





WORSHIP AT HOME

All are Welcome at Pilgrim Lutheran Church!

*We've been expecting you, because we are always expecting pilgrims —
the people of God on the journey of faith and life!*

Welcome to Worship at Home!

In this extraordinary time in our world, as we follow public health guidelines, for the care of the neighbor and ourselves, we are keeping our physical distance. But we are still connected in the body of Christ. As a Pilgrim community, we will not be gathering in the flesh for worship for an unknown period of time, but we are seeking ways to provide support for worshipping at home, for caring for one another, and for nurturing our journeys of faith.

This online bulletin is a guide to what we are offering to support you in worshipping at home on this Sunday, as we seek to continue to connect with God and with the Pilgrim body of Christ and with the body of Christ around the world.

Regarding upcoming Pilgrim events, we commend you to Pilgrim community emails (always posted on the Pilgrim website in the Covid section), as well as the Pilgrim monthly newsletter (posted on the Pilgrim website), where we will continue to share updates.

In these challenging days in our world, we are grateful for the gift of worship, that invites us to bring the fullness of our personal and community sorrows and joys to the God who holds us all, in all, through all.

PILGRIM is...

*...A Home for Hungry
Minds and Souls*

*...An inclusive Christian
worshipping community
that seeks, nurtures, and
empowers hungry minds
and souls to live gener-
ously in response to God's
love.*

*...A Reconciling in Christ
Congregation*

*...A Caring for Creation
Congregation*

...An ELCA Congregation

*Before the service,
speak to God;*

*During the service,
let God speak to you;*

*After the service,
speak to one another.*

ELW = Evangelical
Lutheran Worship

ACS= All Creation Sings

L = Leader, Regular Print

C = Congregation, Bold

GATHERING

The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.

PRELUDE

Blessed is the One (ACS 929)
Choral Scholars and choir members

Nathan Houge

SILENCE *The singing bowl invites us into a few moments of silence and reflection.*

WELCOME AND WORSHIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of Christ.

C: Hosanna in the highest.

PROCESSIONAL GOSPEL

Mark 11:1-11

L: The Holy Gospel according to St. Mark.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage and Bethany at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent off two of the disciples ²with this instruction: "Go to the village straight ahead of you, and as soon as you enter it you will find tethered there a colt on which no one has ridden. Untie it and bring it back. ³If anyone says to you, Why are you doing that?' say, 'The Rabbi needs it, but will send it back very soon.'"

⁴So they went off, and finding a colt tethered out on the street near a gate, they untied it. ⁵Some of the bystanders said to them, "What do you mean by untying that colt?" ⁶They answered as Jesus had told them to, and the people let them take it.

⁷They brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks across its back, and he sat on it. ⁸Many people spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread leafy branches which they had cut from the fields. ⁹And everyone around Jesus, in front or in back of him, cried out,

"Hosanna!

Blessed is the One who comes in the name of our God!

¹⁰Blessed is the coming reign of our ancestor David!

Hosanna in the highest!"

¹¹Jesus entered Jerusalem and went into the Temple precincts. He inspected everything there, but since it was already late in the afternoon, he went out to Bethany accompanied by the Twelve.

L: The Gospel of the Lord

C: Praise to you, O Christ

As you sing this hymn, you are invited to wave a palm, or a picture of a palm that you made, or a contemporary symbol of hope and freedom.

Refrain

All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to you, re - deem - er, king,

to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.

1 You are the king of Is - rael and Da - vid's roy - al Son,
3 The mul - ti - tude of pil - grims with palms be - fore you went;
4 To you, be - fore your pas - sion, they sang their hymns of praise.

Refrain

now in the Lord's name com - ing, our King and Bless - ed One.
our praise and prayer and an - thems be - fore you we pre - sent.
To you, now high ex - alt - ed, our mel - o - dy we raise.

WORD

God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.

SUNG ACCLAMATION
*Music and Text by Bret
Hesla*

POINT FOR PILGRIMS

SUNG ACCLAMATION

Pave the Way with Branches

ACS № 928

The musical score is written for a two-part setting (Soprano and Bass) in G major, 4/4 time. It consists of four systems of music. The first system begins with a key signature change from one flat to no flats. The lyrics are: *Je - sus is com - ing. Pave the way with branch - es. The second system includes first and second endings. The lyrics are: Je - sus is com - ing. Ho - san - na. san - na. The third system continues the melody. The lyrics are: Ho - san - na, Je - sus is com - ing. Ho - The fourth system also includes first and second endings. The lyrics are: san - na to the Prince of peace. Prince of peace.

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SERMON

Pastor Jen Rome

SILENCE

PRAYER

We give thanks for the Word proclaimed and for all the gifts of God, and we pray for all of God's creation

PEACE

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING INVITATION

*During this time, we invite you to share of your God-given blessings.
Consider going to "donate" on the Pilgrim website or mail a check to us at
Pilgrim Lutheran Church, 1935 St. Clair Ave, St. Paul, MN 55105.
<https://tinyurl.com/pilgrimstpaul>*

OFFERING HYMN

Ride On, Ride On in Majesty

ELW № 346

1 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! Hear all the
2 Ride on, ride on in maj - es - ty! In low - ly

tribes ho - san - na cry; O Sav - ior meek, your road pur -
pomp ride on to die. O Christ, your tri - umphs now be -

sue, with palms and scat - tered gar - ments strewed.
gin o'er cap - tive death and con - quered sin.

Text: Henry H. Milman, 1791–1868, alt.

Music: THE KING'S MAJESTY, Graham George, 1912–1993

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SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE — after each petition:

L: God of mercy,

C: hear our prayer.

LORD'S PRAYER

L: Our Monarch, Our Mother,

C: 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. Save us in the time of trial and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

This version of the Lord's Prayer, with the words "save us in the time of trial," is from the Iona Community in Scotland.

SENDING

God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world.

BLESSING

SENDING HYMN **All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!**

ELW № 634

(see page 8)

DISMISSAL

L: Go in peace...

C: Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name: Fanfare arr. Janet Linker

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1 All hail the pow'r of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall;
 2 O seed of Is - rael's cho - sen race now ran - somed from the fall,
 3 Hail him, you heirs of Da - vid's line, whom Da - vid Lord did call—

bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem and crown him Lord of all.
 hail him who saves you by his grace and crown him Lord of all.
 the God in - car - nate, man di - vine—and crown him Lord of all.

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Text: Edward Perronet, 1726–1792, sts. 1–4; J. Rippon, *A Selection of Hymns*, 1787, sts. 5–6
 Music: CORONATION, Oliver Holden, 1765–1844



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