Celebration of Worship March 28, 2021 PALM SUNDAY

Gather – Assemble in God's Name

Prelude

Christine Yoshikawa

Please silence phones. *Those who are able, please stand.

The Chiming of the Hour

Welcoming and Sharing of Community Life

Call to Worship

Leader:	The Lord is merciful and gracious,	
People:	slow to anger and abounding in love.	
Leader:	Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.	
People:	Hosanna in the highest!	
Leader:	Let us worship God.	

*Hymn of Praise #197 **Procession of Children** "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you. The lips that sing "Hosanna!" are the same that shout "Crucify!" The hands that wave palm branches are the same that prepare your cross. Forgive us, God of Grace. Look upon us with mercy – our lives are in your hands. Save us by your steadfast love; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

*A Time for Silent Confession

*Assurance of Forgiveness

Believe in the Good News of the Gospel. Pastor: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven! **People:**

*Response of Praise and Gratitude "Gloria Patri"

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen. Amen. Amen.

Grow – Proclaim God's Word

Children's Message

<u>Old Testament Scripture:</u> Isaiah 59:4-9a

New Testament Scripture: Matthew 21:1-11

Message:

"What Kind of King is This?" **Rev Roy Martin General Presbyter at Presbytery of Florida**

*Hymn

"I Danced in the Morning"

Christ Jesus, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form he humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even death on a cross. Therefore, God has highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth, and under the earth, and every tongue confess to the glory of God: Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen. Philippians 2:5-11

Offertory

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(verses 1 & 2)

*Hvmn

***Benediction**

*Postlude

Bryan Milton (Elder of the Month) 850-209-3300 Aggie Schack (Assistant Elder of the Month) 850-209-1914 *******

Affirmation of Faith (In Unison)

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

("debts and debtors")

Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Praise Him all creatures here below.

Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts.

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. A-men.

Go – In God's Name

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"I Danced in the Morning"

(verses 3, 4 & 5)

To Our Guests:

We are happy to have you worship with us today. We invite you to join us each Sunday, as we worship and study God's word. If you would like more information concerning our Church, you may fill out one of the Welcome Cards in the pews and place it in the offering plate, talk to the ushers, call the church office at 850-526-2430 or email us at fpcmarianna@gmail.com.

Nursery Care: Available for children six years old and under during the worship service each Sunday morning. NOT AVAILABLE UNTIL COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS ARE NO LONGER NECESSARY.

The Palm Arrangements this morning were created by Michael at Artistic Designs and provided by the Church to the Glory of God for His Son's Triumphal Entry.

This Week In Our Church:

Today	March 28 th PALM SUNDAY
9:30 am	Adult Sunday School – ZOOM
(new Zoom I	D is 88285853524 and the Passcode is 808523)
9:45 am	Children & Youth Sunday School
11:00 am	Worship Service
Tuesday	March 30 th
3:00 pm	Food Pantry Bagging
Wednesday	March 31 st
9:00 am	Food Pantry
3:15 pm	Bell Choir
3:15 pm	WWW
5:30 pm	SQUAD and Sr. High
6:30 pm	Adult Bible Study – Zoom
Thursday	April 1 st MAUNDY THURSDAY
6:00 pm	Worship FPC
Friday 6:00 PM	April 2nd GOOD FRIDAY Worship FUMC

First Presbyterian Church Prays For:

(New requests in bold)

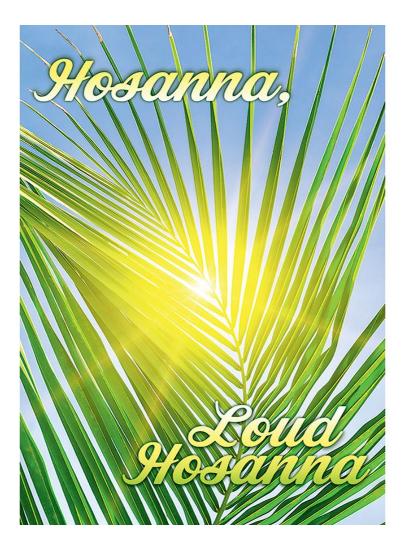
Our Church and Members Pastor and Linda Wamsley

Jane Powell Joy Lewis (surgery was on the 16th) Cindy Yant Glenna Barber (requested by Cindy Yant) Sherry Barber (Amanda Hinson's mother) Rov Turner Hedy Williams (Hanni Daffin's sister) Ruth Hammett (Scott Yant's mother) Fran McNeill and Ernie McNeill Charlotte Hunter Dr. Megan Johnson (Wamsley's niece) Charlton Keen Jr. and niece, Kathryn Keen Doug Woolery (requested by Cindy Morgan Zooey Chancey (requested by Ginger Green) Jeff Yon and Grade Taylor (requested by Scott Yant) Billy Herrington (requested by Jared Roberts) Joy Gilbert Sumi Hanstine (requested by Ashley Rackley) Ronnie Heath (requested by Larry & Jackie Spivey) Michael Schouest & family (requested by Kathy Roberts) Mary Bevis Schmidt (requested by Mel McClure Clark) Howard Alig (Cindy Morgan's brother) Steven Quiglev

A Prayer Request that should be foremost in our hearts and minds right now is for a smooth and peaceful transition period in which we locate the Pastor that God has in mind for us. Pray for the First Presbyterian Church of Marianna and the people who love, support and participate.

Pray for Pastor and Linda Wamsley as they begin a new adventure in their walk with God.

We want to thank Rev. Roy Martin for coming to our church on Palm Sunday to provide a message for us.



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