

WELCOME in the NAME OF JESUS  
St. Peter's Lischey's UCC  
[www.lischeysucc.org](http://www.lischeysucc.org) (717) 225-3932  
6th Sunday of Lent ~ Palm Sunday  
Sunday, April 10, 2022  
10:30 AM (In the Sanctuary & via YouTube)

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude: Ride On In Majesty!

Broughton/Dykes

Ringing of the Bell

Call to Worship

L: Hosanna!

**P: Hosanna in the highest!**

L: Praise be to God!

**P: Behold our God comes riding on a donkey, the ruler who dares to be last rather than first!**

L: Hosanna to the Son of David!

**ALL: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!**

Hymn: All Glory, Laud and Honor - #173 Red Hymnal

Teschner

Confession and the Candle of Faithfulness

L: We are nearing the end of our Lenten journey, and as disciples of our Lord, we remember the events of long ago, when the twelve disciples entered Jerusalem with Jesus, but deserted him a few days later. Let us pray.

**ALL: God, like the people who greeted Jesus as he entered Jerusalem and then later pronounced "Crucify him," we are fickle people who often deny Christ in our thoughts, words, and deeds. We confess in our own lives, when things go well, we know you are with us, but when we are afraid, when we are at risk, we may abandon our faith. In the remaining days, help us see ourselves as sinners in need of a Savior. Amen.**

L: Lord have mercy upon us.

**All Sing: Lord have mercy upon us.**

L: Christ have mercy upon us.

**All Sing: Christ have mercy upon us.**

L: Lord have mercy upon us.

**All Sing: Lord have mercy upon us.**

**ALL: We light this candle as a symbol of our need to always remain faithful. Holy God, you have journeyed with us through the valley of the shadow, and will see us through to the other side. Help us remain faithful to you, even in times of deepest doubt. Amen.**

Stewardship Message for Lent

L: "Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord. We bless you from the house of the Lord. The Lord is God, and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar." Psalm 118: 26 - 27

That long ago procession we remember today came with many gifts, people spreading their cloaks on the road and waving festal branches to offer praise. When we recognize how God continues to abundantly provide for us, and what amazing grace it is for Jesus to have shared his very life, let us also offer the best of our lives! Let us pray:

**ALL: Loving God, inspire us to offer more than fragments of faithfulness, more than tiny portions of our talents, more than our spare change. May our gifts be an expression of our gratitude to You and used to proclaim our Savior's love for the world. Amen.**

Scripture: Matthew 21: 1-11 – Ryan McKowen

Sanctuary Choir: Rejoice! The King is Coming

Paige

The Events of Holy Week ~ Presented by the Children and Youth

**Palm Sunday Pageant and  
Holy Week Reader's Theater**

Adapted from a drama by Anne Manchester  
in Live the Story compiled by Cheryl Perry

<b>Cast:</b>	Heath O'Neal	Anchor Person
	Grace Mensinger	Reporter #1
	Jayden Myers	Jewish Scholar
	Sage Freed	Reporter #2
	Cameron Freed	Bystander
	Oliver Kaltreider	Bystander
	Olivia Godfrey	Woman with Palm Branch
	Grace Mensinger	Reporter #3
	TJ Mensinger	Rabbi
	Easton Kessler	Reporter #4
	Sierra Godfrey	Woman in the Upper Room
	Sage Freed	Reporter #5
	Sam Wagaman	Slave
	<b>Scripture Readers</b>	Sam Wagaman
		Sierra Godfrey
		TJ Mensinger
		Ellie Kessler

Joyful Singers: Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley

Spiritual

Children's Message – Melissa Altland

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer

**ALL: 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

Hymn: Hosanna, Loud Hosanna - #174 Red Hymnal

Herzog

## Benediction

Postlude: Behold, The King Rides Forth!

Paxton



## Weekly Announcements, Updates and Concerns

April 10, 2022

### Thank You...

Thank you to all who signed the Valentine's Day card that was sent to me. It was nice to know that I haven't been forgotten. It is nice to be remembered. ♥*Pamela Kiser*

### Lost Items?...

A Walmart bag with 2 pairs of women's slacks and personal items was put in with the Health Kit donations. If you misplaced those items, you may pick them up in the office.

### New Address...

Lila Messersmith has a change of address: Claremont Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, 1000 Claremont Road, Carlisle, PA 17013.

### Easter Egg Hunt TODAY!

Our Easter Egg Hunt will follow Palm Sunday Service today, April 10th. It will be a Hoppy time!

### Easter Lilies...

Now is the time to order Easter Lilies. The price is \$9.00 and the **deadline** to order is **TOMORROW**, April 11. Please give your orders to Carol Brown, call 717-891-1440 or text [carbr7@gmail.com](mailto:carbr7@gmail.com). Thank you, *Carol*

### Maundy Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>...

On Maundy Thursday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, there will be a 5:30 PM family-oriented service and a 7:00 PM traditional service. The 7:00 service will also be streamed on YouTube. Both services will have the sacrament of Holy Communion. The Maundy Thursday meal is at 6:00 PM and will be provided, but please sign up if you plan to attend so we have plenty to eat! Bring a friend!

