Assisting with today's service:

Lector: Joyce Holden

Upcoming Services:

3/30 Good Friday service, 12:00 p.m.

4/1 Easter Sunday, Holy Eucharist Rite II, The Rev. Peter Mackey officiating

4/8 Holy Eucharist Rite II, The Rev. Dan Buchin officiating 4/15 Morning Prayer, Rite II, Joyce Holden officiating

Upcoming Events:

3/25 Natalie Linden's birthday

4/5 The Rev. Dan Buchin's birthday

4/22 Vestry meeting following the Liturgy and Fellowship

Saints celebrated this week:

3/25 The Annunciation of Our Lord Jesus Christ

3/27 Charles Henry Brent, Bishop of the Philippines, & of Western New York, 1929

3/29 John Keble, Priest, 1866

3/31 John Donne, Priest, 1631

Common prayers with uncommon results this week for:

CONTINUED PRAYERS: CONTINUED PRAYERS: Bob Welke; Bob's daughter Bobbie; Sue Burke; Evelyn & Harold Gregg; Mel Dye; Joyce Johnson; Scott & Natalie Linden; Matthew Linden; Lillian; Vicky; Ann Wise; Bob Bird; Brad Rounds; Ed & Audrey Johnson; Jamie & Marvin; Ridge; Jill Holden; Virginia Smith; Wanda Clifton; Julie Wilkins; John; Donna Hanes; Kevin Cuyler; Chris Smith; Nancy Buchin; Paul & Mardelle Hewitt PRAYERS FOR the unemployed, homeless & disenfranchised IN HARM'S WAY our service men & women suffering from PTSD CYCLE OF PRAYER: Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael Curry, Presiding Bishop; Wendell Gibbs, our Bishop; Moises Quezada Mota, Bishop of the Diocese of the Dominican Republic; Elizabeth Eaton, ELCA Presiding Bishop; Donald P Kreiss, ELCA Bishop, SE Michigan Synod; Craig A Satterlee, ELCA Bishop, NW Lower Michigan Synod; our Diocesan retired community household; Our Diocesan household; St Matthew's & St Joseph's, Detroit; Christ Church Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills; Church of the Pentecost, Bonao, DR THOSE INVOLVED IN MINISTRY: pray for discernment

The Sunday of the Passion Palm Sunday, March 25, 2018 n, Episcopal 720 Riverside, Adria

Christ Church, Episcopal 720 Riverside, Adrian MI 49221 (The Service begins in the Parish Hall with the distribution of Palms)

Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.

Celebrant: Let us pray

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Mark 11-1-11

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of Kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. *Hosanna in the Highest.* Let us go forth in peace.

In the name of Christ. Amen

(Proceed with palms as we sing verses 1 and 2 of the following hymn, halting at the back of the Sanctuary for the Collect)



The stanzas may be sung by choir alone or alternately by contrasted groups; all sing the refrain.

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified; Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The Entrance Rite

Processional Hymn Hymnal 154 v 3-5

The Word of God

Bless the Lord who for gives all our sins

His mercy endures for ever.

Collect of the Day BCP 219

The First Lesson Isaiah 50:4-9a

Psalm 31:9-16 BCP 623

The Second Lesson Philippians 2:5-11

Gradual Hymn 313 v1

(Customary responses before and after the Gospel are omitted)

The Passion Gospel Mark 15

(please remain seated until the verse which mentions the arrival

at Golgotha)

The Homily The Rev. Peter Mackey

Prayer for Discernment

The Prayers of the People Form I BCP 383

The Passing of the Peace

Announcements

Offertory

Offertory Anthem Hymnal 168

Celebration of Holy Eucharist

The Great Thanksgiving BCP 361
Sanctus BCP 362
The Lord's Prayer BCP 364
The Breaking of the Bread BCP 364

Communion Hymn "Jesus, remember me"

Post Communion Prayer BCP 365
Recessional Hymn Hymnal 474
Dismissal BCP 102

Today's Taize music for Communion:

"Jesus, remember me, when you come into your kingdom"

We welcome you to Christ Church and invite you to join us for refreshments in the parish hall immediately following the service.

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Sunday, March 25, 2018 Palm Sunday

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