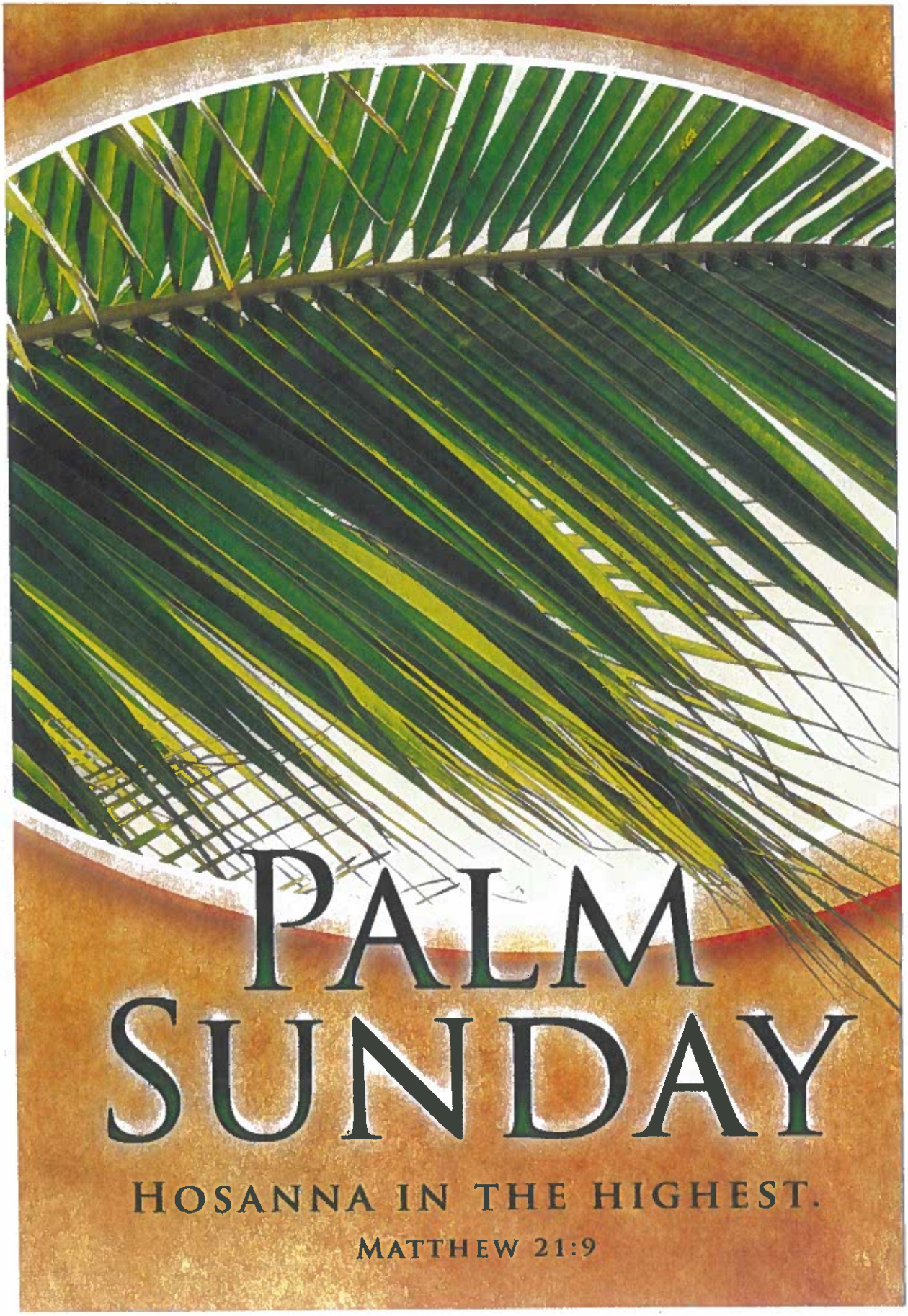
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HOSANNA IN THE HIGHEST.
MATTHEW 21:9

PALM SUNDAY

March 29, 2026 — 11:00 am - Main St.

