



Palm Sunday  
Sunday of the Passion

Streaming Worship  
9:00 am  
April 2, 2023



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## What's Happening

### **It's a match: Your Lenten offerings will impact lives, so please give!**

Not only will 10 percent of your Lenten offerings be split between Tree 4 Hope's Elder Program and Christian Churches United's Harrisburg Unhoused Emergency Assistance Fund, but also the **10 percent will be matched by our Missions and Community Outreach teams (up to \$750 each)**. Outstanding! Thanks to all.

### **This Weekend: Last Chance to Order Easter Flowers**

Use the form in Gathering Space or go to [www.trinitycamphill.org/decorations](http://www.trinitycamphill.org/decorations) to buy flowers that will decorate our spaces on Easter weekend.

### **Boy Scouts are selling flowers in our parking lot**

Support our Scout troop. Beautiful flowers for sale April 6-8.



# Holy Week and Easter Sunday

## April 3-9

### **Holy Week April 3-8**

- 7 pm Mon-Tues-Wed. Pastor reflections, online only.
- 7 pm Maundy Thurs. Worship. Also livestreamed.
- Noon-3 pm Good Fri. Worship. Come/go as you can.
- 7 pm Good Fri. Worship. Also livestreamed.
- 7 pm Sat. In-person Easter Vigil. Also livestreamed.

### **Easter Sunday April 9**

*"Dead or Alive?"*

- 9 am. Contemporary worship, Fellowship Hall.
- 9 am. Blended worship, Nave. Also livestreamed.
- 11 am. Contemporary worship, Fellowship Hall.
- 11 am. Traditional worship, Nave.

**Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church!** We're so glad you're here. Hearing assistance devices and large print bulletins are available from an usher.

We would like to know you were here worshipping with us. Using a QR reader or camera on your mobile device, please scan this QR code to check you and your family into today's worship service. Or go to the following link: [trinitycamphill.org/check-in](http://trinitycamphill.org/check-in).



### **about today's service**

Today, we encounter the paradox that defines our faith: Jesus Christ is glorified king and humiliated servant. We too are full of paradox: like Peter, we fervently desire to follow Christ, but find ourselves afraid, denying God. We wave palms in celebration today as Christ comes into our midst, and we follow with trepidation as his path leads to death on the cross. Amid it all we are invited into this paradoxical promise of life through Christ's broken body and outpoured love in a meal of bread and wine. We begin this week that stands at the center of the church year, anticipating the completion of God's astounding work.

In Lent we focus our attention on the mystery of the cross, that is God's willingness to offer his Son for the salvation of the world through his passion and death. We signify his holy mystery by veiling our crosses with light fabric, either completely covering or draping over the beams. The fullness of God's purposes is revealed when on Easter the veils are removed or changed to white, the color of Easter. We also omit the use of "alleluia", and postludes as the solemnity of this Lenten season is observed.

**P: Presiding Minister   L: Lector   C: Congregation**

### **✠ Gathering ✠**

*We gather together to praise God and receive God's love.*

Welcome

Pastor John Brock

*Children and adults are invited to come forward, palm in hand, and wave their palms during the Gathering Song. They will return to their seats during the Gathering hymn.*

\*Gathering Song: "Ride On, King Jesus"

FaithX Band

Announcements

(Please Stand)

Invocation

P: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

**C: Hosanna in the highest.**

Palm Sunday Gospel

Matthew 21:1-11

*Jesus enters Jerusalem.*

<sup>1</sup>When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, <sup>2</sup>saying to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them

and bring them to me. <sup>3</sup>If anyone says anything to you, just say this, 'The Lord needs them.' And he will send them immediately." <sup>4</sup>This took place to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet, saying, <sup>5</sup>"Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey." <sup>6</sup>The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; <sup>7</sup>they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. <sup>8</sup>A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. <sup>9</sup>The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" <sup>10</sup>When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, "Who is this?" <sup>11</sup>The crowds were saying, "This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee."

P: The gospel of the Lord.

