

# THE LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

THE TWENTIETH DAY OF MARCH, TWO THOUSAND AND SIXTEEN  
*Eight-Thirty and Eleven O'clock*

## THE PRELUDE

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” arr. Burkhardt  
*Jennifer Velázquez, Organist*

## THE CHORAL INTROIT (11:00 a.m.)

“Hosanna” Gregor/Pellett  
*Combined Boys and Girls Choirs*  
*Catherine Meadows, Clarinet Emilee Garrett, Piano*  
*Alicia Bartusch, Harrison Howle, and Beth Rushing, Directors*

## THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 118:1, 22, 23, 29

*The Minister:* “Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!”

*The Congregation:* The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.

*The Minister:* This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

*The Minister and*

*Congregation:* Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!”

*Dr. Murray Garrott*  
*Associate Pastor*

## THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor” No. 235

## THE INVOCATION AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. *Amen.*

## THE GLORIA PATRI

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Glory be to the Father, and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. *Amen, amen.*

☞ *Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad at this time.* ☛

## THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*Debra-Diane Elizabeth Sumner, 8:30 a.m.*

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*John Miller Dallas, 11:00 a.m.*

## THE DUET

“Song of Zechariah” Hopson  
*Grace Anderson, Soprano McCheyne Post, Baritone*

Hear, ye folk of Israel, Soon the Lord appeareth;  
Riding on a donkey's back, King of all is He.

Loud will the streets rebound; What a bright triumphant sound;  
What a joyful dancing day, our salvation comes.

*Sing, O zion's daughter, sing! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem.*  
*Hail the King, behold He cometh; Sing and shout! In Him salvation comes.*

Peace shall come to Israel, Heathen nations crumble;  
Catch the vision Israel, God will keep His word.  
Bells on the horses ring; Voices of the people sing;  
What a joyful dancing day, our salvation comes.

## THE CONFESSION OF SIN

Gracious and loving Father, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name; what our hearts can no longer bear, what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Sin is our greatest evil. My family, my church, my nation, and I myself fare worse because of my sins. But You are my greatest good. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a future filled with hope; and grant us grace to grow more and more into Your likeness and image, through Jesus Christ our light and our life. *Amen.*

## THE ASSURANCE OF PARDON

“But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, He saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to His own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom He poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior, so that being justified by His grace we might become heirs according to the hope of eternal life.” — *Titus 3:4-7*

## THE HYMN OF PRAISE

“May the Mind of Christ My Savior”

Katie B. Wilkinson, 1925

ST. LEONARDS



1. May the mind of Christ my Sav - ior  
2. May the Word of God dwell rich - ly  
3. May the love of Je - sus fill me



live in me from day to day,  
in my heart from hour to hour,  
as the wa - ters fill the sea;



by His love and pow'r con - trol - ling  
so that all may see I tri - umph  
Him ex - alt - ing, self a - bas - ing,



all - I do and say.  
on - ly through His pow'r.  
this is vic - to - ry.

## THE STATEMENT OF FAITH

The Son of God, the second person of the Trinity, is truly the eternal God, of one substance and equal with the Father. In the fulness of time He took on Himself the nature of man, with all the essential qualities and ordinary frailties of man — except that He was sinless. Jesus was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit in the womb of the Virgin Mary out of her substance. These two complete, perfect, and distinct natures, the Godhead and the manhood, were inseparably joined together in the one person of Jesus without being altered, disunited, or mixed together. The person Jesus is truly God and truly man, yet one Christ, the only mediator between God and man. — from *The Westminster Confession of Faith*, Chapter 8

## THE DOXOLOGY

Old Hundredth

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
praise Him, all creatures here below;  
praise Him above, ye heav'nly host:  
praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. *Amen.*

## THE OFFERTORY

“Lift up Your Heads, O Ye Gates” from *Messiah* Handel  
*Harrison Howle, Director*

Lift up your heads, O ye gates, and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors,  
and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory?  
The Lord strong and mighty, the Lord mighty in battle.  
The Lord of hosts, He is the King of glory.