GATHERING

Prayer Request Cards *(blue) are inside the Pew Card Holder. The ushers will collect the request cards before the Prelude. The* ***bold print*** *invites the people to read aloud and/or sing. An asterisk* ******* *invites the people to stand. Please sign the register in the pew pads.*

GREETING AND WELCOME — Rev. Derek Campbell

The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. *2 Thess. 3:18*

And also with you.

PRELUDE — Hosanna, Loud Hosanna — arr. by M. Burkhardt

Caleb Drayer, Trumpet

CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 118 — Pam Snyder, Lector

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good. His love endures forever

Let those who fear the Lord say, his love endures forever.

The Lord is my strength and my song. He has become my salvation.

Shouts of joy and victory resound in the tents of the righteous. I will not die but live, and proclaim what the Lord has done!

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

The Lord is God and he has made his light to shine upon us. With boughs in hand, let us join in the festal procession up to the horns of the altar.

You are my God, and I will praise you. You are my God, and I will exalt you.

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good. His love endures forever.

***PROCESSIONAL HYMNS** — **197** **Hosanna, Loud Hosanna**

196 **All Glory, Laud and Honor**

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Gracious God, our sins are too heavy to carry, too real to hide, and too deep to undo. Forgive what our lips tremble to name, what our hearts can no longer bear, and what has become for us a consuming fire of judgment. Set us free from a past that we cannot change; open to us a

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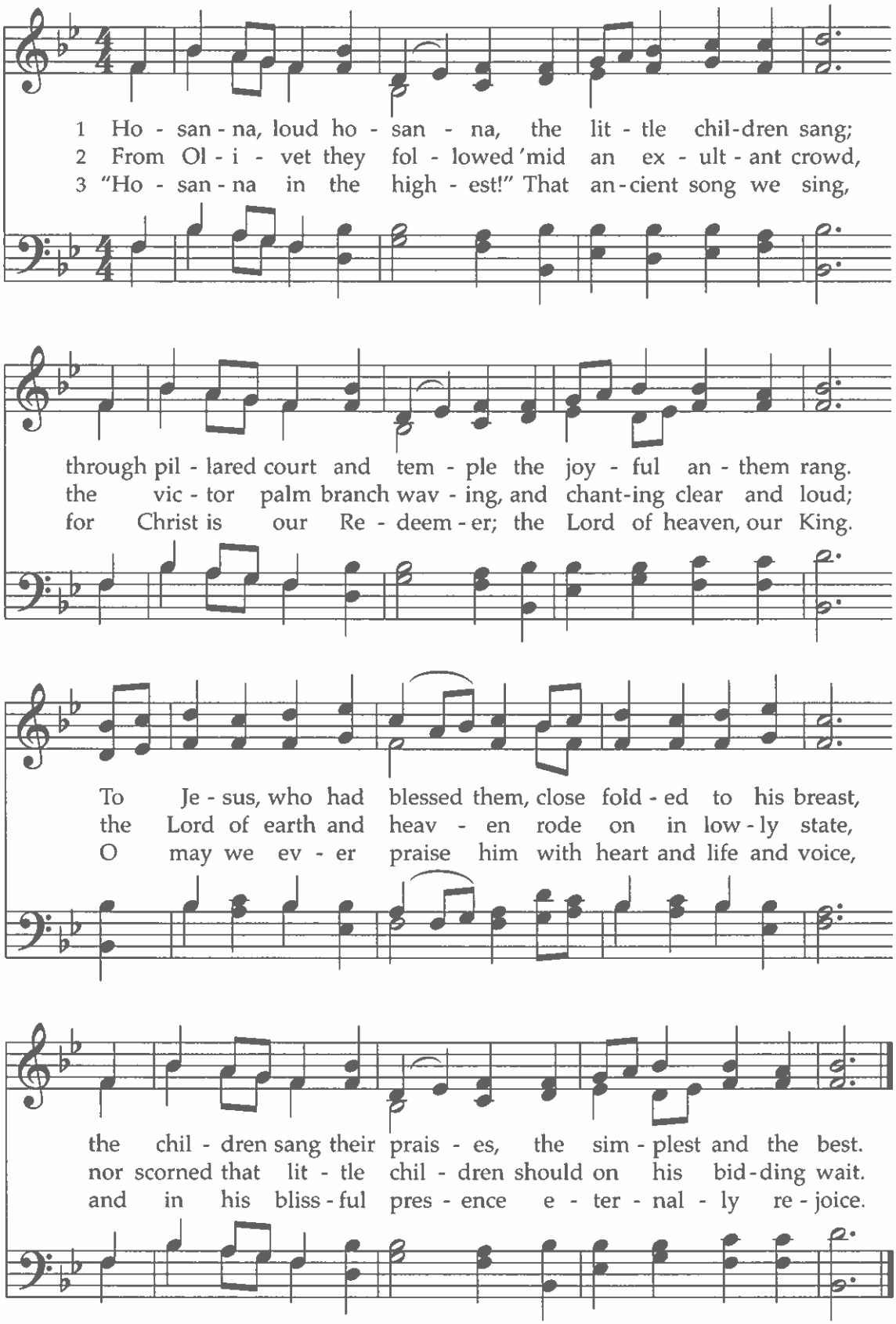
The opening two stanzas narrate the first Palm Sunday in the past tense, but the third stanza shifts to the present tense to emphasize what current singers do and believe. The repeated elements in this anonymous German tune suggest the repetitive patterns in a crowd's chant.

