



FIRST

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
MANHATTAN, KANSAS



APRIL 2ND, 2023

PALM / PASSION SUNDAY

PROCESSION OF PALMS (CITY PARK) | 9:30 A.M.

WORSHIP | 10:30 A.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please complete an attendance form and return to an usher before the end of service. Thank you! Ushers today are Chris & Lyle Butler. Deacon's will also be taking their offering after the service in the Narthex. Next week our ushers will be Daisy Schalles, Jan Gibbs, Shelley Manges. Ushers will also be taking Communion for Easter Sunday.

Flowers are given by The Klingler Family In Celebration of Becky & Rob Wagner's Wedding Anniversary. If you have a date in 2023 that you would like to provide the flowers, please call the office and we will sign you up. The price of flowers is \$45.

Thursday, April 6th is Maundy Thursday! Join us for Communion & Tenebrae at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary as we commemorate the Last Supper of Jesus Christ with the Apostles.

Join us for Good Friday on April 7th at 7:00pm as we observe the crucifixion of Jesus Christ!

The church office will be CLOSED Friday, April 7th in observation of Good Friday!

Easter Sunday is next week! Join us for a day of worship and celebration! We will kick off the day with a Sunrise Service in Tami's Garden at 8:30 a.m., followed by a continental breakfast in Fisher Hall, then we'll head out to Friendship Park for an Easter Egg Hunt at 9:30 a.m.! Our traditional Easter Service with Communion will be held in the Sanctuary at 10:30am. Bring your family, friends, and neighbors as commemorate the resurrection of our Lord, Jesus Christ!

The FPC Food Pantry is in need of sugar, hot cocoa, canned peas, and pork and beans. Please drop off the items at the church office or by the pantry door in Fisher Hall. Thank you for your generosity.

FPC Monthly Financial Update: As of February 28, 20203 our year-to-date total net operating income for February was \$143,866, while our year-to-date total net operating income budget for February was \$129,194.

FPC is participating in GMCF's 11th Annual Grow Green Match Day on Friday, April 21st! The Endowment Fund of the First Presbyterian Church is established so that the income of the Fund be directed to uses apart from the day-to-day operations of the congregation. Grants from the Fund may include support for special projects, seed money for new programs and initiatives, support for pilot ventures, and the like. Keep a look out for more information as the Grow Green Match Day approaches!

WAYS TO SERVE & GIVE

Community Outreach Dinner Volunteers

Tuesday, April 4th will be Team #5

Main Dish | *Joan Burton, Kelly Pittman, Virginia Benkelman, Jen Palmgren, Daisy Schalles

Side Dish & Bread | Stacey Warner, Kathy Herde, Teresa Wille

Dessert | Mary Alice Schlessner / Jan Gibbs

Server | *Joan & Ken Burton, Daisy Schalles, Teresa Wille, Kathy Herde, Karla Garcia

If are interested in volunteering or have any questions regarding Community Dinners, please contact Claudia Voos at (785) 313-1874 or cvoos@BurnettAuto.com

Community Outreach Breakfast Volunteers

Wednesday, April 5th will be Team #1: Voos

Egg Bake | Lana & Tom Arpin, Peg Lyons & Jan Gibbs

Set up, fruit, etc. | June Wilson, Claudia & Terry Voos

Clean Up | Gene Klingler & Jeannie Davis, Sandy Stevenson

Brown Bag Lunch | Patty McCrary

If are interested in volunteering or have any questions regarding Community Outreach Breakfast, please contact John & Peggy Lyons at 785-539-3644 or lyonspeg3@yahoo.com

CALENDER FOR APRIL 2ND - 7TH

Sunday, April 2

9:00am to Noon | Nursery
9:30am | Procession of Palms
10:30am | Easter Cantata

Monday, April 3

9:00am | Prayer in the Chapel
5:30pm | In-reach & Outreach Meeting
6:30pm | Troop 74

Tuesday, April 4

9:00am | World Friendship
5:00pm | Shower Facilities Open
6:00pm | Community Meals

Wednesday, April 5

7:30am | Community Breakfast
9:00am | Staff Meeting
5:30pm | Hospitality & Fellowship
6:00pm | Handbell Choir Practice

Thursday, April 6

12:00pm | Life's Journey with Grief
7:00pm | Tenebrae & Communion

Friday, April 7

9:00am | Food Pantry
7:00pm | Good Friday Service
Office Closed

ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR THE LORD'S DAY

We Gather Around The Word

Prelude | Mitchell Jerko, Organist

God So Loved the World by John Stainer

Fanfare and Processional for a King by David Paxton

Introit | Choir

Proclamation of the Entrance Into Jerusalem | Matthew 21:1-11

One: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

All: Hosanna in the highest heaven!

