exalted through His service. The Gospel reading is **Matthew 21:1-11**. Jesus the King enters Jerusalem just as was prophesied so long ago. Though His authority is over all creation and His glory is the glory of God, He rides in on a donkey like a humble servant. The crowds that greet Him with "Hosanna!" will be the crowds that soon want Him dead.

Opening Hymn	443	Hosanna, loud hosanna
Sermon Hymn	444	No tramp of soldiers' marching feet
Distribution Hymn	341	Lift up your heads, ye mighty gates
Closing Hymn	441	Ride on, ride on in majesty

The Lord's Supper: Scripture teaches us that the bread and wine in the Lord's Supper are truly Christ's Body and Blood given to us for the forgiveness of sins. It also teaches us that those who come together to share the Lord's Supper are joining in a common confession in Christ. As such, members of the LCMS who have been instructed on the Lord's Supper and who humbly seek His grace and mercy are invited to come and receive Holy Communion. Visitors to Trinity are asked to speak to the pastor prior to the service.

Week at a Glance

- Sunday:** 9:15 a.m. Sunday School/Adult Bible Study
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Service
- Tuesday:** 6:00 p.m. Hope in the City / Tutoring
- Thursday:** 7:30 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service
- Friday:** 7:30 p.m. Good Friday Service



Announcements:

Thanks to all who planned, worked and supported Trinity's Fish Fry yesterday.

Easter is next Sunday! April 1st--no fooling! Our annual Easter breakfast begins at 9:00 a.m. (no Bible Study). Sign up on the bulletin board to bring a breakfast casserole, fruit, pastries, or juice. We will also have our Annual Easter Egg Hunt, following the Church service. Check with Misty if you can help with candy and/or plastic eggs.

Puzzle Day is Saturday, April 14th at the Autism Services building of the Children's Home. Registration is now open for puzzle teams and spectators. Teams of 4 adults, teens, or family members compete to see who can complete a 500 piece jigsaw puzzle the fastest. Space is limited, so register today! Find the link on our website.

Last Week's Offering 03/18/18: Plate \$2, Envelopes \$1,260, Easter Flowers \$7, Mid-Week Lenten Service 03/21/18 \$217, Total \$1,486, Needed \$2,767.

KEEP IN PRAYERS: All who are ill, infirm, shut in and all who are undergoing tests and treatments. May they experience God's continual care.

Tammy Smith	Verma Seim	Nolen Cosby
Godfrey Reiter	Lyn Stalford (<i>Misty's Aunt</i>)	Frieda Potzner
Irmgard Milkuhn	Penny Geist	Horst Scheffler
Frank Gehring	Lisa Davis	Rose Neumeister
	Joe Klevenger	Marilyn Reinking