TEXT: Jennette Threlfall, 1873, alt.
MUSIC: *Gesangbuch der Herzogl. Wirtembergischen Katholischen Hofkapelle*, 1784; alt.

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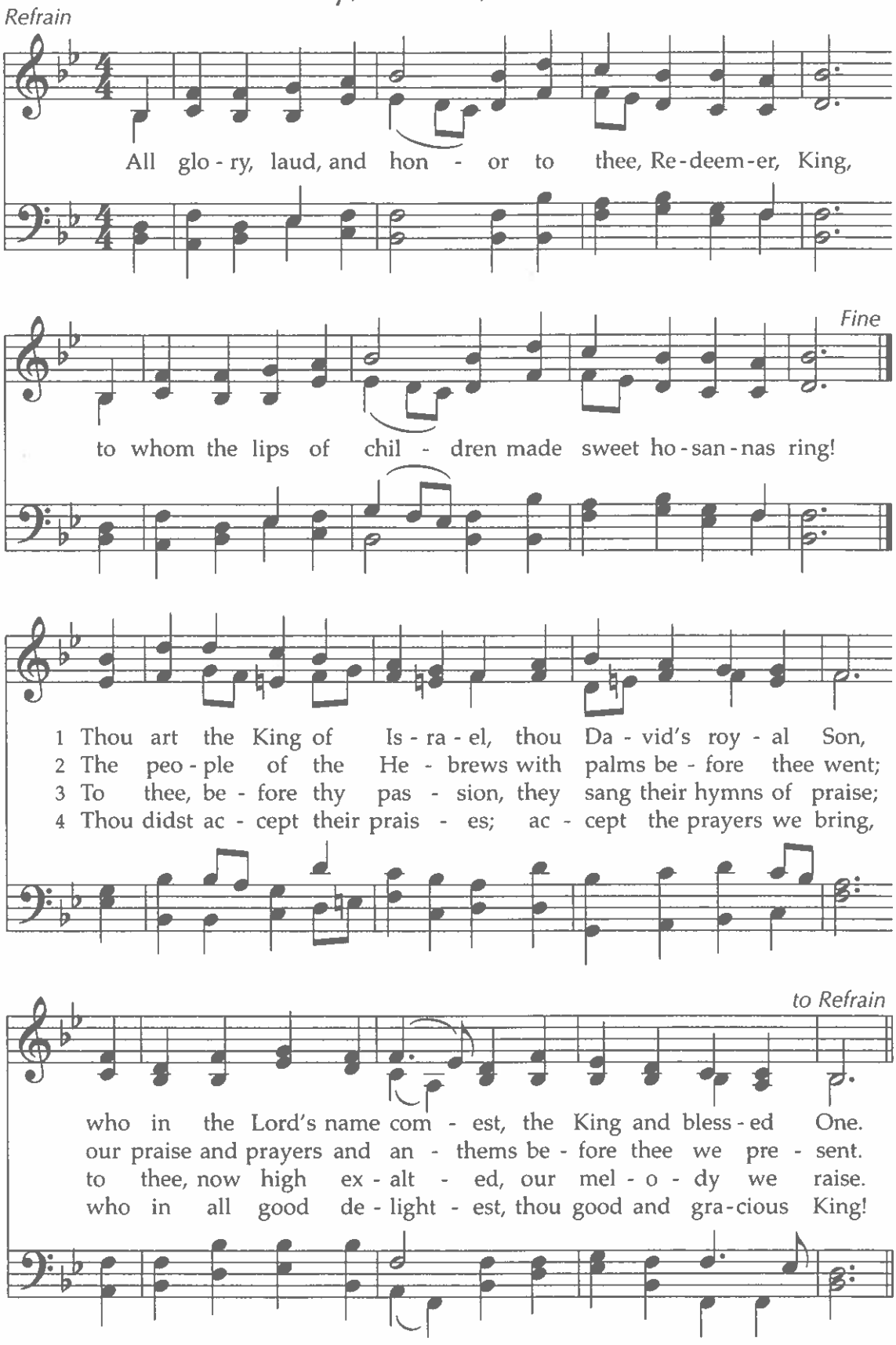
These stanzas for Palm Sunday have been selected and translated from a much longer Latin poem written by a bishop who was the leading theologian in Charlemagne's court. They are sung to a 17th-century German chorale, as adapted for these words in the mid-19th century.

