

Parma-South Presbyterian Church

Parma Heights, Ohio

Palm / Passion Sunday

Rev. Bill Hudson, Transitional Pastor

Bob Schomer, Liturgist

Gwen Beyer, Music Director

Laurie Archibald, Organist/Pianist

Chris Kurka, A/V Coordinator

March 24, 2024

10 AM

Gathering

Greeting

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;
As it was in the beginning, is now
and shall be: world without end. Amen.

Prelude

Fanfare

K. Wilson

*Call to Worship

Psalm 118:26

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the LORD!
Hosanna in the highest!

*Hymn # 196 *All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

Proclamation of the Entrance Into Jerusalem

Mark 11:1-11

page 47 NT

Blessing of the Palms

We praise you, O God, for your redemption
of the world through Jesus Christ.

Today he entered the holy city of Jerusalem
in triumph and was proclaimed Messiah and king
by those who spread garments
and branches along his way.

Let these branches be signs of his victory,
and grant that we who carry them
may follow him in the way of the cross,
that, dying and rising with him,
we may enter into your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns
with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever.
Amen.

Anthem

Hosanna

C. Courtney

Time for Young Disciples *Jesus Loves Me...*

Ὡσαννά - Hosanna - Save us

The Word

Prayer for Illumination # 458, Refrain Psalm 119:105

Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

Gospel Mark 14:1-14 pages 51-54 NT

Solo *When She anointed his head?*

Gospel Mark 14:15-21

Solo *When they said, Surely not I?*

Gospel Mark 14:22-26

Solo *When He Broke the Bread?*

Gospel Mark 14:27-36

Solo *When Jesus Prayed?*

Gospel Mark 14:37-50

Solo *When Judas Betrayed with a Kiss?*

Gospel Mark 14:51-64

Solo *When They Cried blasphemy!?*

Gospel Mark 14:64-72

Solo *When Peter Denied?*

Gospel Mark 15:1-15

Solo *When They Shouted Crucify?*

Gospel Mark 15:16-39

Solo *When They Crucified My Lord?*

Silent Meditation

The Eucharist

Offering *I Sing the Mighty Power of God* arr. A.L. Page

***Doxology** *Praise God from whom all Blessings*

***Great Prayer of Thanksgiving**

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy...

...who forever sing to the glory of your name:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

Hosanna in the highest.

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Hosanna in the highest.

...Great is the mystery of Faith:

Christ has died. Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

The Lord's Prayer (debt/debtors)

Breaking of the Bread

Prayer after Communion

***Charge & Blessing**

Congregational Response # 540

Farewell, good friends! Farewell, good friends!

Shalom, shalom!

Till we meet again, till we meet again.

Shalom, shalom.

Postlude

Largo

J. Rosley

* All May Stand

Announcements and Events

Sunday, March 24, 2024



PARMA-SOUTH
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Church Office Hours: M – F 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

Sunday, March 24

9:00 AM – Adult Sunday School – Parlor

10:00 AM – Palm/Passion Sunday – Communion

- Kid's Easter Egg Hunt

11:00 AM – Coffee Hour – Dining Room

2:45 PM – Life Group – Online

6:00 PM – Homestead Hoofers 4H Meeting – Social Hall

Monday, March 25

7:00 PM – Life Group – Parlor

Tuesday, March 26

7:00 PM – Scout Troop 263 – Social Hall

Thursday, March 28

7:00 PM – Maundy Thursday – Sanctuary

Sunday, March 31

9:00 AM – Adult Sunday School – Parlor

10:00 AM – Easter Service – Sanctuary

- Easter Potluck – Dining Room

11:00 AM – Coffee Hour – Dining Room

2:45 PM – Life Group – Online

PRAYER REQUESTS

Prayer requests can be submitted by entering on the back of the attendance sheet or completing a Prayer Request card. Cards are in a holder at each pew. Please place it on the offering plate.

LIFE GROUP – an opportunity to discuss today's lesson and look deeper into today's scripture. Join the live Zoom feed Sundays starting at 2:45 PM. Contact John Lahl (440) 725-3239 or Ed Walker (440) 552-2998 for more information.

CARE TEAM - The Care Team has a supply of stamped and addressed cards in the Narthex for our friends and members. Please take a few and sign, add a short message if you'd like, then mail. Let's stay connected.

GRIEF GROUP - Rev. Dr. Debbie Cerra holds a Grief Group, online via Zoom, every 1st and 3rd Thursday, from 4:00-5:00. Debbie can be reached at (856) 912-1202 for more information.