### 40 Hygiene Kits for 40 Days of Lent...

The 40 Hygiene Kits for 40 Days of Lent challenge to the congregation from the Mission Committee was accepted and completed. Thank you for your generosity in providing the materials to make the kits. You also donated more than enough money to send the kits to where they need to go.

### EASTER HAMS for the Harvest of Hope Food Pantry ...

The mission committee is sponsoring hams for the upcoming Easter distribution at the Harvest of Hope Food Pantry. Their goal was to collect money to contribute to the purchasing of 75 hams. As a congregation, we raised \$485.00 toward that goal. Way to go!

### The Jefferson Homemakers...

The Jefferson Homemakers will meet at the church on Wednesday, April 20 at 10:00 AM. They will be watching a movie. Lunch is provided. **All** are welcome!

### Children & Youth Meeting, April 26...

There will be a Children & Youth Meeting on April 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM via Zoom. Planning for VBS will be the focus of the meeting.

### Harvest of Hope Volunteers Needed...

Volunteers are needed to pack and distribute food at Harvest of Hope Food Pantry on May 17<sup>th</sup> at 4:15 and June 16<sup>th</sup> at 4:15. Please sign up to help on the sheet on the bulletin board in the overflow room.

### Thank You to Our Greeters...

Thank you to today's greeters, Connie & Mike Neiderer. Next week's greeters are Joanne Hoffman & John Klindedinst.

### Thank You to Our Liturgist...

Thank you to today's liturgist, Ryan McKowen. Next week's liturgist is Michele Hamme.

### Thank You to Our Acolyte...

Thank you to today's acolyte Olivia Godfrey. Next week's acolyte is TJ Mensinger.

### Upcoming Events at Lischey's Church...

Monday, April 11	7:00 PM	Council Meeting
Wednesday, April 13	6:30 PM	Chime Choir Rehearsal
	7:00 PM	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, April 14 (Maundy Thursday)	5:30 PM	Family-oriented service
	6:00 PM	Dinner
	7:00 PM	Traditional Service
Friday, April 15 (Good Friday)	7:00 PM	Good Friday Service
Sunday, April 17 (Easter)	8:00 AM	Early Worship Service
	9:15 AM	Adult Sunday School
	9:30 AM	Children's Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service

### Office Hours...

The office will be open Monday through Thursday this week. See below for hours. Doors will be locked for security; therefore, we ask that you call (717) 225-3932 to let us know you are coming. Staff will be there at the following times: (**Note:** Pastor Cathy may be doing home visits during office hours in the coming weeks, so make sure to call before coming to the church to see her.)

Cathy Sherry, Pastor		Call for appointment
Nancy Cherry, Minister of Music	Mon/Thur	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Pat McKowen, Secretary	Mon-Thur	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

### **Easter Sunday 2022**

#### **April 17 (Easter Sunday)**

- 8:00 AM Worship service with the Sacrament of Holy Communion
- 10:30 AM Worship service with the Sacrament of Holy Communion- also on YouTube

**Upcoming Birthdays (\*Designates Over 80)**

April 10	Kari Kauffman	April 26	Larry Spangler
April 16	Lillia Messersmith	April 27	Jayden Myers
April 18	McKayla Linker	April 27	Sharon Winter
April 23	Carol Brown	April 30	Kimberly Bolden
April 24	Elizabeth Luckenbaugh	May 01	Barbara Gardner

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE LAST SUNDAY WAS...**

Attendance	66 Sanctuary
Current Offering	\$1,601.00
CWS Hygiene Kits	44.00
One Great Hour of Sharing	60.00
Harvest of Hope (Hams)	105.00
Building for Service	55.00
OCWM	75.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,940.00</b>

**2022 FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT... (\*Note: The Current Offering below consists of the Current Offering, Building for Service, and the Loose Offering)**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Current Offering</u>	<u>Ave. Weekly E-tithing</u>	<u>Total Received for Current</u>	<u>Weekly Budget Needed for Current</u>	<u>Current Offering Year to Date</u>	<u>Budget Needed Year to Date</u>	<u>Difference in Budget Needed Year to Date</u>
Mar. 6	\$2,366.00	\$193.00	\$2,559.00	\$3,137.00			
Mar. 20	\$9,924.00	\$191.00	\$10,115.00	\$3,137.00	\$35,912.00	\$37,644.00	-\$ 1,732.00
Mar. 27	\$2,008.00	\$187.00	\$2,195.00	\$3,137.00	\$38,057.00	\$40,781.00	-\$2,724.00
Apr. 03	\$1,656.00	\$183.00	\$1,839.00	\$3,137.00	\$39,896.00	\$43,918.00	-\$4,022.00