TEXT: Theodulph of Orleans, c. 820; trans. John Mason Neale, 1851, alt.
MUSIC: Melchior Teschner, 1614; arr. William Henry Monk, 1861

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future in which we can be changed; and grant us grace to grow more and more in your likeness and image; through Jesus Christ, the light of the world.

*Assurance of Pardon

***Glory to the Father – Hymnal 581**

*The Peace

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.
*(Greet one another with the words, "**Peace be with you.**")*

Anthem — Into Jerusalem — A. Steven Taranto
Children's Choir

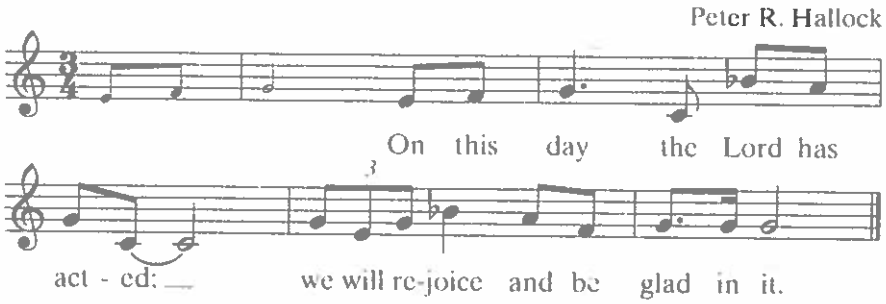
Children's Time

WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament — Zechariah 9:9-12 — Lector
The Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm — Psalm 118:1-4, 22-29 — Lector



Gospel Reading — Luke 19:28-40
The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

NEW TESTAMENT READING Philippians 2:5-11

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON Rev. Derek Campbell

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

***HYMN 263 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name**

***APOSTLES' CREED** *(Traditional-page 35 before Hymn #1)*

I believe in God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty, from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

.....and so with the confidence of the children of God, let us pray.

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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERTORY Blessed Is He Who Comes Lloyd Larson

Chancel Choir, Kids' Club Choir and Caleb Drayer, Trumpet

263 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!