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS – Please share your announcements to post in the weekly bulletin, by 10:00 AM on Wednesdays. Send to: officeadmin@parma-south.org. Many thanks and blessings.

MEETINGS - Please notify Pastor Bill Hudson, officeadmin@parma-south.org and Mary Sue Murphy at msmgrandma@gmail.com when a meeting or event is scheduled or cancelled. Thank you.

Below is Pastor Bill Hudson's contact information for your use.
Cell Number: 234-400-9453 E-mail Address: pastor@parma-south.org

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Per Capita for 2024 is \$38 per person. Please make this payment as soon as you can. Thank you!

New Members Class – Interested in joining this congregation? Please let Pastor Bill Hudson know. Contact: 234-400-9453

Membership can be accomplished in 1 of 3 ways:

- By confessing Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior. And if you have not yet been baptized, this would include your baptism.
- By transfer of your membership from another congregation.
- By a reaffirmation of faith.

Ongoing Prayer Concern: Pastor Blake's wife, Megan, has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer. Please keep the Severson family in your prayers. Cards can be sent to:

Blake Severson
420 Cherry St.
Anchorage, AK 99504

Farewell to Rev. Hudson

Rev. Hudson has decided to leave Parma-South effective April 15. We appreciate his service and wish him well. He will preach through Easter Sunday and then take his two-week earned vacation.

Since Easter Sunday is Rev. Hudson's last day with us, and an Easter potluck is already planned, in lieu of a farewell coffee hour, we will send Rev. Hudson off with a basket of good wishes.

Please write down your kindest regards and place them in a plastic egg.

If you are unable to drop your sentiments off in person, please call the office or email Nicole at OfficeAdmin@parma-south.org. We'll put your comments into an egg for you.

All the Best!

Christian Education



March 24 | Palm Sunday

Our Annual Egg Hunt and Easter Celebration, will be during the Worship service.



EASTER SUNDAY

There will be no Sunday School. Nursery care will be available. Happy Easter!

You are invited to
**Easter
Potluck
Luncheon**

March 31 | Sunday | 11:00 AM
The Dining Hall

Join us for fellowship and an Easter meal immediately after the worship service. Please bring a side dish to share, and RSVP to Katie Kolthoff by March 27th at: 216-386-7741. We hope to see you there!

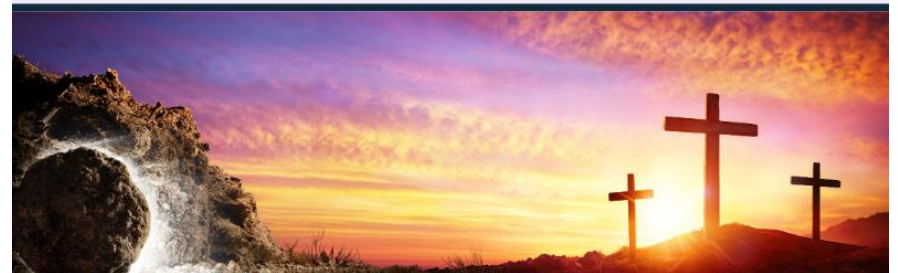
Celebrate Our Savior!

Holy Week Services

Palm Sunday – Today: Our children will pass out palms during the service. Following that, they are invited to our Annual Egg Hunt and Easter celebration. (It may be held upstairs for more hiding places. We'll let you know.) Come and wave the palms, as we celebrate the entrance of Christ into Jerusalem.

Maundy Thursday Service – March 28 at 7:00 pm: On Maundy Thursday, communion will be served, to commemorate Jesus Christ's Last Supper with his disciples.

Easter Service – Sunday, March 31 at 10:00 am: Please come and join us on Easter morning, communion will be served. There will be Nursery care, but no Sunday School that day. Come and celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior.



CEREAL BOXES NEEDED for the Eclipse Event!

Please save your empty cereal boxes and bring them to the church work room. They will be used at our April 8th Eclipse Event (for participants to craft their own pinhole eclipse viewer). Thank you.

Eclipse Event Volunteer Opportunities include: Overseeing activities both inside and outside the Parma-South church building; distributing snacks; direct people to the sanctuary, gym, and bathrooms; oversee some “eclipse” crafts, etc.

If you can help, please notify: John Lahl, Audrey Brandmeier, Cathy Sinko or the church office. Thank you!



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