

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WORSHIP SUPPLEMENT FOR MARCH 29, 2026 – PALM SUNDAY

Palm Processional

Praise the Lord

*Be exalted, O God, above the heavens;
let your glory be over all the earth.*

Psalm 108:5

Praise, praise, praise the Lord,
Praise God's holy name, hallelujah!
(REPEAT)

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(REPEAT)

"Praise the Lord"

Text and Music: Traditional song from Cameroon

All Glory, Laud, and Honor (#173)

*Let them praise the name of the Lord,
for his name alone is exalted;
his splendor is above the earth and the heavens.
And he has raised up for his people a horn,
the praise of all his faithful servants,
of Israel, the people close to his heart.*

Praise the Lord.

Psalm 148:13-14

VERSE 1

All glory, laud, and honor
to thee, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring!

Thou art the King of Israel,
thou David's royal Son,
who in the Lord's name comest,
the King and blessed One!

VERSE 2

The company of angels
are praising thee on high,
and mortal men and all things
created make reply;

the people of the Hebrews
with palms before thee went;
our praise and prayer and anthems
before thee we present.

VERSE 3

To thee, before thy passion,
they sang their hymns of praise;
to thee, now high exalted,
our melody we raise;

thou didst accept their praises --
accept the praise we bring,
who in all good delightest,
thou good and gracious King!.

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All glory, laud, and honor
to thee, Redeemer, King,
to whom the lips of children
made sweet hosannas ring!

"All Glory, Laud and Honor"

Text: Theodulph of Orleans, ca. 820, tr. by John Mason Neale, 1854

Music: Melchior Teschner, ca. 1615 (ST. THEODULPH)

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Hosanna to the Son

This took place to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet:

*"Say to Daughter Zion,
'See, your king comes to you,
gentle and riding on a donkey,
and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.'"*

Matthew 21:4-5

CHORUS

Children

Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Blest is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Glory, glory be to God on high!

CHORUS

All

Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Blest is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Glory, glory be to God on high!

VERSE

The people heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem.
Riding on a donkey's colt he came
palm branches spread before him.
The disciples didn't understand
what was happening at first,
but when Jesus the King was glorified,
then they remembered --
It had all been written!

CHORUS

All

Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Blest is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Glory, glory be to God on high!

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Children

Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Blest is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!
Hosanna, hosanna to the son of David!
Glory, glory be; glory, glory be;
Glory, glory be to God on high!

"Hosanna to the Son"
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Is He Worthy?

And I heard every creature in heaven and on earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, saying,

"To him who sits on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever!"
Revelation 5:13

VERSE 1

Do you feel the world is broken?
We do.

Do you feel the shadows deepen?
We do.

But do you know that all the dark
won't stop the light from getting through?
We do.

Do you wish that you could
see it all made new?
We do.

VERSE 2

Is all creation groaning?
It is.

Is a new creation coming?
It is.

Is the glory of the Lord
to be the light within our midst?
It is.

Is it good that we
remind ourselves of this?
It is.

CHORUS 1

Is anyone worthy?
Is anyone whole?
Is anyone able to break the seal
and open the scroll?

The Lion of Judah who conquered the grave,
he is David's Root and
the Lamb who died to ransom the slave.

Is he worthy,
is he worthy
of all blessing and honor and glory?
Is he worthy of this?
He is.

VERSE 3

Does the Father truly love us?
He does.

Does the Spirit move among us?
He does.

And does Jesus, our Messiah,
hold forever those he loves?
He does.

Does our God intend
to dwell again with us?
He does.

CHORUS 2

Is anyone worthy?
Is anyone whole?
Is anyone able to break the seal
and open the scroll?

The Lion of Judah who conquered the grave,
he is David's Root and
the Lamb who died to ransom the slave.

From ev'ry people and tribe,
every nation and tongue,
he has made us a kingdom and priests
to God to reign with the Son.

Is he worthy,
is he worthy
of all blessing and honor and glory?

Is he worthy,
is he worthy?
Is he worthy of this?
He is.

CHORUS

Is he worthy,
is he worthy?
He is.
He is.

"Is He Worthy?"
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Doxology (text at #625)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise him all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heav'nly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.
Amen.

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"
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Ain't No Rock Gonna Shout for Me (11:00)

When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen:

"Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!"

"Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!"

Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples!"

*"I tell you," he replied, "if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out."
Luke 19:37-40*

Here comes the Lord ridin' on a donkey
with people waving branches and callin' Him King.
Here comes the Lord ridin' through Jerusalem,
if the people don't shout
the rocks will cry out!

Rocks keep silent,
Jesus comes to set me free!
Rocks keep silent,
I'm gonna' shout in victory!
Rocks keep silent,
Jesus reigns in majesty!
Ain't no rock gonna' shout for me!

Here comes the Lord as thousands throng to see Him;
children stand on tiptoe to see the King.
Here comes the Lord, excitement in the air;
if the people don't shout, the rocks will cry,
oh yes, the rocks will cry out!

Rocks keep silent,
Jesus comes to set me free!
Rocks keep silent,
I'm gonna' shout in victory!
Rocks keep silent,
Jesus reigns in majesty!
Ain't no rock gonna' shout for me!

Rocks keep silent,
ain't no rock gonna' shout for me;
rocks keep silent,
ain't no rock gonna' shout for me;
rocks keep silent,
ain't no rock gonna' shout for me!

Here comes the Lord, hosannas fill the air.
The people bow and worship the promised King.
Here comes the Lord, Hosanna in the highest!
If the people don't shout, the rocks will cry out!

Rocks keep silent,
Jesus comes to set me free!
Rocks keep silent,
I'm gonna' shout in victory!
Rocks keep silent,
Jesus reigns in majesty!
Ain't no rock gonna' shout for me!

"Ain't No Rock Gonna Shout for Me"
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You Are the Bread (8:30)

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant...

Philippians 2:5-7

VERSE

You are the bread and you are the wine,
broken and crushed for us.
You are the Spirit, filling our hearts
just as we fill this cup:

CHORUS

So pour us out into the world
as you poured out your blood;
we will be your broken bread,
feeding the world your love.

"You Are the Bread"
Author unknown

What Wondrous Love Is This (#177)

This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters.

1 John 3:16

VERSE 1

What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this
that caused the Lord of bliss
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul.

VERSE 2

When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down,
when I was sinking down, sinking down,
when I was sinking down beneath God's righteous frown,
Christ laid aside his crown for my soul, for my soul,
Christ laid aside his crown for my soul.

VERSE 3

To God and to the Lamb I will sing, I will sing;
to God and to the Lamb I will sing;
to God and to the Lamb, who is the great "I Am,"
while millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing,
while millions join the theme, I will sing.

VERSE 4

And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on;
and when from death I'm free, I'll sing on.
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be,
and through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,
and through eternity I'll sing on.

"What Wondrous Love Is This"
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Music: William Walker's *Southern Harmony*, 1835
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Benediction (8:30)

My Friends, May You Grow in Grace

But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be the glory both now and to the day of eternity. Amen.

2 Peter 3:18

VERSE

My friends may you grow in grace
and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior.
My friends may you grow in grace
and in the knowledge of Jesus Christ.

CHORUS

To God be the glory now and forever,
now and forever. Amen.
To God be the glory now and forever,
now and forever. Amen.

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Postlude (11:00)

Voluntary

By G. F. Handel