Charles Town Presbyterian Church

 Sunday, April 5, 2020 10:30am

Welcome and Call to Worship

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Song *“Hosanna”*  LUYH No. 145

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be exalted, oh Lord, my God! Hosanna in the highest!

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Scripture reading Matthew 21:1-11

Children’s Moment

Song *“Come and See”*  LUYH No. 147

Come and see, come and see, come and see the King of love,

See the purple robe and crown of thorns he wears.

Soldiers mock, rulers sneer, as he lifts the cruel cross,

Lone and friendless now, he climbs towards the hills.

We worship at your feet, where wrath and mercy meet,

And a guilty world is washed by love’s pure stream.

For us he was made sin, oh, help me take it in.

Deep wounds of love cry out “Father forgive.”

I worship, I worship the Lamb who was slain.

Scripture Reading Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Message

Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer

**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, forever. Amen.

Presentation of Our Gifts and Offerings

Prayer of Confession Prayer of Confession (in unison)

Triumphant God, we join the crowd today, cheering your entry into our lives.
But how quickly we turn from shouts of joy to taunts of hatred.
Instead of greeting you when the going gets tough, we choose to greet you only when it is convenient for us. In the moments when tough choices have to be made, we build walls to keep people out instead of bigger tables to invite more guests.
We, the builders of these walls, have rejected you, the chief cornerstone.
Give us courage to build tables instead of walls. Give us strength to accept your call upon our lives. Give us righteousness that we might know the difference
between what is easy and what is right.  Amen.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon…

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel,

 **In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

Song *“Come and See”*  LUYH No. 147

Come and weep, come and mourn for your sin that pierced him there

So much deeper than the wounds of thorn and nail.

All our pride, all our greed, all our fallenness and shame,

And the Lord has laid the punishment on him.

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And a guilty world is washed by love’s pure stream.

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Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

 Prayer of Thanksgiving

 The Lord be with you…

 Distribution of the Elements

Song *“Come and See”*  LUYH No. 147

Man of heav’n, born to earth to restore us to your heav’n,

Here we bow in awe beneath your searching eyes.

From your tears comes our joy. From you death our life shall spring.

By your resurrection power we shall rise.

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Benediction

**Online Giving.** For several months we have made available online giving as a tool to help people bring their offering before God. This past week, we set up our online giving through the Presbyterian Foundation. The exciting part about working with the foundation is that they have mobile app connected to our account. The app is called Give Plus and you can find it at the Google Play Store or Apple app store by searching for “Give Plus.” The great part about the Give Plus app is that you can set up for weekly, monthly or one time giving! If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

 

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