

Sunday 5th April

Call to Worship

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Prayer

Confession of Sin & Assurance of Pardon

Reading: Luke 19

Song: Psalm 24

Prayer

Talk

Song: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Benediction

Please let us know if you need any help
or want us to pray for you.

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Call to Worship

Leader: Hosanna. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. The Lord is God, and he has made his light shine on us.

All: You are my God, and I will praise you; you are my God, and I will exalt you. Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, his love endures forever.

Song: Hosanna Praise is Rising

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

*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
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Chorus

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Chorus x2

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Confession & Assurance

As we come to God we ask for forgiveness and remind ourselves that when we do so God promises to listen and respond with grace.

Confession of Sin (Leader)

Lord God you are right when you say that often we come near to you with our mouth and honour you with our lips, but our hearts are far from you. Our worship of you is based on merely human habits we have been taught. When we draw near to you the hope we have refused, and the truth we have rejected. Heal us of our sin, wash us in your mercy, and feed us with your grace, so that we may follow your way and live out the good news of your gospel.

Assurance of Pardon (All)

When he was reviled, he did not revile in return. When he suffered, he did not threaten but continued entrusting himself to him who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree; that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds we have been healed. Amen (1 Peter 2:23-24)

Bible Reading: Luke 19

Jesus comes to Jerusalem as king

28 After Jesus had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. **29** As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them, **30** 'Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. **31** If anyone asks you, "Why are you untying it?" say, "The Lord needs it."

32 Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as he had told them. **33** As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, 'Why are you untying the colt?'

34 They replied, 'The Lord needs it.'

35 They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it. **36** As he went along, people spread their cloaks on the road.

37 When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen:

38 'Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!'

'Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!'

39 Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Teacher, rebuke your disciples!'

40 'I tell you,' he replied, 'if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out.'

Lectura Bíblica: Lucas 19

La entrada triunfal

28 Dicho esto, Jesús siguió adelante, subiendo hacia Jerusalén. **29** Cuando se acercó a Betfagué y a Betania, junto al monte llamado de los Olivos, envió a dos de sus discípulos con este encargo: **30** «Vayan a la aldea que está enfrente y, al entrar en ella, encontrarán atado un burrito en el que nadie se ha montado. Desátenlo y tráiganlo acá. **31** Y, si alguien les pregunta: "¿Por qué lo desatan?", díganle: "El Señor lo necesita"».

32 Fueron y lo encontraron tal como él les había dicho. **33** Cuando estaban desatando el burrito, los dueños les preguntaron:

— ¿Por qué desatan el burrito?

34 — El Señor lo necesita — contestaron.

35 Se lo llevaron, pues, a Jesús. Luego pusieron sus mantos encima del burrito y ayudaron a Jesús a montarse. **36** A medida que avanzaba, la gente tendía sus mantos sobre el camino.

37 Al acercarse él a la bajada del monte de los Olivos, todos los discípulos se entusiasmaron y comenzaron a alabar a Dios por tantos milagros que habían visto. Gritaban:

38 – ¡Bendito el Rey que viene en el nombre del Señor!

– ¡Paz en el cielo y gloria en las alturas!

39 Algunos de los fariseos que estaban entre la gente le reclamaron a Jesús:

– ¡Maestro, reprende a tus discípulos!

40 Pero él respondió:

– Les aseguro que, si ellos se callan, gritarán las piedras.

Song: Psalm 24

7 You ancient gates, lift up your heads;
you doors, be opened wide –
So may the King of glory come
for ever to abide.

8 But who is this exalted King?
What glorious King is he
It is the LORD of strength and
might,
the LORD of victory.

9 You ancient gates, lift up your heads;
you doors, be opened wide –
So may the King of glory come
for ever to abide.

10 But who is this exalted King?
Who can this sovereign be?
The LORD Almighty, he is King
of glory, none but he.

Pastoral Prayer

Talk: Humility & Love

Song: When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

When I survey the wondrous
cross
On which the Prince of glory
died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my
pride.

Forbid it, Lord, that I should
boast
Save in the death of Christ, my
God.
All the vain things that charm me
most,
I sacrifice them to His blood.
See, from His head, His hands,
His feet,

Sorrow and love flow mingled
down.
Did e'er such love and sorrow
meet
Or thorns compose so rich a
crown?

Were the whole realm of nature
mine,
That were a present far too small.
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my
all.

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Benediction

Coming Up

At the close of the service this morning your City Group will be meeting online via Zoom. Please contact your City Group leader if you need more info.

Prayer Meetings this week are on Monday and Friday at 7:30pm via Zoom

City Groups will meet online on their usual day.

Theology Reading Group **postponed** to next week, led by James at 5pm.

On Friday the Women's Bible Study will meet online.

Please be creative about being in touch with others and find your own ways to connect also.

Pastoral Care for the whole Church

We have created a process to make sure everyone connected to Cornerstone is taken care of during this time through the City Group system. Our hope is that **a CityGroup leader will be in touch with you at least once a week** to check that you are ok and see if you need any kind of support. But please also be proactive in connecting with your city group leaders and letting them know how you are. Please also feel free contact me, AnnaLauren or Jo at any time if you need help of any kind.

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