

TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

APRIL 14, 2019

PALM/PASSION SUNDAY

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING SENTENCES

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

Psalm 118:26

Hosanna in the highest!

PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you...

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN. *"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"* No. 196

*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Eternal God, whose word silences the shouts of the mighty:

Quiet within us every voice but your own.

Speak to us through the suffering and death of Jesus Christ

that by the power of your Holy Spirit

we may receive grace to show Christ's love

in lives given to your service. Amen.

AT THE NINTH HOUR

"Hosanna"

"Before the Passover"

"In the Garden of Gethsemane"

HYMN

"Ah, Holy Jesus"
(Verses 1, 2, 5)

No. 218

"Surely He Has Borne Our Grievs"



*Called by God
to be the heart, voice, hands and feet of
Christ where the Spirit leads us.*

"Peter's Denial"

"If You Are My Lord"

"Jesus Before Pilate"

"You Love Me"

HYMN *"O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"* No. 221
(Choir vs. 1; Congregation vs. 2 & 3)

***HYMN** *"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"* No. 223

BLESSING AND CHARGE

...Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
Amen.

POSTLUDE *"Come Christians Join to Sing"* Hayes

At the Ninth Hour, A Lent and Easter Musical Journey
Words by Tom S. Long and Music by Allen Pote

The last week of Christ's life on earth is central to the Christian faith. Mark devotes over a third of his gospel to the events that begin with Jesus riding triumphantly into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and ends with his suffering, crucifixion, and resurrection. It is a story that plummets from exuberant celebration to the darkest depths of pain and betrayal, and then soars once again to the transcendent joy of Easter morning. It was the first account to be memorized and communicated by the followers of Jesus, and it remains the foundation of our faith today.

Today's Cantata captures Jesus' last week as specifically revealed in Mark's gospel.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Patrick Dennis, *Pastor*; Sarah Dennis, *Covenant Pastor*;
Mark Cain, *Director of Music Ministries*; Linda Kurtz, *Seminary Intern*;
Sarah Cothorn, *Assistant Director of Music Ministries*;
Eric Johnson and Mary Chris Werner, *Soloists*; Tanner Albertson, *Acolyte*

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CALENDAR

We are pleased to have you worship with us and sincerely hope our service inspires and challenges you. Join us in Duntreath Hall after the service for refreshments and a chance for us to get to know you better. Please sign the Friendship Pads when they are passed in the pews. If you are visiting Tuckahoe for the first time, please see an usher in the narthex to receive a gift.

Welcome to this special worship service for Palm/Passion Sunday. The Chancel Choir will present the Lenten Musical Journey "At the Ninth Hour" by Allen Pote. This beautiful cantata, with narration, follows Jesus' path through the forty days of Lent into Holy Week.

Childcare is provided during the worship hour for children infant through first grade. The Nursery in Room 104 is designed for infants through 23 months. Two and three year olds may be taken to Room 102. Children age 4 through 1st grades may be taken to Room 105 for childcare. Parents are responsible for picking up children from childcare at the conclusion of the service.

Nursery Helpers today are Callie Fabrie and Marielle Pool. The Sound Technician is Jay Guller. The Fellowship hour is hosted by Pat and Terry Brady.

The rose on the organ is in celebration of the birth of Catalina Minor Renick, born on April 9, 2019. Catalina is the first great-grandchild of Bill and Nancy Millsaps.

Pastoral Care Concerns:

Continuing prayers for: Ruth Ann Hoge, Sandy Richardson, and Margaret Louise Yuhas.

We extend our Christian sympathies and prayers for God's comfort to Carol Martin and family for the death of Carol's son, Jeff, who died on April 3, 2019.

This morning, we collect our monthly contributions of non-perishable food items for the local food pantry, Lamb's Basket. Please place your donations in the pull-out bin located in the lower, left side of the cabinets in the Resource Center between the narthex and Duntreath Hall. If you didn't bring your donations today, you may place them in the bin at any time during the month!

Today and again on Easter Day (April 21) you will have the opportunity to contribute to the 2019 *One Great Hour of Sharing*. This special offering supports the Presbyterian Hunger Program, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, and the Self-Development of People program of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). Join with Presbyterians worldwide in sharing God's love with our neighbors in need around the world by providing relief from natural and human-caused disasters, food for the hungry and support for the poor and oppressed. Please note the insert pertaining to this special offering in today's bulletin.

Join us tomorrow night, April 15th, at 6:00 p.m. for *Theology on Tap* and a timely discussion about your faith and how we can be faithful to Jesus' teaching and live in community with all. Come enjoy a beverage of your choice and some great conversation around the table, led by Sarah Dennis at 6:00 pm at

the new location: *Tazza Kitchen Short Pump; 3332 Pump Rd, Henrico, VA 23233.*

The Tuesday morning prayer group meets every week at 9:30 a.m. in the church parlor for a weekly time of prayer. All are welcome! Please contact Sarah Dennis with questions (sdennis@tuckahoeepres.org).

