



Blessed

IS THE ONE
WHO COMES
IN THE NAME
OF THE LORD.
—*Matthew 21:9*

April 13, 2014

PALM SUNDAY

Liberty Pole UMC Worship Service-Sunday, 9:00 A.M. Viroqua UMC Worship Service-Sunday, 10:30 A.M.

Please turn off all cell phones. Thank you.

***Please stand if you are able.*

PRELUDE “HOSANNA! HE COMES” BY DOMENICO GABRIELI (V)
(A time to prepare for worship through prayer and meditation.)

WELCOMING WORDS
(Please sign the attendance sheets.)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

****HYMN OF PRAISE “HOSANNA”** UMH No. 278
****CALL TO WORSHIP PSALM 51, RSP. 2** UMH No. 785
****OPENING PRAYER (READ IN UNISON)**

Out of our hearts Lord Jesus, you draw near us in garb of human flesh, and earthly form, to cheer us, to kindle faith afresh. Your body for us broken on the accursed tree becomes a sacred token of glory yet to be. Enfold us, precious Savior, within your loving heart. Assure us of your favor that we may never part. O Word-made-flesh forever Your name shall be adored. Oh, let us cherish ever the heart of Christ, out Lord. *Amen*.

CHILDREN’S TIME
(CHILDREN LEAVE FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL)

CHOIR SINGS (SENIOR & YOUTH) HOSANNA

JOYS AND CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER, LORD’S PRAYER UMH No. 895
L: Lord, in your mercy,
P: HEAR OUR PRAYER.

OLD TESTAMENT READING JEREMIAH 3:12-18 PEW BIBLE NO. 891

NEW TESTAMENT READING HEBREWS 8:8-12 PEW BIBLE NO. 1469

****HYMN “TELL ME THE STORIES”** UMH No. 277

****GOSPEL JOHN 11:17-44** PEW BIBLE NO. 1298
L: THIS IS THE WORD OF GOD FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD.
P: THANKS BE TO GOD.

SERMON “THE HEART OF CHRIST”

SERMON RESPONSE:

L: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

P: LORD, LOOK WITH MERCY ON MY HEART; THERE LET YOUR WILL BE SEEN.

L: Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

P: LORD, LET ME NEVER FROM YOU DEPART BUT BE RESTORED, MADE CLEAN.

L: You desire truth in the inward being; therefore you teach me wisdom in my secret heart.

P: LORD, LOOK WITH MERCY ON MY HEART; THERE LET YOUR WILL BE SEEN.

L: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and sustain in me a willing spirit.

P: LORD, LET ME NEVER FROM YOU DEPART BUT BE RESTORED, MADE CLEAN. LORD, LOOK WITH MERCY ON MY HEART; THERE LET YOUR WILL BE SEEN.

L: With my whole heart I seek you; let me not wander from your commandments.

P: LORD, LET ME NEVER FROM YOU DEPART BUT BE RESTORED, MADE CLEAN.

OFFERING “TAKE THOU MY HANDS AND LEAD ME” BY A. BECK (V)

****DOXOLOGY**

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

****OFFERTORY PRAYER**

****CLOSING HYMN “NEAR TO THE HEART OF GOD”** UMH No. 472

***BENEDICTION**

Go forth from here; take up your cross. Follow Christ in faith, knowing that He promised His presence to all who faithfully follow in His footsteps. *Amen*

****BENEDICTION RESPONSE “LEAD ME, LORD”** UMH No. 473

****POSTLUDE “TRIUMPHAL ENTRY INTO JERUSALEM”** BY JAMES MANSFIELD (V)

The WVRQ Radio Broadcast - In memory of Helen Hornby; sponsored by her family.

Viroqua UMC Bulletin - In memory of Helen Hornby and Lynn Amundson; sponsored by Janet Schipper.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

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| April 13th, Sunday - | <p>Palm Sunday Procession with Palms @ V & LP Special Music with Children 10:30 a.m. - Choir Sings @ V</p> |
| April 14th, Monday | 4:30 p.m. - Drum Practice with Steven or Jordan @ V |
| April 16th, Wednesday | 4:00 p.m. - Confirmation 6:00 p.m. - Choir Practice @ V |
| April 17th, Thursday | <p>Maundy Thursday 1:15 p.m. - Prayer Meeting @ V 3:00 p.m. - Setup for Maundy Meal 6:00 p.m. - Maundy Thursday Reenactment @ V 8:00 p.m. - Prayer Vigil @ V Chapel</p> |
| April 18th, Friday | <p>Good Friday 1:00 p.m. - Viroqua Ecumenical Service @ V</p> |
| April 19th, Saturday | 9:00 a.m. - Setup Tables for Easter Breakfast @ V |
| April 20th, Sunday | <p>Easter Sunday 7:00 a.m. - Sunrise Service @ V 8:00 a.m. - Breakfast @ V 9:00 a.m. - Regular Main Service @ LP 10:30 a.m. - Regular Main Service @ V 10:30 a.m. - Choir Sings @ V</p> |

Viroqua UMC offers two adult Bible Study classes from 9:00-10:00 a.m., every Sunday morning.

| | <u>LIBERTY POLE UMC</u> | <u>VIROQUA UMC</u> |
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| USHERS | Shana & Allison Hardy | Paul & Sonja Bjerkos |
| GREETERS | Shana & Allison Hardy | David Peterson |
| LITURGIST | Deb Deaver | Layne Hanson |
| LAST SUNDAY'S ATTENDANCE | 57 | 83 |
| LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERING | \$1,069.00 | \$2,881.67 |

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