



Becoming St. Mark & St. Paul in May

The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

March 28, 2021, 8:30 am

Liturgy of the Palms and The Holy Eucharist, Rite II

Weather permitting, the service begins outside in front of Brooks Hall. If necessary, rest rooms are available in Claiborne Parish House, the building directly behind the church.

Prelude

The Rector says words of introduction.

Celebrant Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.

People **Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.**

Celebrant Let us pray. . . .

The People respond to the prayer **Amen.**

Mark 11:1-11

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

After the Gospel of the Palms

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People **It is right to give him thanks and praise.**

Celebrant It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
People **Hosanna in the highest.**
Deacon Let us go forth in peace.
People **In the name of Christ. Amen.**

Processional Hymn 154

Refrain

All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or to thee, Re - deem - er, King!
 to whom the lips of chil - dren made sweet ho - san - nas ring.

1 Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
 2 The com - pa - ny of an - gels is prais - ing thee on high;
 3 The peo - ple of the He - brews with palms be - fore thee went;
 4 To thee be - fore thy pas - sion they sang their hymns of praise;
 5 Thou didst ac - cept their prais - es; ac - cept the prayers we bring,

Repeat Refrain

1 who in the Lord's Name com - est, the King and Bless - ed One.
 2 and we with all cre - a - tion in cho - rus make re - ply.
 3 our praise and prayers and an - thems be - fore thee we pre - sent.
 4 to thee, now high ex - al - ted, our mel - o - dy we raise.
 5 who in all good de - light - est, thou good and gra - cious King.

The stanzas may be sung by choir alone or alternately by contrasted groups; all sing the refrain.

Words: Theodulph of Orleans (d. 821); tr. John Mason Neale (1818-1866), alt.
 Music: *Valet will ich dir geben*, melody Melchior Teschner (1584-1635), alt.; harm. William Henry Monk (1823-1889)

The procession stops at the church door for this collect.
 Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: Mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The procession then moves inside the church.

Once everyone reaches their seats, the Celebrant continues The Lord be with you.

People **And also with you.**

Celebrant Let us pray. . . .

The People respond to the collect **Amen.**

Isaiah 50:4-9a

After the lesson

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 31:9-16 *read in unison*

Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I am in trouble; *

my eye is consumed with sorrow,

and also my throat and my belly.

For my life is wasted with grief,

and my years with sighing; *

my strength fails me because of affliction,

and my bones are consumed.

I have become a reproach to all my enemies and even to my neighbors,

a dismay to those of my acquaintance; *

when they see me in the street they avoid me.

I am forgotten like a dead man, out of mind; *

I am as useless as a broken pot.

For I have heard the whispering of the crowd;

fear is all around; *

they put their heads together against me;

they plot to take my life.

But as for me, I have trusted in you, O Lord. *

I have said, "You are my God.

My times are in your hand; *

rescue me from the hand of my enemies,

and from those who persecute me.

Make your face to shine upon your servant, *

and in your loving-kindness save me."

Philippians 2:5-11

After the lesson

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Mark 15:1-47

The customary responses before and after the Gospel are omitted.

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<i>In greeting each other in the name of the Lord, be sure to keep at least 6 feet distant.</i>	

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Celebrant As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray.

All

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept.

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

People **Have mercy on us.**

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

People **Have mercy on us.**

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world.

People **Grant us peace.**

Communion of the People

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion. Be sure to maintain 6 feet of distance from anyone outside your household at all times. Keep your mask on, extend your arms fully, and cup your hands to receive the wafer bread without touching. Gluten-free wafers are available; simply ask the priest. As you pass the table of chalices, you are invited to pick up one per household. After returning to your

seat, shift your mask, consume the Sacrament, and re-mask right after. Please return the chalice to one of the tables provided following the service.

Sending forth of Eucharistic Visitors (if needed)

(in unison) **In the name of Otey Parish, we send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you go may share with us in the communion of Christ's body and blood. We who are many are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.**

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The Celebrant prays over the People, who respond **Amen.**

A Deacon dismisses the People, who respond **Thanks be to God.**

Postlude

Readers - Annette Smith, Phebe Hethcock

Intercessor – Deacon David Boyd

Video – Meghan Mazur

Ushers – Marilyn Phelps, Tom Phelps

Altar Guild - George Dick

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Episcopal Church Women and Daughters of the King

Prayer Requests: Abu-Ali Abdur'Rahman, Sandra Babb, Corky Carlisle, Carolyn Davis, Pixie Dozier, Barb Ford, Catherine Garcia, David Kearley, George Ramseur, Jennifer Sturgis Roberts, and those others we name.

Birthdays: Ren Elrod, Christian Taylor, Frieda Hawkins, Doug Seiters, Tom Phelps, Beth Chamberlain, Christianna Taylor, Rod Smith, Paul Mazur, Eleanor Smith

The 8:30am service will be offered online and afterward on our Facebook page and at 11:00am and afterward on our YouTube channel. People who have been through the entire vaccination course plus 2 weeks may attend at 8:30 in person in the church, with overflow in St. Mark's Hall.

The 11 am service takes place outside (weather permitting) for everyone, as long as they do not have symptoms of COVID. In case of rain, the 11 am service will be in the church, with overflow in St. Mark's Hall.

Home Communion is available from the clergy and lay Eucharistic Visitors with the goal that any parishioner not comfortable attending church in person will be able to receive safely once per month. If you would like Communion brought to you, please contact Deacon Betty Carpenter at deacon@oteyparish.org.

Godly Play Sunday School - 9:30 am via Zoom:
“**Faces of Easter, 6&7**” - told by Cheryl Lankhaar
Contact formation@oteyparish for the link.

No Sunday Forum today or Easter Sunday.

Fire on the Mountain Youth Sunday School (grades 6-12) – 4:00-6:00 pm in St. Mark’s Hall with masks and distancing. Please bring your own water.

CAC continues its work of serving the needy with food and in other ways. Director David Goodpaster is staffing CAC, taking sensible precautions while serving people in need 9 to 11am, Monday through Friday. Please call 931-598-5927.

Parish staff members are combining in-person and remote work as best fits their duties. To meet with a staff member, please contact the staff member directly, call the office phone number (931-598-5926), or send an email (admin@oteyparish.org).

Maunday Thursday, April 1 - 5:00pm Holy Eucharist in St. Mark’s Hall.

Good Friday, April 2 -12:00 and 5:00 pm - Solemn Liturgy in St. Mark’s Hall.

Easter Day, April 4 - 8:30 & 11:00am Festival Holy Eucharist.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held at 10:15 a.m. on Easter Sunday with three age categories - up to age 3, ages 3 through 1st grade, and 2nd-5th grade

Youth and adult volunteers are needed to help hide the eggs at 9:30 a.m. If anyone has decorated eggs you would like to donate to the hunt, please bring them to the Brooks Hall sidewalk by 9:30.

The mission of Otey Parish is to worship God, to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, to serve the world for which Christ died, to educate and nurture our community, and welcome all.

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