

THE FEDERATED CHURCH OF HYANNIS
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April 14, 2019
10:00 a.m.

Palm Sunday

Service of Lesson and Carols for Palm/Passion Sunday

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

GATHERING

*Standing to praise God.

Bolded words are spoken by the congregation.

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLE

CALL OF THE BELL

WELCOME-SETTING THE STAGE *Looking Toward Jerusalem* Sherrie Scudder
(a poem by Ann Weems)

THE TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

PRELUDE

(Please enter into a time of centering silence during the Prelude)

Ride on King Jesus - Traditional
Roy Campbell

GOSPEL READING

Mark 11:1-11

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Rev. Philomena Hare

CALL TO WORSHIP

Bob Shea

L: Hosanna to the Son of David!

P: Hosanna in the highest!

L: Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord.

P: Hosanna in the highest!

*HYMN

#178 All Glory, Laud, and Honor

BLESSING OF THE PALMS (unison)

O God, who in Jesus Christ triumphantly entered Jerusalem, heralding a week of pain and sorrow, be with us now as we follow the way of the cross. In these events of defeat and victory, you have sealed the closeness of death and resurrection, of humiliation and exaltation. We thank you for these branches that promise to become for us symbols of martyrdom and majesty. Bless them and us that their use this day may announce in our time that Christ has come and that Christ will come again. Amen! Come, Christ Jesus, Amen.

PROCLAMATION OF THE PASSION STORY

CHORAL ANTHEM

Fanfare for Palm Sunday – Katherine K. Davis

A FITTING ENTRANCE

Donkey Theology
(poem by Koloma Make)

Philip Scudder

THE CHANGING SCENE

My Thoughts on a Summer Day
(poem by Jean Jackson)

Vicki Marchant

*HYMN

#173 Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days (vs. 1, 4)

THE BETRAYAL

Renderings
(Poem by J. Barrie Shepherd)

Bob Shea

LITANY of CONFESSION

Bob Phear

L: Judas, slave of jealousy, where are you?

P: I am here.

L: Peter, slave of fear, where are you?

P: I am here.

L: Thomas, slave of doubt, where are you?

P: I am here.

L: Men and women of Jerusalem, enslaved to mob rule, where are you?

P: I am here.

L: Pilate, slave of expediency, where are you?

P: I am here.

L: The story of Christ's passion and death mirrors for us much of our own weakness and sin. We all come here as men and women who have missed the mark and who are alienated from God and our neighbors near and far.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

L: Hear the Good News: Even Judas was included in that last supper with Jesus.

P: Even when we are languishing in the depths, Christ offers his grace.

PASSING OF THE PEACE

L: The Peace of Christ be with you.

P: And also, with you!

OUR OFFERING TO GOD

***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

DEDICATION OF OFFERINGS

CHORAL ANTHEM

Hosanna! – Graig Courtney

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

IN THE GARDEN

Gethsemane
(Poem by Ella Wheeler Wilcox)

Ellen Dornemann

HYMN

#171 *Go to Dark Gethsemane, vs. 1*

THE TRIAL

Fair is fair
(poem by Ann Weems)

Hank Farnham

HYMN

#191 *What Wondrous Love is This (vs. 1-2)*

PETER'S DENIAL

The Courtyard Scene (Read in Unison)
(Poem by Ann Weems)

Over and over again we sit in our courtyards, our mouths speaking what our hearts are full of "WE DO NOT KNOW HIM." "Do not know Him" echoes loudly, emphatically, filling time and space, heaven and earth; and yet the saddest part is this:

when the cock crows we don't have the ears TO HEAR. At least Peter had the ears to hear and the heart to weep.

HYMN #183 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded, (vs. 1 & 3)

JESUS BEFORE PILATE *Mark 15:1-15* Rev. Philomena Hare

Again, the Story is Told Gary Sylvester
(Poem by Ada Jackson)

HYMN #183 Go to Dark Gethsemane (v 2)

CHORAL ANTHEM *Palm Branches – Jean Babtist-Faure*

(Silence)

JESUS IS CRUCIFIED *Mark 15:20b-39* Rev. Philomena Hare

HYMN #184 Were You There? vs 1 & 4

LITURGICAL CYCLES *A Christmas Hymn*
(Poem by Richard Wilbur)

HYMN #183 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded, vs. 1 & 3

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Silent Night - Traditional*

You are invited to keep this copy of the worship bulletin and take it home with you to share with another member of your family, or with a friend.

