

P O M P T O N R E F O R M E D C H U R C H

Our Vision: A world where all experience and share the love and grace of Jesus Christ.

April 14, 2019

(*Please stand if you are able)

11:00 am

... THE APPROACH TO GOD...

Prelude

Gathering Song #203 (Blue) "Hosanna..." v.3

Greeting/Prayer

Opening Chimes "Let Happy Hosannas Ring" Handbell Choir

Church Life

Call to Worship

He's coming!

Stop what you're doing. Raise your voice. Wave your arms. Let the world know he's coming.

What is so important for us to raise such a fuss?

He is the one of whom the prophets spoke.

He is the one who has healed the sick, cast out demons, raised the dead.

He is the one who forgives, redeems and saves.

This is the one we've been waiting for...Christ Jesus.

***Chancel Choir Anthem/Congregational Hymn**

"Lift High the Cross"

C. Courtney

Prayer of Confession for Palm Sunday

Righteous God, you brought your son Jesus into Jerusalem to show people the radical grace of your love. Show us this grace, and give us eyes to see your goodness. Forgive us for remaining silent. May we have the courage to speak your praise when others are telling us to be quiet. We pray these things in the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Choral Response #212 (Blue) "What Wondrous Love is This" v.2

Word's of Assurance

Ephesians 2:8-9

For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this is not your own doing;
it is the gift of God - not the result of works, so that no one may boast.

Summary of the Law

1 Peter 4:1-2

Since therefore Christ suffered in the flesh, arm yourselves also with the same intention, so as to live for the rest of your earthly life no longer by human desires but by the will of God.

Ministry of Music - Trio

"Ten Thousand Angels"

Overholt/Fettke

....He could have called ten thousand angels, to destroy the world and set Him free...

Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings**Offertory*****Doxology #221**

"O Sacred Head Now Wounded" v.3

Offertory Prayer*THE WORD OF GOD...**

Matthew 21:1-17

"Hosanna!"

...OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD...**Profession of Faith (Our Song of Hope: Our Hope in the Age to Come)**

God saves the world through Jesus. Those who call on that name will have life. Christ's hand reaches out beyond those who say "Lord" to the infants who live in the atmosphere of faith, even to the farthest stars and planets all creation. The boundaries of God's love are not known, the Spirit works at the ends of the world before the church has there spoken a word. God will renew the world through Jesus, who will put all unrighteousness out, purify the works of human hands, and perfect their fellowship in divine love. Christ will wipe away every tear; death shall be no more. There will be a new heaven and a new earth, and all creation will be filled with God's glory.

Prayers of the People and 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

***Parting Hymn #204 (Blue)**

"All Glory, Laud and Honor" v. 1,3 & 5

Benediction*Postlude**

Following worship please join us in Fellowship Hall for refreshments

TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

Worship Leader:	Rev. Nathan Busker
Liturgist:	Elena Van Schaack
Music Director:	Patricia Kitchell
Organist:	Scott Burzynski
Bell Choir Director:	Janine Maletsky
Choral Trio:	Patti Kitchel Caroline Winter Leslee Ferray
Ushers:	Bruce Davis, Co-Captain, Jeff Romaine, Co-Captain, Carole Romaine, Dan Douma, Drew Altofer

2019 CONSISTORY

<u>Deacons</u>	<u>Elder Care Teams</u>	
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You are invited to speak with your Elder representative about any concerns or suggestions you have related to church life.

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