***Procession of the Palms**

***Hymn #196 | "All Glory, Laud, and Honor"**

***Prayer of the Day**

We praise you, O God, for your redemption of the world through Jesus Christ, who entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph and was proclaimed Messiah and King by those who spread garments and branches along his way. Let these branches be signs of his victory, and grant that we who carry them may follow him in the way of the cross, that, dying and rising with him, we may enter into your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Greeting and Announcements

We Proclaim God's Word

Christ's journey to the cross is filled with images that serve as vivid reminders of His sacrificial love for us. These images are the centerpiece of Come to the Cross and Remember.

This day is a day of stark contrasts. What began with lauds and laughter, and a triumphal procession into Jerusalem, ends a short week later with sneers and jeers at the cross of Golgotha. Resist the urge to move quickly from today, Palm Sunday, to next Sunday, Easter Sunday – from celebration to celebration. Rather, meditate throughout this week, as with this cantata, on the journey of Jesus to the cross, to death and the grave, and the victory won for us in his death and resurrection.

COME TO THE CROSS & REMEMBER

Written and Arranged by Pepper Choplin
Orchestration by Michael Lawrence
Published by Lorenz Publishing Co.

Come to the Cross and Remember

Pepper Choplin

The Palms

Pepper Choplin

Bring the Cup and the Bread

Pepper Choplin

Love Filled the Cup

Pepper Choplin

Go to Dark Gethsemane

Words: Pepper Choplin | Tune: Richard Redhead

Bring the Thirty Silver Coins

Pepper Choplin

Judas

Pepper Choplin

Bring the Robe and the Crown

Pepper Choplin

Surely He Has Born Our Griefs

Pepper Choplin | Words based on Isaiah 53:4-5

O Sacred Hands, Now Wounded

Words: Pepper Choplin | Tune: Hans Leo Hassler

You Will Be with Me in Paradise

Pepper Choplin

Hold the Shroud in Your Hands

Pepper Choplin

Waitin' for the Mornin'

Pepper Choplin

Every Knee Shall Bow

Pepper Choplin | Words based on Philippians 2:6-11

We Respond to the Word in Faith

The Offering

The Offertory

***Doxology (Hymn 606)**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Prayer on Christ's Passion & The Lord's Prayer

One: Christ our teacher, for us you were obedient, even to death:

All: Teach us to obey God's will in all things.

One: Christ our life, by dying on the cross you destroyed the power of evil and death:

All: Enable us to die with you, and rise with you in glory.

One: Christ our strength, you were despised, and humiliated as a condemned criminal:

All: Teach us the humility by which you saved the world.

One: Christ our salvation, you gave your life out of love for us:

All: Help us to love one another.

One: Christ our Savior, on the cross you embraced all time with your outstretched arms:

All: Gather all the scattered children of God into your realm.

One: Jesus, Lamb of God,

All: have mercy on us.

One: Jesus, bearer of our sins,

All: have mercy on us.

One: Jesus, redeemer of the world,

All: grant us your peace.

Choral Prayer #471 | "O Lord, Hear My Prayer"

One: Eternal God...in whose name we pray:

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

We Bear The Word Into The World

***Hymn #209** | "My Song Is Love Unknown"

***Benediction** | **Rev. Jason Pittman**

Postlude | **Mitchell Jerko, Organist**

Hail, Jesus Christ, Our Redeemer by Hugh S. Livingston, Jr.

(*Stand as you are able.)

Please begin your ministry in Christ's name by greeting those with whom you have worshipped.

ORCHESTRA

Kathryn Pittman Flute	Braeden Jones Horn
Katelyn McCracken Clarinet	Noah Moots Horn
Briele Volmuth Oboe	Norma Roozeboom Keyboard
Rachel Woodbury Bassoon	Mitchell Jerko Piano
Kyle Grimes Trumpet	Dr. Reginald Pittman Director

PRAYER REQUESTS

Whatever is going on in your life, big or small, God cares. So, do we. We'd love to be able to support you and hold you and anyone you know up in prayer.

You can contact our church office at 785-537-0518 or email our Communications Coordinator and let us know where in your life we can support you.

STAFF CONTACT INFO

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Our **mission** is to create disciples for Jesus Christ and to practice His teachings by **loving** and **serving** God and one another.



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HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
CLOSED noon to 1:00 p.m.

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