

PALM SUNDAY

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Pastor:

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and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

People:

And also with you.

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Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the

Lord!

People:

Glory to God in the highest!

Pastor:

Let us pray.

People:

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THE PALM SUNDAY GOSPEL READING

Pastor:

Let us go forth in peace.

People:

In the name of the Lord. Amen.

THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Prepare Ye, the Way of the Lord"



SUNDAY OF THE PASSION

Pastor: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

People: Hosanna in the highest!

THE PRAYER OF THE DAY

Pastor: Let us pray:

People: Almighty God, you sent your Son, our Savior Jesus Christ, to take our flesh upon Him and to suffer death on the cross. Grant that we may share in His obedience to Your will and in the glorious victory of His Resurrection; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God,

now and forever. Amen.

THE FIRST AND SECOND LESSONS

THE PASSION GOSPEL READING

THE OFFICE HYMN

THE HOMILY

THE PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE OFFERTORY AND GATHERINGS OF THE OFFERING

Pastor:

The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you

THE CONSECRATION

THE DISTRIBUTION (hymns 2 & 3 sung during communion)

THE DISMISSAL PRAYER

THE BENEDICTION AND CLOSING HYMN

THE SERVICE OF THE WORD

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THE OFFICE HYMN - "Psalm 25"

THE SERMON: "Coats and Towels"

(The Apostle's Creed will not be spoken this week)

THE PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION

Pastor: Let us pray to the Lord. People: Lord, have mercy.

THE OFFERTORY AND GATHERINGS OF THE OFFERING

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

THE BENEDICTION

Pastor: The Lord bless you and keep you.7

The Lord make his face shine upon you

and be gracious to you.

The Lord look upon you with favor and 🖶 give you peace.

People: Amen.

THE HYMN - "Lamb of God" Blue 48

TO YOU, O GOD, I LIFT UP MY SOUL



Silence for meditation

Leader God of grace and mercy,
you are the refuge of all who seek you,
you are the shelter of all who wait in hope for you.
Set our feet firmly on your pathway,
and guide us by the light of your truth,
so that we might faithfully follow you
all the days of our lives.
We ask this through Jesus, the Christ.

All Amen.

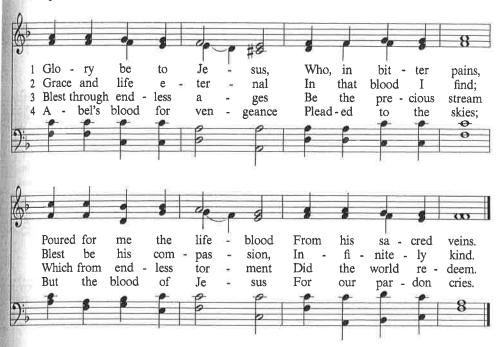
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Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed



5 But tears of grief cannot repay The debt of love I owe; Here, Lord, I give myself away: It's all that I can do.



Oft as earth exulting
 Wafts its praise on high,
 Angel hosts rejoicing
 Make their glad reply.

6 Lift we then our voices,
 Swell the mighty flood;
 Louder still and louder
 Praise the precious blood.

48. LAMB OF GOD

Your only Son,
 No sin to hide,
 But You have sent Him from Your side,
 To walk upon this guilty sod,
 And to become the Lamb of God

Refrain

O Lamb of God, Sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God! O wash me in His precious blood My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Your gift of love,
 They crucified,
 They laughed and scorned Him as He died,
 The humble King they named a fraud
 And sacrificed the Lamb of God.

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O Lamb of God, Sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God! O wash me in His precious blood My Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

3. I was so lost,
I should have died,
But You have brought me to Your side,
To be led by Your staff and rod,
And to be called a lamb of God. (Refrain)

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