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# Palm Sunday



Alexandria  
Presbyterian Church

March 28, 2021

# Welcome back to indoor worship with Alexandria Presbyterian Church!

*We are so glad you are here!*

- \* There are 3 rooms in which to participate in worship: the Sanctuary, and via simulcast: the Fellowship Hall and the Chapel. The Fellowship Hall is set up for large size groups.
- \* Printed worship bulletins are available as you enter the building, and also made available through email, the APC website, and a QR scan.
- \* The prelude will begin at 8:35 am and the worship service will begin at 8:45 am, lasting one hour. Please quickly exit the building to make way for cleaning of the spaces.
- \* Masks are to be worn at all times. Maintain social distancing of 6 feet.
- \* Boxes for depositing offerings will be available as you exit the room in which you are worshipping.
- \* The main level bathrooms in the RR foyer are being renovated. For the short term, bathrooms for those worshipping in the sanctuary and chapel are accessible through the DRB lobby and up the short set of steps, down the hallway from the Del Ray Baptist offices.

Bathrooms for those in the Fellowship Hall (FH) are on the landing behind the back of the FH.

## Ways to Connect

**Sunday school.** Join us on Sundays from 11:30am-12:30pm (March 28th, April 11th, and April 18th) via Zoom to examine the implications of Christ's second coming on our Christian lives, through a study of 1 Thessalonians. We will explore how our hope of salvation is deepened through the view of Christ's life, death, and resurrection as the beginning of the end times. The study will explore the themes of ministry, suffering, faith, love, and the confidence that is ours in the sanctifying work of the Holy Spirit. Join the class through the Zoom link sent in the APC email.

**Good Friday worship service.** As we reflect on the sacrificial love of Jesus Christ, we invite you to watch our pre-recorded Good Friday worship service with scripture readings, special music and a meditation. The service will be made available on Friday, April 2nd.

**Easter Sunday worship service.** Join us to celebrate our risen Savior on Easter Sunday! We will meet at our regular time of 8:45am in the Sanctuary at Russell Road, or join us online. *\*Please note that we will not be having a Sunrise service this year.*

**New Study for Thursday Women's Bible studies begins April 8th at 1pm and 8pm via Zoom.** The women of the church are invited to join us as we practice a form of Scriptural engagement called Hand Copying Scripture. Hand Copying Scripture has been called the Meditation of Kings by some. Deuteronomy 17:18-20 records how God instructed the kings of Israel to handwrite the books of the Law for themselves, and to keep it with them, reading it all the days of their lives so that they were familiar with the ways of the Lord. We invite you to join us in the practice of hand writing the Scriptures to help us slow down and really savor what we are reading. We will spend 8 weeks hand copying the books of Habakkuk, Malachi and Hebrews. We will write 50 verses a week (10 verses a day, 5 days a week), then gather weekly to discuss what we are learning as we encounter God through His Word in this new way. **We ask that you have hand written the book of Habakkuk for the first meeting.** Please contact Lynn Streeet to register or if you have any questions: [lynn.streeet79@gmail.com](mailto:lynn.streeet79@gmail.com).

**The next Inquirer's Class is Friday evening, April 16 and Saturday, April 17.** If you are interested in membership or in gaining a deeper understanding of APC, you should attend this class. You will receive an introduction to Christianity, the PCA, and the specific vision/mission and philosophy of ministry at APC. Membership is open to all who profess faith in Christ and believe the basic teachings of the Christian faith. Attending the class does not obligate you to join the church. Both Zoom and in-person options will be offered, and further details about time and location will be forthcoming. Please RSVP to Office Manager Sue Edwards at [sue.edwards@alexandriapres.org](mailto:sue.edwards@alexandriapres.org) if you wish to attend.

**Prayer Meetings.** APC offers a variety of opportunities to come together in prayer, and everyone is welcome to participate. Prayer meetings occur every Sunday morning at 8am, every 2nd Saturday at 9am, every 3rd Saturday at 11am, and every 4th Sunday at 5pm. Details and Zoom links are available on our website and APC email.

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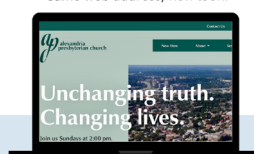


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today's service



■ **prelude** | *Praise Team*

■ **call to worship** | *Tom Holliday, Senior Pastor*

*Psalm 100:4*

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,  
and his courts with praise!  
Give thanks to him; bless his name!

