

## THE WORSHIP SERVICE

### Leading Worship this Morning

Bob Henderson, senior minister  
Grady Moseley, interim minister of congregational life, pastoral care  
Jason Graffis, director of contemporary worship and arts  
Sally Graves, usher team leader

### Sharing the Gifts of Music

Gerard Benson (bass), Paul Fisher (drums), Pam Jepsen (vocals),  
Phil Koonce (electric guitar), Ginny Magrath (vocals)  
Voices of Eden Gospel Choir  
Founded at UNCC in 2005, the group sings through an atmosphere where members of the campus community are free to fellowship and worship the Lord through the gift of music.

### Audio and Visuals

Kay Tawney (video & visuals), Ricko Hill (audio)

### Leading Other Services

Ian Clark, pastoral resident  
Robert Dicks, assistant director of traditional music & organist  
Heather Potter, director of traditional music  
Kenney Potter, choral conductor  
Julia Watkins, pastoral resident  
Katie Cornwell, carillonneur

### Cover Image

*The Ideogram of the Tears of Christ* is located adjacent the Anchor of Hope at the top of the central window on the east nave of the Chapel. Luke records that Jesus wept after entering Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, seeing destruction in the city's failure to recognize the things that make for peace. The four arms of a Greek cross symbolize divine power. In the ideogram, the arms are shaped as tear drops. The cross is contained within a square, the square an Augustinian geometrical symbol for Christ of one substance with the Father. Dots in each quadrant of a linear Greek cross were once used on nautical charts to show boulders where the sea meets the shore, that place of uncertainty in transition from one state to another. Perhaps in this instance, that transition is the transforming power of grief out of which the Man of Sorrows shall see the healing of the nations. Lk 19:41-44; Jn 11:35-36; Isa 53:3, 10-11. Photo © 2017 JonSilla.com.

### Note to Parents

During the school year, Sunday School is offered in the Education Wing for preschool and elementary-aged children at 9:30 a.m. Child care is offered on the First Floor during 11 a.m. services; elementary-aged children may go to the Kindergarten room (EW120).

## WELCOME TO COVENANT

Join us for fellowship and refreshments in the Circle, where today's preaching minister will be glad to greet you. You also may learn more about our life of faith together at our website or on Facebook.

Interested in joining Covenant? We welcome new members every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. in the Parlor, located downstairs in the Sanctuary building. We also welcome new members on the 4th Sunday of each month in the Fellowship Hall Library at 12 p.m.

Each Sunday, we offer education and fellowship opportunities in the mornings and evenings for children, youth and adults in the Education Wing and Fellowship Hall. Please see the digital signs in each building for details.

Covenant expects and gladly welcomes many first-time and repeat visitors. By introducing ourselves and sharing a warm greeting, we express the hospitality of our congregation. Please share a smile and welcoming word with those around you.

## CONGREGATIONAL NOTES (AS OF APRIL 11)

### Welcome New Members

Please welcome Jennifer Leake, and  
Elenaor Sojka and Drew Thompson into our church family

### In Need of Healing Prayer

Judy Gaffney  
Lamont Hudson  
Frank Mansfield  
Lillian Neal  
Helen Neubauer  
Polly Smith  
Bob Taylor  
Robert M. Taylor  
Barbara White

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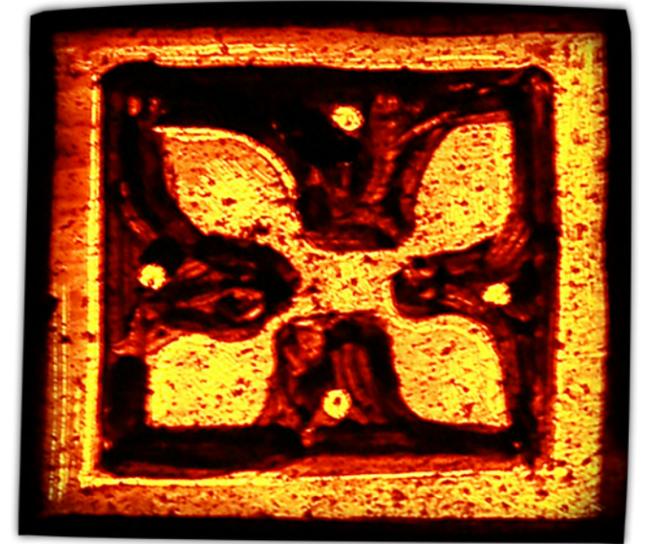
1. 2005, 2006 Integrity's Hosanna! Music and Thankyou Music
2. 1988 Universal - Polygram International Music Publishing
3. 2002 Soltruna Records
4. 2009 Universal Music Publishing Limited
5. 2016 Saved Children's Music and Slickey Music
6. 2005 God's Way Music
7. 2013 Alletrop Music, DeBarra, Fionan, and Gettymusic
8. 1996 Rick Muchow (Encouraging Music)

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SERVICE OF WORSHIP  
Palm Sunday, April 14, 2019  
9:30 a.m.  
SANCTUARY

Covenant Presbyterian is a dynamic Christian community that gladly invites all people into a transformational experience of faith; boldly proclaims the gospel; bravely works toward a whole and just world; and passionately nurtures discipleship.

# SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Palm Sunday, April 14, 2019 9:30 a.m.

*Welcome to Covenant; we are glad you are here. Children are always welcome in worship. Child care and children's programs (ages 6 weeks to fifth grade) are offered in the Education Wing. Infant soothing rooms with live video of the worship service are available in the balcony and parlor. See an usher for assistance.*

## ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

*Hosanna (Praise is Rising) . . . . . P. Baloché, B. Brown<sup>1</sup>*

Praise is rising  
Eyes are turning to You. We turn to You  
Hope is stirring  
Hearts are yearning for You. We long for You  
'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  
Hear the sound of hearts returning to You  
We turn to You in Your Kingdom  
Broken lives are made new. You make us new  
Hosanna hosanna

*When Love Comes to Town . . . . . U2<sup>2</sup>*

I was a sailor, I was lost at sea  
I was under the waves  
Before love rescued me  
I was a fighter, I could turn on a thread  
Now I stand accused of the things I've said  
When love comes to town I'm gonna jump that train  
When love comes to town I'm gonna catch that flame  
Maybe I was wrong to ever let you down  
But I did what I did before love came to town  
I ran into a juke joint when I heard a guitar scream  
The notes were turning blue, I was dazing in a dream  
As the music played I saw my life turn around  
That was the day before love came to town  
I was there when they crucified my Lord  
I held the scabbard when the soldier drew his sword  
I threw the dice when they pierced his side  
But I've seen love conquer the great divide

Welcome & Announcements

## GIVE PRAISE TO GOD

*\*All Glory Laud and Honor . . . . . J.M. Neale, M. Teschner, T. Orleans*

*\*Prayer of Adoration*

## PRACTICES OF DISCIPLESHIP

Call to Confession

*Soon Love Soon . . . . . V. Teng<sup>3</sup>*

*(prayer response)*

Soon love soon, soon love soon  
Soon love soon, soon love soon

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

A Time with Young Disciples

Choral Offering

*Thank you, Thank You, Jesus . . . . . P. Gray, Jr.<sup>5</sup>*

Thank you thank you Jesus, for all you've done for me  
Thank you thank you Jesus, you've been so good to me  
Thank you thank you Jesus, for all you've done for me  
Thank you thank you Jesus, you've been so good to me  
My soul look back and wonder how you brought me over  
and I just want to say Thank you  
When I was lost you found me  
When I was sinking you rescued me  
When I was out you pulled me in  
You've been there with me through thick and thin  
That's why I give you praise  
You keep on making on making a Way  
I just want to say Thank you  
When I was sick you healed me  
When I was hurt you comfort me  
When I didn't know what to do  
I trusted you and you pulled me through.

My soul look back and wonder  
How You brought me over, I just want to say, Thank You.

*~ Voices of Eden Gospel Choir ~*

Prayers of the People & The 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,  
and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom and the power  
and the glory, forever. Amen.**

*\*You are invited to rise in body or spirit*

*Awake My Soul . . . . . M. Mumford<sup>4</sup>*

*(solo)*

In these bodies we will live, in these bodies we will die  
And where you invest your love, you invest your life

*(congregation)*

**Awake my soul, awake my soul, awake my soul  
For you were made to meet your maker**

Minute for Ministry

Capital Campaign Update . . . . . Alan Atwell

Offering

*Jesus Promised . . . . . Chicago Mass Choir<sup>6</sup>*

Oh how wonderful it is  
Jesus promised he'll take care of me  
I don't have to worry about the things ahead  
All I have to do is live right  
And believe in what he said  
I can call him in the morning  
I can call him in the middle of the night  
And when I call him  
He'll make everything alright  
It does not matter  
How big the problem may be  
Jesus promised

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I don't have to worry about the things ahead  
All I have to do is live right  
And believe in what he said  
Jesus promised  
Jesus promised he'll take care of me  
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## GOD'S WORD READ AND PROCLAIMED

Scripture Reading

Luke 19:28-40 . . . . . New Testament, p. 78

Sermon

"Chicken and Pig, Contribution and Commitment"

Bob Henderson

*\*Lift High The Name . . . . . E. Cash, F. DeBarra, K. & K. Getty<sup>7</sup>*

## GO IN GOD'S NAME

\*Invitation and Benediction

*\*For I Know . . . . . R. Muchow<sup>8</sup>*