

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Palm Sunday

THE GATHERING

PRELUDE *All Glory Laud and Honor* arr. Ingram

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Hosanna!
People: Hosanna in the highest!
Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
People: Hosanna in the highest!
All: Let us worship God!

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 196 *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

*PRAYER OF ADORATION

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TIME FOR THE CHILD IN US ALL Five Cents a Meal

THE WORD

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

CHORAL ANTHEM *Ain't No Rock Gonna' Shout for Me* arr. Larson

SECOND SCRIPTURE READING Luke 19:28-40

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON *Even the Stones* Rev. Beth Newman

CHORAL ANTHEM *If Ever I Loved Thee* Knoedler

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross. Therefore, God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess to the glory of God: Jesus Christ is Lord! Amen.

PASTORAL PRAYER

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.

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

MUSIC FOR THE OFFERING *Lenten Journey* arr. Tucker

PRAYER AFTER THE OFFERING

HYMN 198 *Ride On! Ride One in Majesty!* ST. DROSTANE

*SENDING

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

**May the love of God go with you from this place.
May your hours and days show forth His praise.**

*POSTLUDE *Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation* arr. Page

**Rise in body or spirit.*

Leading in worship today: Rev. Beth Newman, Transitional Pastor; Rev. Rachel Lackey, Minister of Music; Dan Manley, Elder of the Month, Hand Chime Choir

Mission Statement of Bryson City Presbyterian Church

We seek to follow Jesus Christ as we . . .

Engage and encourage one another in worship and fellowship

Learn together as we grow in discipleship and

Reach out in love.

HOLY WEEK



SCHEDULE

Maundy Thursday

April 14 at 6:00 p.m. at BCPC

Good Friday Community Potluck & Worship

April 15 at noon at First Baptist Church

Easter Sunday at BCPC

Pancake Breakfast at 9:30 followed by Easter Egg Hunt

Easter Worship at 11:00 a.m.

YTD Financials

Unrestricted Giving	\$38,172
Operating Expenses	\$32,172
Operating Excess/Deficit	\$ 6,000
Manse Renovation Expense	\$ 6,636
Excess/Deficit	\$ (636)

BCPC Elders

Mark Brannon, Collin Caldwell, Drew Campbell, Kyle Colley, Cathy Evans,
Dawn Letterman, Joan Parks, Carol Sussman,
Dan Manley, Bob Jordan

BCPC Staff

Transitional Pastor – Rev. Beth Newman
Minister of Music– Rev. Rachel Lackey
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