

Prelude "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" arr. Anna Laura Page

Welcome and Announcements Rev. H. Neely Gaston, DD

Call to Worship (Nancy Townley Ministry Matters TM/ Worship Connection: Palm Sunday 2025)

Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna! Rejoice for the Lord is in our midst.

He comes with joy and hope.

He comes to set us free from fear.

Hosanna!

Hosanna! Glory to God in the Highest Heaven. AMEN.

**Trinity Hymnal*, 237 "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!" ST. DROSTANE
Procession with the Palms

*Invocation

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.

Trinity Hymnal, 240 "The King of Glory Comes" PROMISED ONE

Psalter Reading Psalm 24 (*Trinity Hymnal*, page 791-792)

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary; suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; and the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic* Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*universal or world-wide

Gloria Patri "Glory Be to the Father" ^[TH 734] MEINEKE

Children's Sermon

Silent Prayer "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord" WHELPTON

(Congregation and choir sing together once.)

"Hear our prayer O Lord, Hear our prayer, O Lord;
Incline thine ear to us, and grant us thy peace."

Prayer

Offertory

*Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" ^[TH 731] OLD HUNDREDTH

*Prayer

Scripture Mark 11:1-11 ESV

¹ Now when they drew near to Jerusalem, to Bethphage and Bethany, at the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two of his disciples ² and said to them, "Go into the village in front of you, and immediately as you enter it you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever sat. Untie it and bring it. ³ If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' say, 'The Lord has need of it and will send it back here immediately.'" ⁴ And they went away and found a colt tied at a door outside in the street, and they untied it. ⁵ And some of those standing there said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" ⁶ And they told them what Jesus had said, and they let them go. ⁷ And they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks on it, and he sat on it. ⁸ And many spread their cloaks on the road, and others spread leafy branches that they had cut from the fields. ⁹ And those who went before and those who followed were shouting, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! ¹⁰ Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David! Hosanna in the highest!" ¹¹ And he entered Jerusalem and went into the temple. And when he had looked around at everything, as it was already late, he went out to Bethany with the twelve.

Sermon "The Triumphal Entry"

Prayer

**Trinity Hymnal*, 235 "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" ST. THEODULPH

*Prayer

*Benediction

*Postlude "All Glory, Laud, and Honor" arr. Anne A. Davis

Announcements for Sunday, April 13, 2025

Our Good Friday Tenebrae service is at 7:00 p.m. on April 18. Choir members should arrive by 6:15, and readers should arrive by 6:45 p.m. Please come to the choir room upon arrival.

Orders are due today for Easter lilies. The cost is \$15.07. Please complete purple order form and give it to Nancy Bailey.

Deacons meet following worship today.

The Session and our Women's Ministry meets Sunday, April 27th.

Children's Easter Egg Hunt following worship. Participants should meet in the Fellowship Hall.

York County Choral Society Presents Passiontide at Neely's Creek ARP Church this afternoon at 4:00 p.m. Tickets are available online.

It is time for the Catawba Women's Ministry Spring Meet & Greet Saturday, May 3rd at Clover ARP Church in Clover, SC. This event runs from 9-1 and includes a light breakfast and lunch. There is no charge for the event. The guest speaker is Anna Claire Dando from Columbia, SC. Please RSVP by April 18th to cwmofthearp@gmail.com.

The Easter Offering benefits ARP Foundation & Stewardship Ministries, Bonclarken Conference Center, Outreach North America, and World Witness. We urge you to give generously for these special causes and beyond your tithe to Union.

Special Offerings:

In Memory of Jerry & Carolyn Locke by Bernard & Harriett Shirley

Upcoming Events

Monday, April 14

10:00 a.m. – Leadership Planning Meeting (Conference Room)

Wednesday April 15

6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 17

No Girl Scouts

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service at Edgemoor ARP Church

Friday, April 18

7:00-8:00 p.m. – Good Friday Service at Union ARP Church

Saturday, April 19

8:00-3:00 p.m. Concealed Weapons Class

Sunday, April 20 Easter Sunday

7:00 a.m. Easer Sunrise Service followed by breakfast in Fellowship Hall

No Child/Adult Bible Study

11:00 a.m.- Worship at Edgemoor

Birthdays & Anniversaries

April 13 – T. & Sherry Melton

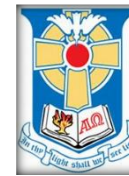
April 28 – Debbie Bennett

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Order of Worship
Sunday, April 13, 2025



Welcome in the name of Christ to all who gather for worship at Union Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church. As you join us for worship, we hope that you will sense God's presence, be caught up in joyful praise, be challenged by God's Word, and leave strengthened to live for Christ in the world. If you do not have a church home in this community, we encourage you to consider uniting with us in our work and worship.