THE CHURCH GATHERS FOR WORSHIP

April 9, 2006 *Palm Sunday* 10:45 a.m.

Palm Sunday, often called Passion Sunday, begins Holy Week and our attention on the sufferings and crucifixion of Jesus. Our worship begins with our children's processional of palm branches, reminding us that Christ began this agonizing week hailed a king. As it was necessary for this temporal joy to turn to sorrow before true triumph came, may the Holy Spirit instill in each of us the need of brokenness in order to truly celebrate in joy. As you prepare for worship this morning, you are encouraged to do so in reverence. We are grateful that you have chosen to be here and hope that you will return for our times of reflective worship throughout this week and our celebration of the resurrection next Sunday.

WELCOME TO WORSHIPERS and MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

*INVITATION TO SHARE IN WORSHIP

Psalm 118:26-28

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

From the house of the Lord we bless you.

The Lord is God, he has made his light shine upon us. With branches in hand, join in the festal procession to the altar.

You are my God, and I will give you thanks; you are my God, and I will exalt you.

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

PRELUDE The Royal Banners Forward Go Lenel

We invite you to prepare your heart to encounter the living God in worship!

CALL TO WORSHIP

All Glory Laud and Honor
Sanctuary Choir

arr. Wagner

INVOCATION Jeff Allen

*HYMN NO. 130 Hosanna, Loud Hosanna ELLACOMBE

PROCESSION OF THE CHILDREN

CHILDREN'S TIME Pastor

ANTHEM The King Is Coming Kirkland

Sanctuary Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON Isaiah 50:4-9a; Philippians 2:5-11 Jason Cogdill

CALL TO CONFESSION/ SILENT CONFESSIONS

ASSSURANCE OF PARDON Pastor

*HYMN NO. 587 Jesus Shall Reign DUKE STREET
Stanzas 1. 2 &4

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Ride On, Ride On, in Majesty!

Metzger

Ron Cauble

*DEDICATION OF GIFTS

OFFERTORY

Doxology

 $OLD~100^{TH}$

Pastor

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

SERMON A Humble Example

Mark 14:1-10

Broken and Spilled Out Joni Hanna, Soprano

One day a plain village woman driven by love for her Lord recklessly poured out a valuable essence disregarding the scorn. And once it was broken and spilled out a fragrance filled all the room Like a pris'ner released from his shackles, like a spirit set free from the tomb.

Broken and spilled out just for love of You Jesus, My own precious treasure lavished on Thee.

Broken and spilled out and poured at Your feet in sweet abandon, Let me be spilled out and used up for Thee

Whatever it takes to be Yours Lord Whatever it takes to be clean I just can't live without Your sweet approval
No matter what it may mean I throw myself at Your feet Lord, broken by Your love for me
May the fragrance of total commitment be the only defense I need

Lord You were God's precious treasure. His loved and His own perfect Son, sent here to show me the love of the Father. Yes just for love it was done and though You were perfect and holy You gave up Yourself willingly and You spared no expense for my pardon.

You were spilled out and wasted for me.

Broken and spilled out just for love of me Jesus, God's most precious treasure lavished on me You were broken and spilled out and poured at my feet In sweet abandon Lord You were spilled out and used up for me.

*HYMN NO. 606

I Gave My Life for Thee Stanzas 1, 3 &4 KENOSIS

BENEDICTION

*RESPONSE

Because He Lives
CHOIR AND CONGREGATION

RESURRECTION

Because He lives I can face tomorrow; because He lives all fear is gone; Because I know He holds the future; And life is worth the living just because He lives!

POSTLUDE

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

Bender

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers in our Sanctuary are given by David & Ruth Austin in honor of our Interim ChoralDirector, John Reece, our musicians, and the choirs.

^{*} Those who are able are asked to stand.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Today

12:15 p.m. Visitation Assignments, Youth meet for lunch at LaCaretta

4:00 <u>No</u> Ainesis Rehearsal

5:00 Crosstraining

5:45 Youth Snack Supper

6:00 Children's and Adult Discipleship, *Channels* Rehearsal

6:15 Youth Discipleship 7:00 L.I.F.E. Worship Service 8:00 Handbells Rehearsal

Monday

10:00 a.m. Monday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. No Boy Scout Troop 907

Tuesday 10:00 a.m.

Grace Notes Rehearsal

6:30 p.m. WMU Salad Supper – Smith Hall

Wednesday

1:30 p.m. *Grace Notes* leave for Arbor Acres

No Family Night Activities

7:00 Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday

5:30-6:30 p.m. Supper Line Open 7:00 Maundy Thursday Service

Friday

Office Closed

7:00 p.m. Tenebrae Service

Saturday

7:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study

10:00 – 12:00 Easter Egg Hunt for Toddlers – 2nd Graders

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Hosanna in the highest!

PALM SUNDAY