

GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

9:30 AM Worship
10:30 Coffee Hour
10:45 Adult Bible Study

March 24, 2024
Palm Sunday

PROCESSION OF THE PALMS:

All the children, and anyone who feels young at heart, are invited to participate in the Procession of the Palms today. We will meet in the Fireside Room prior to the service.

PRELUDE

WELCOME VIDEO	“Hosanna in the Highest”	
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		Pastor Jill Meents
RINGING OF THE BELL		
GATHERING WITH JOY MUSIC	“At the Cross”	by Casting Crowns
SCRIPTURE READING	Luke 19:28-39 (NRSV)	
YOUTH DRAMA	Passion Play for Palm Sunday	<i>See insert for cast members</i>
	“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” #278	
	Children’s Message: Kari Schaefer	
	Intercessory Prayer/Silent Prayer/Lord’s Prayer	
	“In the Garden” (vs. 1) #314	
	People’s Responses on the Screens	
	Video: “At the Cross”	
	“Were you There?” (vs. 1,2,5) #288	

A video of the service will be available on Facebook and Grace Church website by 4 p.m. each Sunday, and on Paynesville cable station channel 8 on Fridays at 2 & 7 p.m.

PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY’S SERVICE:

Audio/Visual: David Herzberg
Pianist: Faye Paster
Ushers: Leta Stafford, Deb Bengtson
Greeters: Jim O’Fallon, Marge Hartmann
Counters: Jim Elseth, Betty Freilinger
Worship Enhancement: Gretchen O’Fallon, Betty Freilinger
Banners: Sue Arend

Pastor: Rev. Jill Meents
Director of Youth Ministries: Kari Schaefer
Office Coordinator: Jane Hartman
Custodians: Gary & Marilyn Herzberg

JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR immediately following the service! Thank you to our servers and all those that donated the delicious treats!

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:



Maundy Thursday, March 28th

The Upper Room Experience from 4 – 6 p.m.
Come anytime during these hours to receive Holy Communion

Good Friday, March 29th

7:00 p.m. Good Friday Tenebrae Service of Darkness

Easter Sunday – March 31st

6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Salem Church
9:30 a.m. Easter Worship Service
No Adult Bible Study
10:30 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt
10:30 a.m. Coffee Hour

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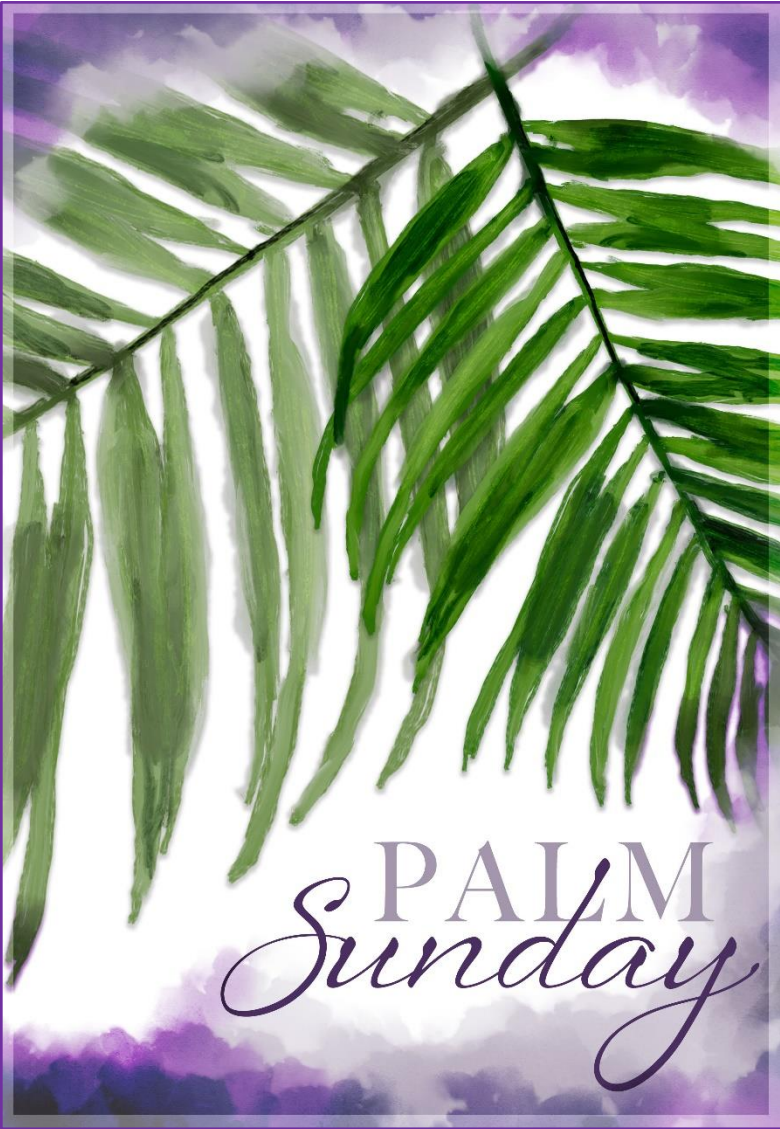
Received: \$19,983.32 Budget: \$22,316.00 Shortfall: \$ 2,332.68

UPCOMING WEEK:

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| <u>Tuesday</u> | <u>March 26</u> |
| 9 am – 3 pm | WIC |
| 5:30 p.m. | Leadership Team Meeting |
| <u>Wednesday</u> | <u>March 27</u> |
| 3:15 p.m. | Grace Kids |
| 5:30 p.m. | Meal for all |
| 6:30 p.m. | Grace Youth |
| <u>Thursday</u> | <u>March 28</u> |
| 4 - 6 pm | Maundy Thursday Service |
| <u>Friday</u> | <u>March 29</u> |
| 7:00 pm | Good Friday Tenebrae Service |
| <u>Sunday</u> | <u>March 31 – Easter Sunday</u> |
| 6:30 am | Sunrise Service at Salem Church |
| 9:30 am | Worship |
| 10:30 am | Coffee Hour |
| 10:30 am | Easter Egg Hunt |

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Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8 am – 3 pm

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“It’s Amazing”



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