■ **prayer of adoration**

■ **songs of praise**

**Hosanna (Praise Is Rising)**

Praise is rising  
Eyes are turning to You  
We turn to You  
Hope is stirring  
Hearts are yearning for You  
We long for You

Hear the sound of  
Hearts returning to You  
We turn to You  
In Your Kingdom  
Broken lives are made new  
You make us new

'Cause when we see You  
We find strength to face the day  
In Your presence  
All our fears are washed away

*Hosanna hosanna  
You are the God who saves us  
Worthy of all our praises  
Hosanna hosanna  
Come have Your way among us  
We welcome You here Lord Jesus*

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**Jesus Messiah**

He became sin who knew no sin  
That we might become His righteousness  
He humbled Himself and carried the cross  
Love so amazing—love so amazing

His body the bread—His blood the wine  
Broken and poured out all for love  
The whole earth trembled and the veil was torn  
Love so amazing love so amazing

*Jesus Messiah—Name above all names  
Blessed Redeemer—Emmanuel  
The Rescue for sinners  
The Ransom from heaven  
Jesus Messiah Lord of all*

All our hope is in You  
All our hope is in You  
All the glory to You God  
The Light of the world

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## ■ scripture reading | Deacon Bruce Barham

*Psalm 24*

### **The King of Glory**

*A Psalm of David.*

<sup>1</sup>The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof,  
the world and those who dwell therein,

<sup>2</sup>for he has founded it upon the seas  
and established it upon the rivers.

<sup>3</sup>Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord?  
And who shall stand in his holy place?

<sup>4</sup>He who has clean hands and a pure heart,  
who does not lift up his soul to what is false  
and does not swear deceitfully.

<sup>5</sup>He will receive blessing from the Lord  
and righteousness from the God of his salvation.

<sup>6</sup>Such is the generation of those who seek him,  
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.

<sup>7</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates!

And be lifted up, O ancient doors,  
that the King of glory may come in.

<sup>8</sup>Who is this King of glory?

The Lord, strong and mighty,  
the Lord, mighty in battle!

<sup>9</sup>Lift up your heads, O gates!

And lift them up, O ancient doors,  
that the King of glory may come in.

<sup>10</sup>Who is this King of glory?

The Lord of hosts,  
he is the King of glory!

## ■ congregational prayer | Josh Diack, Pastor of Missions and Congregational Life

## ■ offertory prayer | Shannon Allen

## ■ musical offering

## ■ sermon scripture reading

*Luke 19:28-40*

### **The Triumphal Entry**

<sup>28</sup>And when he had said these things, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. <sup>29</sup>When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, <sup>30</sup>saying, "Go into the village in front of you, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat. Untie it and bring it here. <sup>31</sup>If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' you shall say this: 'The Lord has need of it.'" <sup>32</sup>So those who were sent went away and found it just as he had told them. <sup>33</sup>And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying the colt?" <sup>34</sup>And they said, "The Lord has need of it." <sup>35</sup>And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup>And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road. <sup>37</sup>As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, <sup>38</sup>saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" <sup>39</sup>And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." <sup>40</sup>He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."

■ **sermon** | Tom Holliday, Senior Pastor

*“A Multitude of Disciples Rejoicing and Praising God with Loud Voices”*

■ **song of response**

**You are My King (Amazing Love)**

I'm forgiven  
Because You were forsaken  
I'm accepted  
You were condemned  
I'm alive and well  
Your Spirit is within me  
Because You died  
And rose again

*Amazing love  
How can it be  
That You my King  
Would die for me  
Amazing love  
I know it's true  
It's my joy to honor You  
In all I do I honor You*

You are my King  
You are my King  
Jesus You are my King  
Jesus You are my King

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■ **palm sunday dismissal**

Leader: Let us go forth as joyful children of the King, proclaiming the gospel of Christ.

**All: We will go forth joyfully, spreading the good news of King Jesus in word and deed.**

■ **benediction**

■ **announcements**

# WELCOME TO APC

It is a joy to worship with you today. Please complete this insert to help us get to know you, share prayer requests or for more information about ministry opportunities. You may hand this form to an usher.

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Please indicate if you'd like information about the following:

Membership/Inquirers Class

### Adult Ministries

Men's & Women's (circle one)

Walking in the Spirit

Sunday School

### Children/Youth Ministries

Explorers

PROTAS (youth group)

Sunday School

Vacation Bible School

### Fellowship

Covenant Fellowship Groups

Koinonia (20s-30s)

Social Committee

Softball

### Ministries

Counseling

Evangelism/Outreach

Prayer ministries

Mercy

Missions

### Service Opportunities

AED/First Aid

Bus Drivers

Greeting

Hospitality/Coffee Servers

Manna Meals

Nursery

Ushers/Building openers

Seniors Ministry

### Music

Adult/Youth choir (circle one)

Handchimes

Praise Team instruments

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Please sign me up for e-announcements

Please add/change my information for  
the APC Membership Directory.

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### I have been attending APC:

First-Time Visitor

2-6 Weeks

3+ Months

Member

**Do you have a question or prayer request for the Pastors?**

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# SERMON NOTES

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