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## MARCH 28TH, PALM SUNDAY

## ENTRANCE

"Hosanna to the Son" by Roger C. Wilson **PRELUDE** (Holy, Holy, Holy) -INTROIT "Santo, Santo, Santo"

Argentine folk song

## † **OPENING PRAYER** (Luke 19)

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of God. Sing and shout hosanna. For if we remain silent, the stones themselves will shout out in witness! Hosanna, in the name of God! Hosanna!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

† OPENING HYMN "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" #278 vs. 1,3

JOYS AND CONCERNS

#### MORNING PRAYERS

The Lord's Prayer: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those, who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

† RESPONSE "Glory Be to the Father" #70

HYMN OF PREPARATION

HYMN "Were You There?" #288 v.1

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 15:25-39

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

"The Crucifixion" SERMON

## **THANKSGIVING**

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

RESPONSE

OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OUR LIVES

**OFFERTORY** 

† DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

#95

### † PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Abundant God: Your generosity astounds and humbles us. We bow before you in gratitude and awe, asking you to receive what we have brought in response. May these gifts be a pleasing and fragrant offering, for the sake of the world you came to save. We pray in your holy name. Amen.

# **SENDING FORTH**

†CLOSING HYMN "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" #280 vs. 1,4

†BENEDICTION God leads us into a new day on a new path.

> We look ahead and see a new way. Christ travels this road with us. We go on this journey with Christ. God is doing great things for us.

We go forth, rejoicing with hope.

"Sent Forth by God's Blessing" †RECESSIONAL #664 v. 1

"Crown Him with Many Crowns" by George J. Elvey **POSTLUDE** 

**Bold** print indicates unison reading. † You are invited to stand as you are able in your body or soul.