

April 13, 2025

10:00 A.M.

\*Hymn of Reflection

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

No. 278

## **Order for Our Worship of God**

(\*those who are able are invited to stand)

Welcome

Prelude

“Triumphal Entry”

Raney

Call to Worship

We gather today in hope and knowledge.

**We come to worship the one true King!**

We gather today singing your praises.

**We come to worship the King of Kings!**

We wave our palms and shout your name.

**We come to live our lives with you!**

Be with us, O God.

**You are the Prince of Peace, and you bring good news to all the world.**

**Amen.**

Opening Prayer

**Hosanna! Jesus, we celebrate with you! You enter Jerusalem and you enter our hearts as the humble king. We celebrate with you! May this joy sustain us in the days ahead. Amen.**

\*Opening Hymn

“Hosanna! Hosanna!”

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Passing the Peace

Prayer for Illumination

**Guide us, O God, by your Word and Holy Spirit, that in your light we may see light, in your truth find freedom, and in your will discover peace; through Christ our Lord, Amen.**

Scripture Reading

Luke 19:28–40

Children’s Time

Special Music

“Rejoice! Rejoice!”

Curry

Sermon

“Staying Power”

Rev. JongIn Lee

Prayer Time

The Giving of Our Offering

Offertory

“Triumphal March”

Rameau

\*Presentation

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

No. 95

\*Prayer of Dedication

**Hosanna, Lord! With joy, we give you these gifts today. May they help to sustain the work we do in your name in times of joy and in times of sorrow and in all that is in between. It is in your name we pray. Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor” (vs. 1, 3, 4)

No. 280

\*Blessing

Postlude

“Thine Is the Glory”

Handel

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**WE WELCOME ALL** to this service of worship including newcomers and visitors among us.

**PARTICIPATING IN OUR SERVICE** ~ Leading us in worship this morning are Rev. JongIn Lee, Pastor; Dr. Russell Wagoner, Director of Music/Organist; and Joan Pandorf, Liturgist. We appreciate them sharing their gifts with us as we gather to worship and praise God today!

**LENTEN BIBLE STUDY** ~ Our final Bible Study for Lent will meet this Wednesday, April 16, at 1:00 p.m. to discuss the last chapter of *Give Up Something Bad for Lent*. All are welcome to join in the discussion!

**MAUNDY THURSDAY** ~ Our service for Maundy Thursday will be this Thursday, April 17, at 7:00 p.m. in the sanctuary.

**APRIL BOOK CLUB** ~ The Book Club will meet on Thursday, April 16, to discuss the historical fiction novel *The Book of Lost Friends* by Lisa Wingate. All who have read the book are welcome to join in the discussion beginning at 10:30 a.m. on this Thursday in the Ungemah Room.

**GARDEN NEWS ~ GARDEN WORK DAY** is *Saturday, April 26, beginning at 9:30 a.m.* If you can give an hour or two on that Saturday morning, we would appreciate it! Please remember to bring your garden work gloves. Any questions, contact Diane (201-406-4668). Donations to the Garden Fund to help purchase plants and supplies for the 2025 growing season are also greatly appreciated. Donations can be made online to the designated Garden Fund or by placing a donation in the offering plate marked for the “Garden.” Donation envelopes are available in Christian Passageway on the table at the garden door as well as in the narthex.

**SPRING RUMMAGE SALE** ~ Be sure to save the dates for our Spring Rummage Sale on **Friday, May 2** (9am–6pm), and **Saturday May 3** (9am–2pm). This is a great time to start your spring cleaning and donate your clean, gently used items to the sale. Drop off donations Monday, 4/28–Wednesday, 4/30 (9am–3pm). We cannot accept large furniture, electronics, computers, books, or picture frames. Your help to make this event successful is greatly appreciated. Any questions, please contact Pat Meyers at (201)723-5128.

**OLD STONE MUSIC & COFFEE HOUSE** ~ Join us on **Friday, May 2**, when Mountains Apart will perform (with John Moroski, Amanda Leigh, and others). It will be a great show! As always, doors open at 7:30 with music 8–10 pm. A \$10 cover charge includes entry and unlimited coffee, tea, a cold drink and some yummy baked goodies. BYOBOW is allowed.

**BLESSED BARGAINS THRIFT SHOP** ~ Sign-up sheet for volunteers is posted in the sorting room. Please stop by and sign up to help. There is always something that that needs to be done as new items are arriving regularly! Please share posts and stop by with friends to support our beautiful shop!! Any questions, please contact Barbara, Joan, or Diane.

**PASTOR:** *Rev. JongIn Lee*

**LAY LEADER:** *Dave Murray*

**DIRECTOR OF MUSIC/ORGANIST:** *Dr. Russell Wagoner*

**CHURCH SECRETARY:** *Donna E. Mulder*

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