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*The Vision of First Presbyterian Church of Chattanooga
is to be a city-center church
compelled by Christ's love
to make disciples in our homes, city, and the world.*

Worship Service | March 28, 2021

9:00 AM

PALM SUNDAY

PREPARING HEARTS AND MINDS FOR WORSHIP

THE PRAISE OF GOD'S PEOPLE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 24:7-10

Reader: Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in.

People: Who is this King of glory? The LORD strong and mighty, the LORD mighty in battle.

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People: Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, He is the King of glory.

HYMNS OF PRAISE

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”

“Great Are You Lord”

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AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Westminster Confession of Faith, Chapter 8, Section 1*

It pleased God, in His eternal purpose, to choose and ordain the Lord Jesus, His only begotten Son, to be the Mediator between God and man, the Prophet, Priest, and King, the Head and Savior of His church, the Heir of all things, and Judge of the world: unto whom He did from all eternity give a people, to be His seed, and to be by Him in time redeemed, called, justified, sanctified, and glorified.

CONFESSION OF SIN

**O King of Glory,
we confess that our praise of Your majesty has often been faint,
our performance as citizens of Your kingdom treasonous.
For we have surrendered to the enemy
by our secret and our known sins.
For our treason You died, Lord Jesus.
For our restoration, You rose again.
Draw us closer to You in this holy week,
that our eyes may catch the vision of Your tears,
and our hearts, the wonder of Your grace.
By the Holy Spirit's continuing discipline,
let us be loyal and loving servants of the King.
Praise be to You, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

HYMN OF ASSURANCE

“Living Hope”

PRAYER FOR CHRIST'S PEOPLE

GREETING & CHILDREN'S DISMISSAL

**Parents, please walk your children to Children's Church and pick them up immediately following the worship service.*

THE WORD FOR GOD'S PEOPLE

SERMON

*“Behold Your King”
Luke 19:28–44
Dr. Tim Kirk*

HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Who You Say I Am”

THE SENDING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

BENEDICTION

Psalm 24:7, 10

Leader: Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be ye lift up, ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in.

Who is this King of glory? The LORD of hosts, He is the King of glory.

All: Thanks be to God! Amen!

The flowers on display in the Sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin O. Moore and Alvin O. Moore Jr. by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore.

Flowers from today's display will be arranged by the flower committee and delivered by volunteers to our homebound and hospitalized on Monday, March 29th.

All Glory, Laud, And Honor

Verse 1

All glory, laud, and honor
to thee, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring!
Thou art the King of Israel,
thou David's royal Son,
who in the Lord's name comest,
the King and blessed One

Verse 2

The people of the Hebrews
with palms before thee went;
our praise and prayer and anthems
before thee we present:
to thee, before thy passion,
they sang their hymns of praise;
to thee, now high exalted,
our melody we raise.

Verse 3

Thou didst accept their praises;
accept the prayers we bring,
who in all good delightest,
thou good and gracious King!
All glory, laud, and honor
to thee, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring!

Great Are You Lord

Verse 1

You give life You are love
You bring light to the darkness
You give hope You restore
Ev'ry heart that is broken
Great are You Lord

Chorus

It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise
It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

Bridge

And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry these bones will sing
Great are You Lord

Living Hope

Verse 1

How great the chasm that lay between us
How high the mountain I could not climb
In desperation I turned to heaven
And spoke Your name into the night
Then through the darkness
Your loving-kindness
Tore through the shadows of my soul
The work is finished; the end is written
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Verse 2

Who could imagine so great a mercy?
What heart could fathom such boundless grace?
The God of ages stepped down from glory
To wear my sin and bear my shame
The cross has spoken; I am forgiven
The King of kings calls me His own
Beautiful Savior, I'm Yours forever
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Chorus

Hallelujah! Praise the One who set me free
Hallelujah! Death has lost its grip on me
You have broken every chain
There's salvation in Your name
Jesus Christ, my living hope

Verse 3

Then came the morning that sealed the promise
Your buried body began to breathe
Out of the silence the Roaring Lion
Declared the grave has no claim on me
Jesus, Yours is the victory, whoa!

(Ending)

Jesus Christ, my living hope
O God, You are my living hope

Who You Say I Am

Verse 1

Who am I that the highest King
Would welcome me
I was lost but He brought me in
Oh, His love for me
Oh, His love for me

Chorus

Who the Son sets free
Oh, is free indeed
I'm a child of God
Yes, I am

Verse 2

Free at last
He has ransomed me
His grace runs deep
While I was a slave to sin
Jesus died for me
Yes, He died for me

Chorus 2

In my Father's house
There's a place for me
I'm a child of God
Yes, I am

(Bridge)

I am chosen, not forsaken
I am who You say I am
You are for me, not against me
I am who You say I am