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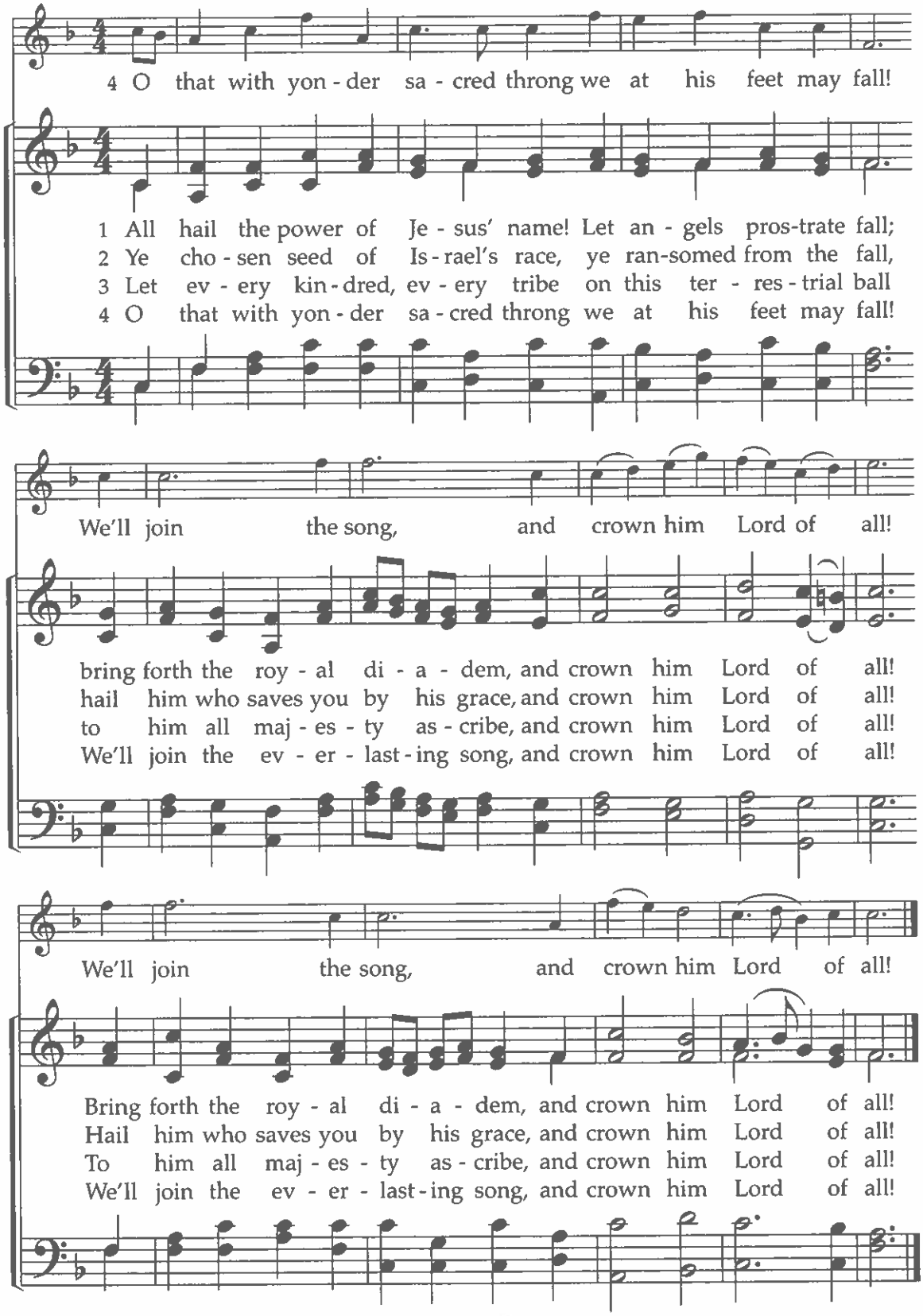

This 18th-century text celebrating the sovereignty of Christ has been through several expansions and contractions before reaching its present form. It is set here to the oldest American hymn tune in continuous use since first published in 1793, which was written for it.

TEXT: Stanzas 1–3, Edward Perronet, 1779, 1780; stanzas 2–3, alt. John Rippon, 1787; stanza 4, John Rippon, 1787
MUSIC: Oliver Holden, 1793; desc. Michael E. Young, 1979
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Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna to the King. Thou art the King of Israel, thou David's royal Son, who in the Lord's name comest, the King and blessed One! To thee before thy passion they sang their hymns of praise; to thee, now high exalted, our melody we raise! 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, in whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring.