The Federated Church

Weekly News

April 14, 2019

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ANNOUNCEMENT – There will be a meeting of the Memorials Committee in the Parlor immediately following today’s service. Jan Cliggott

ANNOUNCEMENT – The **Annual Palm Sunday Brunch** will be held in Baldwin Hall immediately following the service. Everyone is invited. Free will

Our Deacon of the Day is Wendy McKay. Greeters: Robert Shea **Ushers:** Carol Beckloff, Jan Cliggott, Dot Sullivan and Carol Wroblewski



Remember in Prayer:

Prayers for Doug Beck

Prayers for Loren Cavanaugh – 34 Yarmouth Rd., Hyannis, MA

Prayers for Nancy Shea – 5 Brookshire Rd., Hyannis, MA 02601

***Prayers for Chris Werner** whose husband Joe who passed away on March 21st – 324 Patriot Way, Centerville, MA 02632.

***New Concern**

UPCOMING WEEK’S EVENTS

April 14	11.30 am	Palm Sunday Brunch in Baldwin Hall
April 14	6 – 7 pm	NA Meeting – Baldwin Hall
April 15	10:00 am	Free Café in Baldwin Hall
April 15	7:30 pm	Al-Anon Meeting in Baldwin Hall
April 15	7:30 pm	AA Meeting in Fellowship Hall
April 16	7 – 10 pm	Cranberry Shores Chorus – Fellowship
April 16	7:30 pm	NA Meeting in Resource Room
April 17	10:00 am	Free Café in Baldwin Hall
April 17	12:00 pm	AA Meeting in Baldwin Hall
April 17	6:00 pm	RSAT meeting in Baldwin Hall
April 18	8 – 5 pm	LifeLine Screening – Fellowship
April 18	7:00 pm	Maundy Thursday Service – Baldwin Hall
April 18	7:30 pm	Women’s AA Meeting in Resource Room
April 20	7:30 pm	NA Meeting – Fellowship Hall



New Opportunity for Corporate and Personal prayer

Federated Church is excited to announce the formation of a new prayer group, that meets the *first Friday monthly, beginning Friday, May 3rd 10:00 am to 11:00 in the church.*

Open to all, the hour is a combination of songs and prayers for the congregation, our community, ourselves, and the world. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we will pray for those experiencing illnesses, job loss, broken relationships, or any other personal crisis. We pray that this prayer ministry will bring comfort, spiritual healing and hope to each of you.

Join our Prayer Ministry,
Rev Philomena

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Month

Birthdays

Anniversaries

April

2	Ken DeLong	4	Ed and Faye LaVallee
4	Pam Frazier		
5	Judy Botsford		
5	Joan Knowlton		
7	Christine Civitarese		
11	Priscilla Wallace		
14	Ellen Dornemann		
16	Patrick LaPorte		
16	Beth Pykosz		
16	Robin Fryer		
22	Bo Chu		
27	Dave Wilbur		
28	Gerald Pease		

HOLY WEEK



The schedule for Holy Week at Federated:

Sunday, April 14—10:00 Worship

Thursday, April 18—7:00 pm Maundy Thursday

Friday, April 19—12:00 noon Good Friday

Sunday, April 21—5:45 am Sunrise Service,
St. Andrews-By-The-Sea, Hyannisport &
10:00 am Worship in the Sanctuary

The Friendly Thrift Shop

Easter, is a very beautiful and important season for all of us. This Easter, we'll be having a fun sale you'll all enjoy ! Starting on Thursday April 18th through Saturday April 27th we'll be having an Easter, basket with pretty colorful eggs inside of it ! You can pick out an egg, open it to find a round colored discount card inside each egg ! These discounts will range from 10 %, 13 %, or even 50 % off your entire purchase. Who knows you might just find the big 50 % off card ??

We're in need of gently used Summer hats, sheet sets, flatware, { spoons etc. } rain poncho's, men's clothes, beach toys and books.

We appreciate all of your gifts of donations very much. Please keep them coming.

Many blessings. Wendy McKay