This week our meal will be served at 6:00 p.m. on Maundy Thursday, April 18th. Come enjoy a meal of quiche, salad, croissants and dessert before the Maundy Thursday service. **The Maundy Thursday Worship Service, with communion, will take place at 6:45 p.m. in Duntreath Hall.** Please sign up for dinner on the friendship pad this morning or on the event block on the home page of our web site: www.tuckahoeepres.org.

There will be a Good Friday Service on Friday, April 19th at 3 PM in the Memorial Garden. In the case of rain, the service will be held in Wilson Hall.

There are two worship services on Easter Day, April 21. Join us on the Park Avenue Lawn at 6:45 a.m. for an Easter Dawn Service and at 11:00 a.m. in the sanctuary for our traditional Easter Celebration of the Resurrection.

Again this year, Tuckahoe will celebrate the *flowering of the cross* on Easter morning. You are invited to bring fresh blooms from your gardens to help fill the cross with emblems of "new life". In spite of its function as a brutal form of execution, the cross stands at the center of our faith as a symbol of life. There can be no Easter without Good Friday, no Resurrection without the Crucifixion. Indeed, the cross, rather than the empty tomb, has held the place of honor as the primary symbol of the Christian faith. A modern expression of this idea may be found in the custom of *flowering the cross*.

Immediately following worship next Sunday there will be an Easter Egg Hunt on the church lawn for toddlers through 4 years old and 5 years old through 5th grade. We will gather in front of Wilson Hall where groups will be separated and given instructions by Sarah Dennis.

There will be no children's or youth Sunday School on Easter morning. Children that are singing for the Easter service will need to please arrive in the sanctuary at 10:40 AM Easter Day to practice.

Mark your calendars! The Youth will be leading worship on May 5th, and Children will be leading worship on May 19th!

The Church Office will be closed on Easter Monday, April 22.

Linda Kurtz's last day with us will be Sunday, April 28. She has been a blessing to our congregation and we will miss her! Following worship that day we will have a special reception in her honor and we invite you to bring tokens of appreciation at that time if you so desire.

Mark your calendars for Camp Hanover Fun Day, April 28! If you have never been to Camp Hanover (our Presbytery's camp) before, you should mark Sunday, April 22nd on your calendar and make a point to attend Camp Hanover's Camp Fun Day. Bring the whole family (and friends!) to this free event and sample some campfire cooking, enjoy a hayride, get your face painted, take a walk in the woods, and play some classic camp games. The free event takes place from 2pm to 5pm, rain or shine. For more information visit www.CampHanover.org or call (804) 779-2811.

THIS WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Sunday, April 14 PALM SUNDAY

9:30 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship

After Worship Fellowship Time - Duntreath Hall

12:30 PM Christian Formation Committee - Workroom

5:30 PM Youth Group

Monday, April 15 *Office hours: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*

12:00 PM Men's Bible Study - Room 108

6:00 PM Theology on Tap - Tazza Kitchen Short Pump

Tuesday, April 16 *Office hours: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*

9:30 AM Morning Prayer - Church Parlor

Wednesday, April 17 *Office hours: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*

9:30 AM Staff Meeting - Workroom

10:30 AM Meals on Wheels

7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Room 210

Thursday, April 18 *Office hours: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*

MAUNDY THURSDAY

6:00 PM Maundy Thursday Meal - Duntreath Hall

6:45 PM Maundy Thursday Worship & Communion

Friday, April 19 *Office hours: 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.*

10:30 AM Meals on Wheels

3:00 PM Good Friday Service in the Memorial Garden

Saturday, April 20

Sunday, April 21 EASTER DAY

6:45 AM Easter Dawn Service on Park Avenue Lawn

9:30 AM Sunday School (Adults only)

11:00 AM Worship and Flowering the Cross

After Worship Egg Hunts on the Lawn



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HOLY WEEK AT TUCKAHOE

Maundy Thursday, April 18	6:00 p.m.	Dinner in Duntreath Hall
	6:45 p.m.	Service with Communion
Good Friday, April 19	3:00 p.m.	Service in the Garden
Easter Day, April 21	6:45 a.m.	Easter Dawn Service on the Lawn
	11:00 a.m.	Service in Sanctuary
	After Worship	Egg Hunts on the Lawn

LECTIONARY TEXTS FOR NEXT SUNDAY; EASTER DAY:

Acts 10:34-43; or alternate Isaiah 65:17-25
Psalm 118:1-2, 14-24; 1 Corinthians 15:19-26; or
alternate Acts 10:34-43
John 20:1-18; or alternate Luke 24:1-12