***DOXOLOGY - 606**

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

SENDING

***HYMN 198 Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!**

**CHARGE AND BLESSING

***CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE – HYMNAL 568**

POSTLUDE O Love, How Deep arr. by David Johnson
Caleb Drayer, Trumpet

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The **Palms** this morning are in **honor** of our
LPC Family

Our **Greeters** today are **Jan Myers**, Elder
and **Lois Neiderhiser**, Deacon

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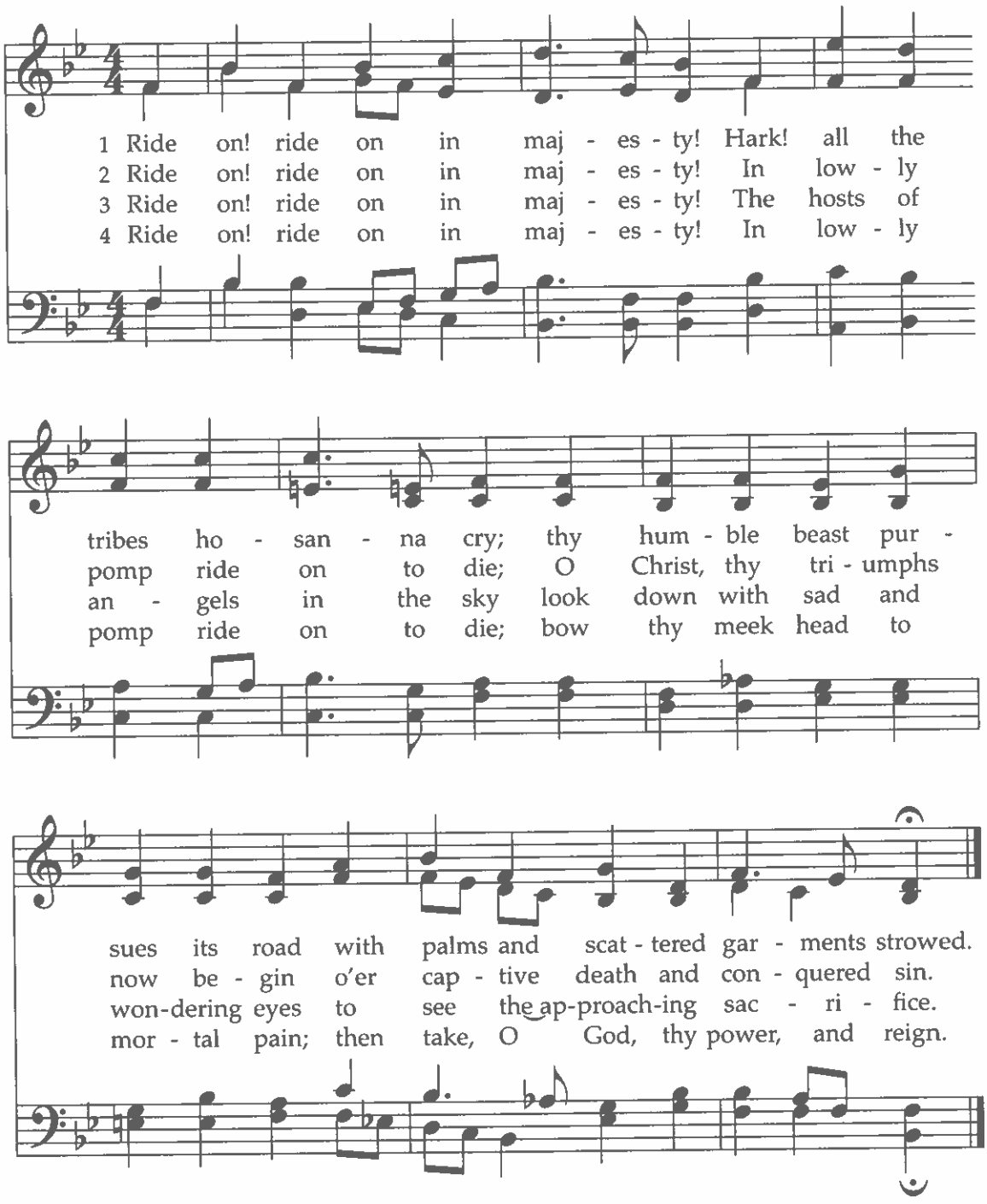
This 19th-century Palm Sunday text is better understood as the reflections of someone standing outside the event rather than as coming from those participating in the actual procession. This poignant text is set to a tune written especially for it later in the same century.