**C: Praise to you, O Christ.**

Blessing of the Palms

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray. We praise you, O God, for redeeming the world through our Savior Jesus Christ. Today he entered the holy city in triumph and was proclaimed messiah and king by those who spread garments and branches along his way. Bless these branches and those who carry them. Grant us grace to follow our Lord in the way of the cross, so that, joined to his death and resurrection, we enter into life with you; through the same Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

\*Gathering Hymn No. 344: All Glory, Laud, and Honor

ST. THEODULPH

Greeting

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: And also with you.**

Prayer of the Day

P: Let us pray. Everlasting God, in your endless love for the human race you sent our Lord Jesus Christ to take on our nature and to suffer death on the cross. In your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

[Please Sit]

## ✝ Word ✝

*We listen to the story of God's mighty acts for the sake of God's people.*

Children's Message

Pastor John Brock

"He is Exalted"

Twila Paris/arr. Ryan

Youth Bells

Reading:

Philippians 2:5-11

*Christ did not act to attain status and glory but was obedient to God even to the point of death.*

*Following Christ's example, we do not seek personal status or glory but care for others as God cared for us in Christ's death.*

<sup>5</sup>Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, <sup>6</sup>who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, <sup>7</sup>but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, <sup>8</sup>he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death — even death on a cross. <sup>9</sup>Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, <sup>10</sup>so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, <sup>11</sup>and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

L: The word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

*Please remain seated during the reading of the Gospel*

The Passion of Christ According to Matthew

Sermon: "Seven Deadly Sins: Greed"

Pastor Jack Horner

\*Song: "Garden"

FaithX Band

[Please Stand]

Apostles' Creed

P: Let us profess our common faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed.

C: **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the † resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**

Prayers of the Church

*A brief silence.*

*Each petition ends:*

P: Merciful God,

**C: receive our prayer.**

### **† Meal †**

*When we celebrate communion we remember that Jesus died for us and we experience His love and forgiveness. As we eat the bread and wine Christ is present with us.*

Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

**C: And also with you.**

(Please Sit)

Offering

Optional giving methods: Use the Vanco Mobile app on your mobile device (search for Trinity Camp Hill) • Text an amount to 717-963- 2281 (be sure to use a "\$") • Use the "DONATE" button on our website and e-blasts or scan the QR code to the right • Mail into the church office • Your offerings may also be placed in the white offering boxes at the entrance to the worship space as you exit.



(Please Stand)

Offering Prayer

P: Let us pray. Extravagant God,

**C: you have blessed us with the fullness of creation. Now we gather at your feast where you offer us the food that satisfies. Take and use what we offer here, come among us, and feed us with the body and blood of Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.**

Eucharistic Prayer

P: Hosanna is our cry, Blessed One. Your Son comes on a donkey in your name. As Jesus entered Jerusalem to bear our sorrows and suffer for our sins, enter our hearts and confront our waywardness today. Send your Spirit upon this bread that it may be living bread, and on this wine that it may be the cup of salvation, that together they may be for us the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ;

*In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.*

*Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.*

P: For as often as we eat of this bread and drink from this cup, we proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

**C: Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

P: Humble God, your son did not exploit his status but emptied himself. Pour out your Spirit on all who are exploited, on all who are humbled, on all who are emptied of hope, faith, or love. As you highly exalted your Son, highly exalt your children who suffer, grieve or are mistreated. Fill the earth with your justice and peace, until every heart shall sing and every tongue confess that you are the joy of their desiring, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, ever one God, in all ages and forevermore.

**C: Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer

**C: 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 and ever. Amen.**

Invitation to Communion

P: This is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world.  
Happy are those who are called to his supper.

