

Upcoming Events and Information

Tue./Thur.:	Exercise Group (Fireside Room)	3:30pm
Tuesdays:	Bell Choir Practice	5:15pm
Wednesdays:	Bible Studies	9:30am & 7:00pm
Saturdays:	Men's Bible Study (Fireside Room)	8:00am
Sundays:	Youth Group	1:00-3:00pm

Mon. Apr. 3rd: packing college care packages at 1:00pm
Thurs. Apr. 6th: greeting card ministry at 9:30am
Thurs. Apr. 6th: Maundy Thursday service at 7:00pm with seder meal.
Fri. Apr. 7th: Good Friday service at 7:00pm.
Sat. Apr. 8th: Easter egg hunt at 1:00pm
Easter Sunday: breakfast between the services, hosted by Membership Care Committee.

- **Everyday Essentials** for local pantries are being accepted in Fellowship Hall. **April** collection: **bar soap**. Also needed: **travel-sized toiletries**. Thank you for helping those in need!
- **Loose coins for April: Caretakers of God's Creation**
- **Nursery** is provided for 10:00 am service.

Worship Leaders today

Youth Director: Melissa Hurley
Music Ministry: Judy Bushman (Organist)
Mary Nemes (Handbell Choir Director)
Head Usher: Jeff Cedro
Nursery Supervisor: Carol Cravatta
A/V Specialists: Logan Ayala and Joey Cordell

Liturgists:	8:00 AM Nancy Pitsch	10:00 AM Amy Lopez
Greeters:	Jan Glover	Steve Lopez
Ushers:	Jeff Cedro	Abri Poci



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WESLEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



APRIL 2, 2023
PALM SUNDAY

Welcome to Wesley United Methodist Church

April 2, 2023

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

*Palm Sunday Processional
Hosanna to the Son*

by Roger C. Wilson
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INTROIT

Surely the Presence of the Lord is in This Place

by Lanny Wolfe

ANNOUNCEMENTS

† OPENING PRAYER:

Blessed One, bless our worship this day. Bless us through the power of your holy name and strengthen us with your Holy Spirit, that we may be every wakeful, ever alert – as we worship, as we live, and as we follow where you lead. In your blessed name, we pray. Amen.

† OPENING HYMN

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor” UMH #280 (vs 1,2)

JOYS AND CONCERNS

MORNING PRAYER

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.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

† RESPONSE

“Glory Be to the Father” #70

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (10:00AM)

HYMN

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” UMH #278 (vs 1,3)

SCRIPTURE READING John 18:3-8, 11

This is the Word of God for the people of God
Thanks be to God

SERMON

Who Has Control in You?

THANKSGIVING

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

#15

RESPONSE

OFFERTORY

† DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

#95

† PRAYER OF DEDICATION

With these gifts, we give you thanks, O God. We bless your generous, humble spirit, and ask that you bless these gifts with this same generous, humble spirit, so that all who receive these gifts may also receive your love, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

SENDING FORTH

† CLOSING HYMN

“Were You There”

UMH #288 (vs 1)

† BENEDICTION

† RECESSIONAL

"More Like You"

TFWS #2167 (first half)

POSTLUDE

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

by Oliver Holden

† Please stand if you are able in your body or spirit.

Bold print indicates in unison

The altar flowers are given in
celebration of
Olivia Schwingle's birthday