TEXT: Henry Hart Milman, 1827, alt.
MUSIC: John Bacchus Dykes, 1862

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USHERS serving you today are: **Team III – Matt Sweeney-Captain, Doug Harvey, Keith Koski, Adam McMahen, Liam McMahen, Mallory McMahen, Jerry Musick, JJ Sweeney and Daniel Sweeney.**

Our **Hospitality Table Hosts** this week are members of Team II: **Dee Gamble, Diana Adams, Emily McMahen and Lorraine Burd**

Leading the processional this morning are **Mallory McMahen and Dane Marts.**

Next week, Easter Sunday, we will take the annual **One Great Hour of Sharing collection**. This program supports the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Presbyterian Hunger Program and the Self-Development of People Program.

The CEN Committee has EGG-CITING news! Hippity-Hop over to Unity Chapel at 11am on Saturday, April 4 for our **annual Easter Egg Hunt**. LPC children and grandchildren, as well as neighborhood friends, are invited and will hear an Easter themed story and sing a few songs before the egg hunt. There will be refreshments following the hunt. Remember to bring a basket or container to hold the eggs that are gathered. It will be EGGS-TREMELY fun! If there is inclement weather, the egg hunt will be held inside at the Main Street Church.

The Sign-up sheet for **Fresh Express** volunteers is on the back table. It will be held Thursday, April 16 in the Prince of Peace Church parking lot. Please arrive at 2:30 pm.

There will be a **congregational meeting** following Worship on Sunday, April 26 for the purpose of electing at-large members from the congregation for the Nominating Committee. Also, a vote will be taken to amend a clause in the By-Laws.

Registration is open for the **Pine Springs Traveling Day Camp** in Latrobe. This year's dates are Monday, July 27 through Friday, July 31. The cost is $75 for an entire week of camp!

This year's **Graduate Tea** is scheduled for Sunday, May 17 after worship. If you have any high school or college graduates, please contact the church office as soon as possible so that they may be celebrated.

The pre-ordered **Easter eggs** may be picked up in the back of the church before and after worship today. Also there are a few extra still for sale at $4 each. W.O.V.E.N. thanks you for your support of this fund-raising project.

This spring two wonderful opportunities are available to all W.O.V.E.N. women and their friends. **Pine Springs' Women in the Woods** is April 10 and 11. If you don't want to spend the night, come for the day on Saturday April 11. The theme is "For Such a Time as This - Your Path, Your Passion, Your Purpose".

On Sunday, April 19 from 5 pm to 8 pm, The Source Church in West Mifflin will host the nation-wide event called **"Aspire".** The evening includes a Bible teacher, a comedian and a music leader. General admission is $30, 10 or more are $25. Information and sign-up sheets for both events are on the back table.

WOVEN's March and April **service project** is for the **Blackburn Center**. We are collecting food items which can be placed in the box behind the Sanctuary. Needs are: single serve shelf-stable items, cans or pouches of meat or fish, canned soups, microwavable shelf-stable meals, juice boxes, shelf-stable milk, sugar, powdered coffee creamers, condiments. Thank you in advance for your donations.

April 2	Maundy Thursday	7:30 pm	Main Street
April 3	Good Friday	7:30 pm	Unity Chapel
April 4	Easter Egg Hunt	11:00 am	Unity Chapel
April 5	Easter Sunday	8:30 am	Unity Chapel
	Easter Sunday	11:00 am	Main Street
April 6	Office Closed for the Easter Holiday		

WEEKLY MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Tuesday **3/31**
7:00 pm ..... AlAnon

Wednesday **4/1**
..... No Wednesday Morning Bible Study or WOW

Thursday **4/2**
6:30 pm ..... Chancel Choir
7:30 pm ..... Maundy Thursday Worship Service

Friday **4/3**
6:30 pm ..... Chancel Choir
7:30 pm ..... Good Friday Worship Service at Unity Chapel

Saturday **4/4**
11:00 am ..... Easter Egg Hunt and Story Time at Unity Chapel

Sunday **4/6** **Easter**
8:30 am ..... Early Easter Worship Service – Unity Chapel
9:45 am ..... Children Sunday School
11:00 am ..... Easter Worship Service – Main Street