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Welcome in the name of Jesus!  
(Announcements & Candle Lighting)

### Centering Prayer

### Song of Praise (UMH) 278 Hosanna Loud Hosanna

Sharing of the Peace – please take a moment to greet those around you in the Name of the Lord.

### Choir - The Cross Was His Own

#### \*Call to Worship

L: The parade today is just the beginning of our hope.

P: We wave our branches and shout "Hosanna!"

L: But there will come a time of silence and of mourning.

P: Help us to be ready for that time, O Lord.

L: Blessed is Jesus, who came into Jerusalem on that day.

P: Blessed is Jesus who comes into our hearts always. AMEN

#### \*MORNING PRAYER

Hosanna! Blessed is Jesus who comes in God's Name! We stand at the gates of our Jerusalem and wave our branches high. We get caught up in the excitement of the parade. Jesus sits astride a donkey, a beast of burden bearing a most precious gift. Let the joy fill your hearts this day as we shout our Hosannas. Praise God for the wondrous ways in which our lives have been touched. Prepare our hearts to worship and celebrate this day! Amen.

Prayer Time – Please share your joys as well as your prayers.

### TIME OF PRAYER (FWS) 473 Lead Me, Lord

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 temptations but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen

### Party with the Preacher

Offering (Doxology page 95)

Holy Source of all good things, we bring our tithes and offerings to your altar in gratitude and in full knowledge that we are not deserving of the many blessings you have poured into our lives. Our offering cannot begin to repay the many gifts we have received, most clearly the gift of our redemption through your son Jesus Christ. May our act of giving be the proclamation of our hearts to all the world that we are so desperately in need of a savior; and in love, you provided Jesus. By your love alone, we boldly pray in Christ's holy name. Amen.

### Scripture Reading – Mark 11:1-11 (p47)

### Message – Palm Sunday Message

#### The Passion Story

Mark 14:1-25 (p 51)

Mark 14:26-50

Mark 14:53-72

Mark 15:1-19

Mark 15:20-37

Mark 15:38-47

### Closing Hymn - (UHM) 277 Tell Me The Stories of Jesus

#### \*Good News

The road has been long. You have seen much on this journey, but it is not time to quit. There is much to be done. Go in peace, dear people of God. Go ready to proclaim with your lives that Jesus is Lord and Savior. Go to offer God's love and peace to all. AMEN.

FWS – Faith We Sing

UMH – United Methodist Hymnal

Please join us for coffee and conversation after  
Worship downstairs.

### **SERVING THIS WEEK (4/14/19)**

Greeters: Ernie and Dick Pinneo  
Ushers: Ron and Jane Salyer  
Scripture Reader: Meredith Nielsen  
Sunday School: Pam Althouse  
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland  
Nursery: Phil and Trish  
Door Greeter: Eric Detar  
Fellowship: Chris & Stacy Wyant

### **SERVING NEXT WEEK – Easter (4/21/19)**

Greeters: Sue Spoor and Blanche Fingar  
Ushers: Russ Heggie and Ernie Pinneo  
Scripture Reader: Marilyn James  
Sunday School: Pam Althouse  
Counters: Elly Stempien and Bill Sutherland  
Nursery: Kerry Fitch and Stacy Wyant  
Door Greeter: Dave Perl  
Fellowship: **Need Someone to Sign Up**

\*Under the back table there are tote bags with activities for kids to use during worship. Please put the bags back when you are finished.

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## **Additional Worship**

April 17<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday Night Service – Peter’s Denial –  
6:00pm – **John 18:1-19:42**

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