

PROVIDENCE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Rooted in Faith, Nurtured by Grace, Growing God's Kingdom

Welcome.
We are glad
you have chosen to
gather and worship!
Go to
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to join us for a live
broadcast starting
at 11:00 am.

Chiming of the Hour and Greeting

Enter Into Worship

Prelude

Jesus Shall Reign (Lyle Bagley, cornet)

arr. D.R. Heier

Call to Worship

LORD, save us! LORD, grant us success!

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

From the house of the LORD we bless you.

The LORD is God, and He has made His light shine on us.

Introit/Children's Processional

Sing Hosanna

Michael Jothen

Sing Hosanna to him who comes, sing Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!

Prayer of Confession

Merciful Lord, we confess that among us is an abundance of sin, but in you there is an abundance of righteousness and mercy. We are spiritually poor, but you are rich and Jesus Christ came to be merciful to the poor. Strengthen our faith and trust in you. We are empty vessels that need to be filled; fill us. We are weak in faith; strengthen us. We are cold in love; warm us and make our hearts fervent for you that our love may go out to one another and to our neighbors. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Confessional Response (Sung by choir and congregation)

Kyrie Eleison, Christe Eleison, Kyrie Eleison (Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy)

Assurance of Pardon

Response to God's Grace

Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end, Amen. Amen.

Hvmn 197

Hosanna. Loud Hosanna

text by Jennett Threfall, 1873

music from Gesangbuch der Herzogl, 1784

We confess our sins as the people of God together, out loud, and to others because of the incredible power there is in putting our failures and faults in the light of God's love.



First Scripture Reading

Luke 19: 28-40

Anthem When Jesus Wept

William Billings, 1770 arr. Peter P. Olejar

When Jesus wept, the falling tear in mercy flowed beyond all bound; When Jesus groaned, a trembling fear seized all the guilty world around.

Time with Young Disciple

Second Scripture Reading Philippians 2: 5-11

Sermon Palm Sunday: The Director's Cut



Prayer of the People and 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.

Offering our Gifts

Offertory Solemn Melody John S. Dixon

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication

Affirmation of Faith

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; 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

Hymn 196

All Glory, Laud, and Honor text by Theodulph of Orleans, c. 820 music by Melchior Teschner, 1614



Benediction

Closing Response

May the Lord

May the Lord, mighty God, Bless and keep you forever Grant you peace, perfect peace, Courage in every endeavor. Lift up your eyes and see His face and His grace forever. May the Lord, mighty God, Bless and keep you forever.

Postlude The Palms Jean Baptiste Faure



Holy Week Services - Providence will host a Maundy Thursday dinner and service in the fellowship hall, on April 17, at 5:00 pm. Our Good Friday Service, with a special performance by the Providence and Great Bridge Choirs, will be held on April 18 at 7:00 pm. On Easter Sunday, April 20, we will have a Sunrise Service at 7:30 am in the courtyard (weather permitting). We will hold a traditional Easter Service at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary.

Maundy Thursday - Join us for a **Maundy Thursday dinner service on April 17 at 5:00 pm**. We will gather in the fellowship hall to share soup and rolls while we worship. Please sign up at the church to show if you will attend and if you wish to bring a soup to share. For more information contact the church office at **office@provpres.org**.

One Great Hour of Sharing – Received on Easter Sunday, April 20 - Around the world, millions of people lack access to sustainable food sources, clean water, sanitation, education, and opportunity. The three programs supported by One Great Hour of Sharing are the Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, the Presbyterian Hunger Program, and Self-Development of People. All work in different ways to serve individuals and communities in need by providing relief from natural disasters, food for the hungry, and support for the poor and oppressed. OGHS is the single, largest way that Presbyterians come together every year to work for a better world. The offering will be received on Easter Sunday, April 20. Make checks payable to Providence Presbyterian with an indication for "OGHS". Envelops for OGHS may be found in your box of offering envelops. Bring your offering to worship or mail to Providence Presbyterian Church, 5497 Providence Road, VB 23464.

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