



Starkville Presbyterian Church PC (U.S.A.)

April 10, 2022

Palm Sunday

Order of Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude *Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!* ST. DROSTANE

Introit *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna* ELLACOMBE

+Call to Worship

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

All: Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

One: This is the day the Lord has made.

All: Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

One: Let us rejoice and be glad.

All: Hosanna! Hosanna in the highest!

+Opening Hymn #196 *All Glory Laud and Honor* VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

Call to Confession

We come with our praises, yet we fall short of the glory of God. Sin stains even our best intentions, but God refuses to let sin have the last word. With faith and hope, let us seek God's forgiveness.

+Prayer of Confession *Unison*

Triumphant God, we join the crowds of the ages in shouting Your praises. While our lips give You glory, our lives seldom reflect Your purposes. We sing easily of Your greatness, but living faithfully is often beyond us. We hear of Your salvation, yet sin is still close and real, daily leading us away from You. Have mercy on us. Ride into our hearts with healing grace. Forgive what we have done and direct who we shall be.

Lord, save us. Hosanna! (Moment of Silence)

+Assurance of Pardon

One: He who rode into Jerusalem, struggled on the cross, and was sealed in a tomb is risen from the dead! Jesus Christ has defeated sin forever. This is good news!

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven

Offering
Offertory *A Cheering, Chanting, Dizzy Crowd* CHRISTIAN LOVE

+Doxology #606 *Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow* OLD HUNDREDTH

+Prayer of Thanksgiving

Special Music *Filled with Excitement* Rubén Ruíz Ávila

Prayer of Illumination

+Scripture Reading John 19: 28-40

+Affirmation of Faith The Apostle's Creed

+Gloria Patri #581 *Glory Be to the Father* GLORIA PATRI

Sermon "Parade Routes" Rev. Ron McDougald

Prayer of the People and Lord's Prayer (**debts, debtors**)

Installation of Elders

+Sending Hymn #221 *O Sacred Head Now Wounded* PASSION CHORALE

+Charge and Benediction

+Choral Response *Amen* SM6

+Postlude *Bless the Lord, My Soul and Being!* RUSTINGTON

+ Stand if you are able

FROM THE SESSION. In light of the decrease of COVID cases, and the change in CDC recommendations, the session encourages those who wish to wear a facial covering do so and masks will be provided for those who want one; however, there is no requirement that they be worn. The Session will review this action at their stated meeting on May 5th. If you have questions or feedback, please contact any member of the Session.

PRAYER LIST. Please keep the following in your prayers.

Kathy Cadden (Operation Ukraine)	Margaret & David Earnest (hospice care)
Rev. Jay Kyle	Peggy Raines (cancer)
Ellen Clark Sawyer (cancer)	Pat Salmon
Tennie & Nancy Camack Swoope	Laura Thurmond (cancer)
Ukraine Conflict	David Zitta

If you would like to add a request or remove one from the list, please contact Nancy Bryson (324-6320 or nancybryson68@gmail.com) or Rev. Ron McDougald (601-942-8040 or chaplain.mcdougald@gmail.com)

ELDER OF THE MONTH. The Elder of the Month for April is Susan Kuykendall.

ELDER INSTALLATION. Today during the worship service, Elders-elect Pat Colwick and Susan Kuykendall will be installed in the Class of 2024.

STEWARDSHIP LUNCHEON. There will be a Stewardship Luncheon today after the worship service. Please be sure to join us.

Session

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CLASS of 2022

Charles Bryson
Sara Green
Robert Green

CLASS of 2023

CLASS of 2024

Pat Colwick
Susan Kuykendall

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SUNDAY SCHOOL. Sunday School will not meet today or next Sunday, April 17th. It will resume on April 24th.

SYMPATHY. We extend our Love and Christian sympathy to the family of Betty Seepe, who passed away on March 19, 2022. A private gravesides service was held on March 31, 2022. She was the mother of Kim Beatty.

SYMPATHY. We extend our Love and Christian sympathy to the family of Ruby Pace, who passed away on March 26, 2022. She was the sister-in-law of Pat Colwick.

CHOIR. There will be NO rehearsal this week.

FLOWERING CROSS. We will decorate a cross on Easter Sunday outside of the church instead of having individual Easter Lilies. If you would like to honor or memorialize someone, please complete the enclosed form and send your donation to the church (any amount).

HOLY WEEK EVENTS AT STARKVILLE PRESBYTERIAN:

Thursday, April 14th... Maundy Thursday Service, 7:00 PM. A Service of Communion and Prayer in the sanctuary.

Good Friday, April 15th... Starkville Community 'Stations of the Cross' 10:00 AM. Beginning in front of 1st United Methodist this community wide annual event will share scripture readings from Jesus' journey to the Cross...ending at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Good Friday, April 15th... SPC Neighborhood Easter Egg Hunt, 1:00 to 3:00 PM. Egg Hunt, games and refreshments for the 'neighborhood' children. Feel free to invite the children in your own 'neighborhood as well.