**C: Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,  
but only say the word and I shall be healed.**

(Please Sit)

Sharing our Lord's Supper

*All Christians are welcome to celebrate the real presence of Jesus Christ in our Lord's Supper. If you'd like to receive communion via intinction, please come forward by the middle aisle, receive the bread, dip it into the wine, and return by the side aisles. Communion may be received in bread only, if desired. Non-communing children and adults are invited to come forward for a blessing. In addition, we offer gluten-free wafers available upon request--please ask the pastor at the time of communion. Additionally, you may receive communion by prepackaged communion elements, which you can get from the baskets as you entered the worship space. Just remain at your seat and at the direction of the pastor, you will be invited to commune, at which time, you will open the individually wrapped, prepackaged communion elements. The bread is in the bottom and wine in the top. If you did not receive communion elements when you arrived, please see an usher.*

*The presiding minister will now invite those receiving communion,  
by prepackaged communion elements, to commune at your seat.*

Open the bread:

P: The Body of Christ given for you.

Open the wine:

P: The Blood of Christ shed for you.

*Those who wish to receive communion by intinction,  
please come forward at the direction of the usher.*

(Please Stand)

Post Communion Blessing and Prayer

P: The body and blood of our Lord Jesus Christ strengthen you and keep you in his grace.

**C: Amen.**

P: Let us pray. Compassionate God, you have fed us with the bread of heaven. Sustain us in our Lenten pilgrimage: may our fasting be hunger for justice; our alms, a making of peace; and our prayer, the song of grateful hearts, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**✠ Sending ✠**

*We have heard the Word of God and offered our gifts. Now we are sent out, strengthened by the Holy Spirit to be God's people in the world.*

Blessing

P: The Lord bless you and keep you. The Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy. The Lord look upon you with favor and ✠ give you peace.

**C: Amen.**

Dismissal

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord.

**C: Thanks be to God.**

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## **Worship leaders**

**Presiding Minister:** The Rev. John H. Brock

**Preacher:** The Rev. Dr. Jack M. Horner

**Children's Message:** The Rev. John H. Brock

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### **Worship notes**

Videos of last week's sermons are available on our website ([www.trinitycamphill.org](http://www.trinitycamphill.org)). If you would like a printed copy, please call the church office and we can mail one to you.

**The flowers in the Nave and Fellowship Hall** are presented to the glory of God and in loving memory of Arnie Greenlund by his wife Anne, children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren; Charles & Mary Zeigler, by John & Linda Zeigler; Mr. & Mrs. James Slane, my parents, by Terri Denison.

**The sanctuary lamp candle** that burns day and night as a symbol of God's abiding presence is presented to the glory of God and in honor of our daughter, Kate Crowe-Bussiere, by Carol and John Crowe.

**Join us this week!**

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**Holy Week:**

**Holy Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday (April 3, 4, 5)**

Online messages from the Pastors

**Triduum Services: The Three days (April 6, 7, 8)**

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**Sermon theme:**

“Washed”

**Maundy Thursday - 7pm (in-person & Livestreamed)**

**Narration & Reflections: Pastor John Brock**

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**Good Friday - noon to 3pm “7 last words of Christ” (in-person)**

come and go as you wish

**Good Friday - Tenebrae - 7pm (in-person & Livestreamed)**

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**Holy Saturday - Easter Vigil - 7pm (in-person & Livestreamed)**

Preaching: Bishop James Dunlop



**Join us next week!**

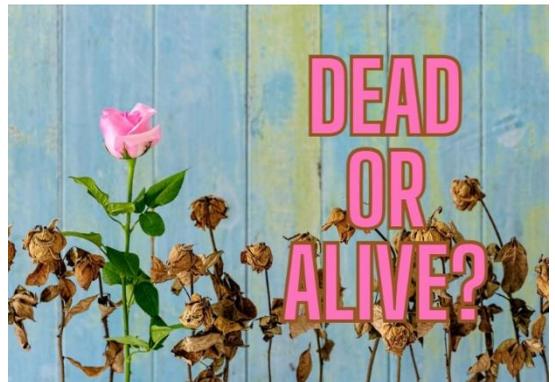
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**Resurrection of Our Lord**

**Sermon theme:**

“Dead or Alive?”

Preaching: Pastor Jack Horner



# **Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church**

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