



KNOX CHURCH, DUNEDIN

called to be a community of Jesus

10am – Sunday 14 April 2019

Passion/Palm Sunday

Pre service music “Fantasia with imitation in B minor”

“Valet will ich dir geben” (All Glory Laud and Honour)
“Entree Solonelle”

J S Bach (1685-1750)

Max Reger (1873-1916)

Leon Boellmann (1862-97)

Entrance with palms

We welcome

Kia noho a Ihowa ki a koutou. **May God be with you.**

Ma Ihowa koe e manaaki. **May God bless you.**

Grace and peace to you from God.

God fill you with truth and joy.

Hosanna to the Son of David!

Hosanna in the highest!

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

Hosanna in the highest!

We sing

(St Theodulph) CH4 364 – author St Theodulph of Orleans, translator John Mason Neale

*All glory, laud, and honour,
to you, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring!*

1 You are the King of Israel,
great David’s royal Son,
now in the Lord’s name coming,
our King and Blessèd One. [*Refrain*]

2 The company of angels
is praising you on high,
while we and all creation
together make reply. [*Refrain*]

3 The people of the Hebrews
with palms before you went;
our praise and prayer and anthems
before you we present. [*Refrain*]

4 To you before your Passion
they sang their hymns of praise;
to you, now high exalted,
our melody we raise. [*Refrain*]

5 Their praises you accepted;
accept the prayers we bring,
in every good delighting,
our great and gracious King: [*Refrain*]

Luke 19:28-40

Choir “Benedictus- Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord”

Karl Jenkins (b. 1944)

We pray

The Lord is here.

God's Spirit is with us.

Let us give thanks to God.

It is right to offer thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Sovereign God, for the acts of love by which you have set us free. On this day Jesus entered Jerusalem triumphantly to suffer and to die and was greeted with branches of palm. Let these branches be for us symbols of martyrdom and majesty. May we who carry them follow Christ in the way of the cross which leads to life; through Christ who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

We share the peace

Kia tau tonu te rangimarie o te Ariki ki a koutou; The peace of Christ be with you all.

And also with you

We sing

(Camberwell) CH4 458 - Caroline Maria Noel

1 At the Name of Jesus
every knee shall bow,
every tongue confess him
King of glory now;
'tis the Father's pleasure
we should call him Lord,
who from the beginning
was the mighty Word.

3 In your hearts enthrone him;
there let him subdue
all that is not holy,
all that is not true:
let his grace support you
in temptation's hour;
and his will enfold you
in its light and power.

2 Brothers, sisters, name him
with love strong as death,
but with awe and wonder
and with bated breath!
He is God the Saviour,
he is Christ the Lord,
ever to be worshiped,
trusted, and adored.

Proclamation of the Passion Story

Luke 22:14-23

Choir *"Hosanna to the Son of David"*

Luc Jakobs

Luke 22:31-53

We sing

(Petra(Redhead 76)) CH4 377 – James Montgomery, revised Andrew Donaldson

Go to dark Gethsemane,
ye that feel the tempter's power;
your Redeemer's conflict see,
watch with Him one bitter hour,
From his grief turn not away;
learn of Jesus Christ to pray.

Luke 22:54-62

We sing

CH4 793 – Taizé Community

Stay with me,
remain here with me
watch and pray,
watch and pray.

Luke 22:63-23:25

We sing

(Petra(Redhead 76)) CH4 377 - James Montgomery, revised Andrew Donaldson

Follow to the judgment hall;
see him beaten, bound, arraigned;
patiently he bears it all,
all our pain his soul sustained.
Shun not suffering, shame, or loss;
learn from Christ to bear the cross.

Luke 23:26-46

We sing

(Were you there) CH4 403 – Africa-American Spiritual

1 Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

2 Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?
Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?

Luke 23:47-56

We sing

(Were you there) CH4 403 – Africa-American Spiritual

Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?

Reflection

Giving of Easter gifts to Colin Morrison, the prison chaplain and the Senior Prison Manager Lane Groen, who will deliver the bags to each man in the Otago Corrections Facility over Easter.

Prayer

We share news and offer ourselves to God

“Redeeming our transgressions”

text Philippians 4, music Felix Mendelssohn (1809-47)

*We recognise and bless the gifts brought to the table,
and those which wing their way electronically from our banks to the Church’s account.*

We sing

(Love Unknown) CH4 399 – Samuel Crossman

1 My song is love unknown,
my Saviour’s love to me,
love to the loveless shown, that they might
lovely be.

Oh, who am I, that for my sake
my Lord should take frail flesh, and die?

2 He came from his blest throne,
salvation to bestow,
but people scorned, and none the
longed-for Christ would know.
But O my Friend, my Friend indeed,
who at my need his life did spend!

3 Sometimes they strew his way,
and his sweet praises sing;
resounding all the day hosannas to their
King.

Then 'Crucify!' is all their breath,
and for his death they thirst and cry.

4 Why, what hath my Lord done?
What makes this rage and spite?
He made the lame to run, he gave the blind
their sight.
Sweet injuries! Yet they at these
themselves displease, and 'gainst him rise.

We receive God’s blessing

Postlude *“Lord of the Dance”*

Noël Goemanne (1926-2010)