

# *Palm Sunday Worship Service*

*March 28, 2021 9:30 A. M.*

*Pastor John Johnson*

## **Prelude**

## **Welcome and Announcements**

## **Prayer of Intercession**

## **Preparation for Worship**

Quietly and prayerfully prepare yourself to worship God. Consider; *“Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come. But understand this: If the owner of the house had known at what time of night the thief was coming, he would have kept watch and would not have let his house be broken into. So you also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.”* — Matthew 24:42-44

## **God Calls Us To Worship**

### Salutation

\*Call to Worship Psalm 135:1-7 (Pew Bible p. 443)

\*Hymn of Praise: 88, *“With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring”*

\*Prayer of Adoration

## **We Confess Our Sins**

### Prayer of Confession

*Almighty and most merciful Father; we have erred, and strayed from your ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against Your holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done; and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare those, O God, who confess their faults. Restore those who are penitent; according to your promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for His sake; that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of Your holy Name. Amen*

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 103:8-14 (Pew Bible p. 428)

## **God Speaks To Us Through His Word**

\*Hymn: 235 *“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”*

\*Scripture Reading: John 5:1-29 (Pew Bible p.753)

\*Response to God’s Word: 734, *“Gloria Patri”*

Message: *“The Authority of the Son of God”* David Bonner

\*Hymn: *“In Christ Alone”* (insert)

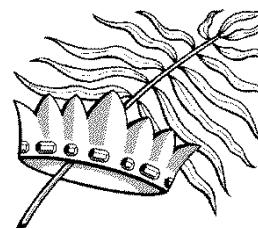
\*Closing Prayer

## **We Receive God’s Blessing**

\*Benediction

\*Closing: 731, *“Doxology”*

\*Please stand



### ***Welcome To Worship***

Welcome to this time of worship. Jesus frequently attracted large crowds, as on that first Palm Sunday. However, when the way got rough, as it neared the cross, the crowds abandoned Him. May your worship increase your faithfulness to Jesus as we celebrate His faithfulness to us.

**If you are visiting with us today, we welcome you and invite you to fill out a visitor’s card found in your pew and place it in the collection plate.**