

**Erickson Lutheran Church
30 – 3rd Street S. W.**

**Sunday, March 29, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.
Lay Sunday Service
Palm Sunday in Lent, Year A**



Procession of Palms (from the Narthex) singing “All Glory Laud and Honour”

Refrain

**All glory, laud and honour to you Redeemer, King,
To who the lips of children make sweet hosannas ring.**

**You are the king of Israel and David's royal Son,
Now in the Lord's name coming, our King and Blessed One. R**

**The company of angels are praising you on high;
Creation and all mortals in chorus make reply. R**

**The multitude of pilgrims with palms before you went;
Our praise and prayer and anthems before you we present. R**

Text: Theodulph of Orleans, 760-821; tr. John Mason Neale, 1818-1866, alt.

Welcome

Indigenous Land Acknowledgement

Celebration Candle



Children's Song “We Have A King That Rides a Donkey”

**We Have A King who rides a donkey (3 x)
And His name is Jesus**

**Trees are waving a Royal welcome (3 x)
For The King called Jesus**

**We have a King who cares for people (3 x)
And His name is Jesus.**

**We have a King with a bowl and towel (3 x)
Servant King is Jesus**

Confession and Forgiveness

Gracious God,
have mercy on us. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things done and left undone. Uphold us by your Spirit so that we may live and serve you in newness of life, to the honor and glory of your holy name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Amen

Gathering Hymn **822** *“O Sing to the Lord”*

Prayer of the Day

Sovereign God, you have established your rule in the human heart through the servanthood of Jesus Christ. By your Spirit, keep us in the joyful procession of those who with their tongues confess Jesus as Lord and with their lives praise him as Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Song of Praise **762** *“Holy, Holy, Holy”*

Scripture Readings *Isaiah 50:4-9a, Psalm 31:9-16, Philippians 2:5-11*

Psalm 31:9-16 *(in the red hymnal after page 338)*

Gospel Hymn *“Tell Me The Stories of Jesus”*

Tell me the stories of Jesus I love to hear,
Things I would ask him to tell me if he were here.
Scenes by the wayside, tales of the sea,
Stories of Jesus, tell them to me.

First let me hear how the children stood round his knee,
And I shall fancy his blessing resting on me:
Words full of kindness, deeds full of grace,
All in the love light of Jesus’ face.

Into the city I’d follow the children’s band,
Waving a branch of the palm tree high in my hand;
One of his heralds, yes, I would sing loudest hosannas!
Jesus is King.

Text: William H. Parker in 1885

Gospel ***Matthew 21:1-11***

Word of God Word of Life Thanks be to God

Reflection ***Lay Leader Dolores Hall***

Hymn of the Day **346** *“Ride On, Ride On in Majesty” (tune O Waly Waly)*

Nicene Creed *(page 126 in our red hymnal)*

Prayers for the People

Hear us, O God. **Your mercy is great.**

Sharing of the Peace

May the Peace of Christ be with you always. **And also with you.**

Offering Hymn *“For God So Loved the World”*

**For God so loved the World , He gave His only Son,
To die on Calvary's tree, from sin to set me free;
Some day He's coming back, what glory that will be!
Wonderful His love to me.**

Words Sir John Stainer (1840–1901) in 1887.

Offering Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer *(page 221 in our red hymnal, right hand column)*

Blessing

Sending Hymn *Choir “The Upper Room”*

Announcements

Activities for the Week March 30 to April 5

Tuesday, March 31– Choir at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 3 – Good Friday Communion Service at 10:30 a.m.

Sunday, April 5 – Bethel Sunrise Service at 7:00 a.m.

Sunday, April 5 – Erickson Easter Sunday Communion Service at 10:30 a.m.

Coffee to Follow (Potluck Lunch and Children Sunday School postponed to April 12)

Dismissal

Go in peace. Believe the good news. **Thanks be to God.**



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God Bless You!



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God's Blessings

To God Be The Glory!

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