

DODGE CENTER  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

April 13, 2025

Palm/ Passion Sunday

8:15 AM

\*Stand as you are able

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Joys and Concerns

Prayer of Confession, Assurance, and Pardon UMH #893

Processional Gospel-Luke 19:28-40

\*Centering Hymn-UMC #278 (all vs) "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

Call To Worship: Psalm: 31:9-16

L: Have mercy on me, O LORD, for I am in trouble;  
my eye is consumed with sorrow, and also my throat and my belly.

**P: For my life is wasted with grief, and my years with sighing;  
my strength fails me because of affliction, and my bones I are consumed.**

L: I am the scorn of all my enemies, a disgrace to my neighbors, a dismay to my acquaintances: when they see me in the street I they avoid me.

**P: Like the dead I am forgotten, out of mind;  
I am as useless as a broken pot.**

L: For I have heard the whispering of the crowd; fear is all around;  
they put their heads together against me; they plot to I take my life.

**P: But as for me, I have trusted in you, O LORD.  
I have said, "You are my God.**

L: My times are in your hand;  
rescue me from the hand of my enemies, and from those who persecute me.

**P: Let your face shine up on your servant;  
save me in your steadfast love."**

Children's Time

Children are dismissed for Sunday School

Hymn of the Day-UMH #280 (vs. 1,3 &4) "All Glory Laud and Honor"



Prayer of the Day

Everlasting God, in your endless love for the human race you sent our Lord Jesus Christ to take on our nature and to suffer death on the cross. In your mercy enable us to share in his obedience to your will and in the glorious victory of his resurrection, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

The First Passion Reading: Luke 22:54-63-23:5

The Apostles' Creed UMH# 882

Prayers

Respond with: L: God, in your mercy, P: Receive our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

\*Doxology UMH #95 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

The Second Passion Reading: Luke 23:13-35

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Sermon "*From the Glory of Celebratory Entrance to the Shame of Public Trial*" Pastor Chad Christensen

\*Closing Hymn-TFWS #2086 "Open The Eyes of My Heart" (on screen)

\*Benediction

\*Postlude "Above All"



**Welcome to all visitors, please sign our guest book.**

**Announcements and Upcoming Events:**

**Today**-Let's make some noise during our noisy offering! Donations today through April 27<sup>th</sup> go to the Heifer International program. Our goal is to collect \$1,000.00 this year.

**Join us today during our fellowship time for a light breakfast sponsored by WWAP.**

**Tuesday, April 15-5:30 pm** Administrative Council Meeting

**Wednesday, April 16: 2025- Community Meal.** The menu will be meatloaf, mashed potatoes, corn and cupcakes. There is a signup sheet in the back of the church to sign up to donate cupcakes or help that evening. Donations this month will go to Heifer International.

**Friday, April 18**-Good Friday Service-Noon

**Sunday, April 20- 8:15 am Easter Celebration Service.** No Sunday school on Easter

**Confirmation class** will resume after Easter Sunday. The next class will be on April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6 pm.

**Coffee Fellowship** There is a sign-up sheet in the back to bring treats and serve for coffee fellowship. Coffee will be made each Sunday and juice is provided.

**Greeters** are needed! There is a sign-up sheet on the back table or let Janet know if you are interested.

**Thank you to our volunteers today:**

Reader: Kathy Bartz

Counters: Kelly Amunrud and Kathy Bartz

**Volunteers next week:**

Reader: Janet Bugarin

Counters: Kelly Amunrud and Doris Weber

Pastor- Rev. Chad Christensen

Pianist- Janet Bugarin

Secretary- Janet Bugarin

Sound- Colin Lepp

*The offering plate is located on the table at the back of the sanctuary.  
You may place your offering there. Thank you!*

Total donations needed each week- \$1,637.00.

Last Weeks' offering amount: \$3,0740.50



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