

Welcome to Central Presbyterian Church, where we come together to celebrate God's love, nurture growth, share our faith and serve the needs of others. This congregation opens wide its doors and hearts and welcomes all in the name of Jesus Christ.

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Announcements

Due to the lockdown at Trinity Village, the style show has been postponed till a later date. Trinity village will notify us when it has been rescheduled.

Follow us on Social Media! We are on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter. Look for the username Centralprespb

Sunday School 9:45 am.

Young Adults Sunday School 9:45 am.



CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
6300 Trinity Drive, Pine Bluff, Arkansas
Sunday, April 5, 2020
Palm Sunday



GREET THOSE AROUND YOU IN THE NAME OF CHRIST

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Zac: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!

People: Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!

Zac: Lo, your king comes to you;

People: triumphant and victorious is he,

Zac: humble and riding on a donkey,

People: on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

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

People: Hosanna in the highest!

Zac: Let us worship God!

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

You, O Lord, are God, and you have given us light. You have answered our prayer and become our salvation. We join the festal procession and rejoice at the coming of our king! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. We bless you from the house of the Lord. We bless and praise you, Lord, from the safety of this place. But we confess we will not go where you are going. We admire you, but hesitate to follow you. We stand at the roadside, with hearts like stones. Even they must cry out, but they are heavy with what they know: that when your adversaries gather, we will flee from you. When accusations mount, and insults shame you, our shame will be our turning back. Oh, the ways that we betray you. Our times are in your hand, O God. Have mercy on us, Lord, and deliver us. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Zac: As people born of water and the Spirit

we have died to the old life, and a new life has begun.

God's grace is poured out upon us day by day.

Come to the water and remember your baptism.

Be thankful, and live as one who has been raised to new life!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

People: Amen.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD

FIRST LESSON: Philippians 2:5-11

SECOND LESSON: Matthew 21:1-11

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON

The Power of Memory

Rev. Timothy Reeves

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

The Apostles' Creed

see insert

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

(You each are encouraged to give voice to your concerns or to name those for whom you love and pray.)

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

(We use debts and debtors)

FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

****POSTLUDE**

Go forth into the world rejoicing. Love and serve the Lord.

Those who are able, please stand.

**** Please be seated and remain for the postlude if you can.**

Lay Reader: Zac Cosner

Scripture

First Lesson: Philippians 2:5-11

⁵Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, ⁶who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, ⁷but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, ⁸he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death— even death on a cross. ⁹Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Second Lesson: Matthew 21:1-11

When they had come near Jerusalem and had reached Bethphage, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, ²saying to them, “Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her; untie them and bring them to me. ³If anyone says anything to you, just say this, ‘The Lord needs them.’ And he will send them immediately.” ⁴This took place to fulfill what had been spoken through the prophet, saying, ⁵“Tell the daughter of Zion, Look, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.” ⁶The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them; ⁷they brought the donkey and the colt, and put their cloaks on them, and he sat on them. ⁸A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. ⁹The crowds that went ahead of him and that followed were shouting, “Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!” ¹⁰When he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was in turmoil, asking, “Who is this?” ¹¹The crowds were saying, “This is the prophet Jesus from Nazareth in Galilee.”