



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

John 12:13

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church

2100 16th Street SW, Austin, MN 55912

Worship: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School and Bible Class: 10:30 a.m.

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PRE-SERVICE PRAYER: Heavenly Father, most holy God, we who come before you today confessing our sins, seeking Your grace in Christ Jesus for the pardon and peace. By Your Holy Spirit working through the gospel we hear this morning create clean hearts within us, and renew in us steadfast spirits, that we may know the joy of Your salvation and the peace and assurance of Your presence. Guided by Your Holy Spirit lead us to confess Your name before the world that sinners may know the path to repentance and life that is found in Your Son, Jesus Christ. It is in His name we pray. Amen.

THE ORDER OF SERVICE: p. 5 (367:1-2)

HYMNS: 160; 725; 162; 377:10

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Zechariah 9:8-12

As Zechariah prophesied of Jesus' royal entry into Jerusalem, he also foretold the purpose of that coming. Jesus would come to protect His people from their enemies. With His victory He would secure peace. Because of the blood of the covenant which Jesus shed upon the cross He would free the prisoners who were condemned to the waterless pit of eternal death. He is our hope and our salvation.

THE GOSPEL LESSON: John 12:1-19

Jesus, who is our life, was honored with a special dinner, but few there understood the cost of the life He brings to the world. Mary anointed Jesus' for His burial. On the next day, Palm Sunday, a great multitude was assembled "escorting" Jesus as He made His way to Jerusalem, praising Him and singing their "Hosannas." And so we join in praising Jesus as our Redeemer and our King.

Sunday School Anthem: *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

Hymn 161

THE SERMON: Hebrews 12:1-6

Theme: Offering Our Hosannas for our Redeemer King

I. Living Life dedicated to the Lord

April 13, 2014

6th Sunday in Lent

II. Honoring the Lord with Endurance

III. Trusting Jesus through Tribulations

CALENDAR

TODAY: Sunday school and church council will follow the service.

WEDNESDAY: Catechism class at 4:30.

THURSDAY: Maundy Thursday worship with Holy Communion at 7:00 p.m. text: Matthew 26:26-30 *Remarkable Incident from Jesus' Passion*: Jesus Institutes the Lord's Supper.

FRIDAY: Good Friday worship at 7:00 p.m. Text: Mat. 27:50-54. *Remarkable Incident from Jesus' Passion*: Jesus' Death

NEXT SUNDAY: **Easter Festival Worship** with Holy Communion at 9:30. Sunday school and Bible class will be in holiday recess. Sermon text: Matthew 28:1-8.

FUTURE DATES TO REMEMBER

April 27: Quarterly Voters' meeting at 12:30 p.m.

June 1: Minnesota Delegate Conference in Sleepy Eye, MN at 3 p.m.

June 8: Pastor Barthels will be preaching in Hales Corners, WI.

June 16-21: CLC Convention in Eau Claire, WI.

June 22-28: Camp Koyquin in Pillager, MN (see below)

SERVING TODAY

Organist: Denise Barthels

Ushers: Leon Hellickson, Melvin Eichstadt, Preston Johnson, Ken Nickson

Cleaning: Ubl

OUR RESPONSE TO THE GOSPEL:

Attendance: April 6 Worship –23, Sunday school - 2. (Bible Class –cancelled due to pastor's failing voice). April 9, Midweek Lenten attendance – 20

Weekly Offerings Needed	\$ 1,080.00	Other Offerings / Memorials	
Offerings Received	1, 206.00	ILC Building Fund	\$ 20.00
Needed for Year:	15,120.00	Harold & Martha Cole Missions	25.00
Received for Year:	14,756.50		

Request for Volunteer(s) The Ladies Aid is seeking a volunteer(s) for the Card Committee. If you may be interested, please contact President Deb Berg for details on what this may involve.

CLC NEWS: The ILC Board of Regents announces the following nomination for the office of President of ILC: Professor Steven Sippert. Members of CLC congregations are invited to comment on the nominee. Comments on the nominees should be submitted in writing and must be mailed or E-mailed no later than midnight April 23, 2014 to: Mr. Craig Ryan 499 Country Lane Fulda, MN 56131

E-Mail: ryan@page1printers.com.

Camp Koyquin 2014: June 22 – 28, 2014! Camp JIM facilities, Pillager, MN. Camp tuition is \$150 per camper if registered by May 31st. Registration opens **March 15, 2014!** Register soon – the camp fills up fast! **Register online:** www.clclutheran.net/koyquin. For more details, check out the website! Or contact one of the directors: Tom Naumann (thomasjnaumann@gmail.com 920-266-5387) or Jess Ohlmann (jessicaohlmann3@yahoo.com 402-322-1027).