## THE SERMON

Luke 19:28-44 (*pew Bible pages 878-879*)  
THE PATH TO THE CROSS . . . AND BEYOND  
Part 2: “Weeping As Jesus Weeps”  
*The Reverend Mike Malone*  
*Assistant Pastor*

## THE HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!” No. 237  
(Tune: Duke Street)

## THE BENEDICTION

## THE CHORAL RESPONSE

“He Is the King of Glory” Handel

## THE POSTLUDE

“O World, I Must Now Leave Thee” Brahms



## SERMON NOTES

March 20, 2016

Luke 19:28-44

THE PATH TO THE CROSS . . . AND BEYOND

Part 2: "Weeping As Jesus Weeps"

The Reverend Mike Malone

## WELCOME TO IPC

Visitors are special at IPC. Please fill out the Friendship Pad and pass it down the aisle so that we will know you were here. Visitors interested in joining IPC are invited to attend our next *Pathway Class for Prospective Members*. For more information, please contact the Church Office, 901.685.8206.

Our Worship Services are shown via live stream in the Chapel for families with babies/young children, latecomers, and for any other reason you might be more comfortable there. Additionally, a fully-staffed nursery is available during all services.

~Please enjoy your coffee outside of the Sanctuary. Thank you.~

Audio recordings of this morning's sermon are available in the bookstore immediately following the 8:30 worship service, or during the following week on the internet at [www.indepres.org](http://www.indepres.org).

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## THE FLOWERS

*The palms in the Sanctuary are given to the glory of God.*

### OUR CHURCH TODAY | MARCH 20

8:30 a.m.....Worship Service  
8:30 a.m.....K-Church (Kindergarten) and Jr. Church (Grades 1 & 2)  
9:45 a.m.....Sunday School  
11:00 a.m.....Worship Service  
11:00 a.m.....K-Church (Kindergarten) and Jr. Church (Grade 1)  
12:15 p.m.....Palm Sunday Covered Dish Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)  
4:00 p.m.....Adult Choir *Messiah* Rehearsal  
4:00 p.m.....Sr. High Ensemble Rehearsal  
4:30 p.m.....Jr. High Small Groups  
5:00 p.m.....Sr. High Choir Rehearsal  
6:00 p.m.....Sr. High Small Groups

### OUR CHURCH WEDNESDAY | MARCH 23

There will be no Wednesday Night Dinner, Grace Groups or Bible Study on Wednesday, March 23. However, the Adult Choir will rehearse at 7:00 p.m., in preparation for our Easter Morning Worship Services.

### IPC PALM SUNDAY COVERED DISH LUNCHEON

Join us today in the IPC Fellowship Hall immediately following the 11:00 Worship Service for our Palm Sunday Covered Dish luncheon.

### MAUNDY THURSDAY

Join us in the Sanctuary on Thursday, March 24, at 6:00 p.m., for our Maundy Thursday Service and Communion.

### GOOD FRIDAY

The Church Office and Bookstore will be closed on March 25, in observance of Good Friday.

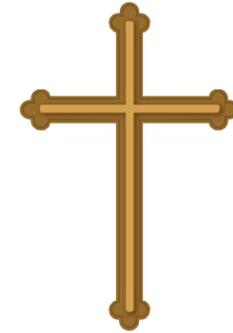
*The IPC Choir and Soloists accompanied by  
members of the Memphis Symphony Orchestra present*

### Handel's *Messiah*, Parts II and III Sunday, April 10 | 6:00 p.m. | IPC Sanctuary

*Messiah* was premiered in Dublin on April 13, 1742, and remains one of the most popular works in Western choral literature. Parts two and three of *Messiah* focus on Christ's passion, resurrection, and victorious kingdom. Join us on Sunday, April 10, and bring your family and friends to hear this worshipful masterpiece.

### THE EDGE SUMMER CONFERENCE

The Edge is for middle school students who have completed 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 7<sup>th</sup> grade at the beginning of the summer. The Edge is a reformed youth conference centered on the gospel at Covenant College. The trip is June 25-29, and the cost is \$325 — our lowest price we've been able to offer! Registration is now open, and last year we filled up fast. For all the information about this trip, please visit our website: [www.indepres.org/ministries/junior-high](http://www.indepres.org/ministries/junior-high).



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