



Palm Sunday | April 2, 2023

Worship Theme:

Hosanna! Blessed is He Who Comes in the Name of the Lord!

Call to Worship

Psalm 118:26-29

Blessed is He Who comes in the Name of the Lord! We bless you from the house of the Lord. The Lord is God, and He has made His light to shine upon us. Bind the festal sacrifice with cords, up to the horns of the altar! You are my God, and I will give thanks to You; You are my God; I will extol You. Oh give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever!

Invocation

10,000 REASONS (BLESS THE LORD)

Confession of Faith

Triumphant Lord, we rejoice over Your entrance into this world and into our lives! Joining with the crowds, we outwardly sing Your praises and exalt Your reign. But inwardly, our hearts are far from true worship, and our minds are distant from true understanding. We are disappointed with Your humility. We are uninspired by Your selflessness. Our sin leads us to shout for Your death, even though You offer us life. Our treachery guides us to seek after war, even though You have called us to peace. Help us to reflect in our lives, the glory of our Everlasting King, and to live faithfully here and now. Have mercy on us, Savior of all, find us in these forsaken places. Forgive what we have done and who we have been. Restore in our hearts a new song of grateful joy and celebration. In the mighty Name of King Jesus we pray. Amen.

Assurance of God's Pardoning Grace

Psalm 86:5

For You, O Lord, are good and forgiving, abounding in steadfast love to all who call upon You.

HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD
HOW HE LOVES

Prayers of the People

BETRAYAL: The Crowd

Matthew 21:8-11 | Rich Hawkins, Senior Pastor

Lord's Supper

HOSANNA

Benediction

Tithes & Offerings collected in Offering Box - Sanctuary Entrance to Foyer

CONNECTION CARD

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

I heard about Christ Presbyterian Church through: _____

How may we serve you?

- Please add me to the Weekly Church Email List
- I would like a Pastor to call me

Maundy Thursday Service will be on Thursday, April 6, at 6:30 PM; and Easter Sunday Services will be on Sunday, April 9, 2023.

Easter Egg Hunt – Easter is almost here! We have our annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 8, from 10 AM – 12 PM (Noon) and we need candy for the eggs! There will be a box in the Church Foyer near to the Children's Ministry Table for candy donations until this morning. The Easter Egg Hunt will include activities and games for children ages up to 4 years and K-5th Grades.

Deacons' Fund Offering for the Mercy Ministries of the Church will be collected on Sunday, April 9, during the Worship Services. Deacons' Fund Offering is collected every second Sunday of each month during Worship.

CPC Kids' Choir Mini-Concert will be held on Easter Sunday, April 9, between services from 10:15-10:45 AM. More information to come.

CPC Kids' Choir Musical "A Not So Terrible Parable" will be performed on Sunday evening, May 7. More information to come.

Prayer Team – If you would like to be a member of the Prayer Team, please email: office@cpcrichmond.org.

Cards of Encouragement may be found in the Church Foyer.

Volunteer Opportunity – Richmond Community Schools (RCS) are in need of adult volunteers at various locations throughout the district. If you are available and willing to serve for even an hour or two throughout the week, please contact Nicole Stults for more information.

2023 FINANCIAL STATISTICS: Jan. – Mar. 26, 2023 YTD

Budgeted Giving: \$140,201.00

Actual Giving: \$124,699.94



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A Note to our Visitors

April 2, 2023

We are so glad you chose to worship with us! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact the Church Office. To learn more about CPC, please fill out this Connection Card, tear it off and drop it in the Offering Box or return it to the Visitors Center in the Foyer.

Prayer Request: _____

- Please include in Weekly Prayer List (shared with congregation)