

# PALM SUNDAY

April 10, 2022

*Hosanna!*

BLESSED IS THE KING WHO COMES  
IN THE NAME OF THE LORD!

The Plymouth Church in Framingham

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## **CLOTHING COLLECTION FOR CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE - MAY 27-28**

The Social Action Committee is collecting gently-used clothing for its annual Rummage Sale. Women's, men's, and children's clothing accepted, in all sizes. If possible, please bundle women's, men's, and children's items in separately labeled bags to help make sorting easier. **All items can be dropped off in the Parish Hall foyer beginning Sunday, May 22.** Rummage Sale dates are: Friday, May 27, 6:00-8:00 p.m., and Saturday May 28, from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. If you're interested in helping sort clothing or assisting on sale day, please contact the Social Action Committee for more details: Mattie Schadt, Robyne Jerome, Al Rapoza, or Sam Swisher.

## **ANNUAL PERENNIAL PLANT SALE RETURNS**

The Plymouth Church Perennial Plant Sale, sponsored by Women's Fellowship, will be held on Saturday, **May 28**, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., in the front of the church (concurrent with the Rummage Sale in the Parish Hall). Both sales will need volunteers for set-up and staffing. The plant sale will need your extra empty pots (at least 6" in diameter) which may be left next to the shed at your earliest convenience and perennial plants to be left the week of the sale. Please check your perennial beds for seedlings and for plants to divide later in the month for potting up. Volunteers should contact Ellen Rivoir, at [evrivoir@gmail.com](mailto:evrivoir@gmail.com), or 508.877.8482

## **MAUNDY THURSDAY READERS NEEDED**

We are looking for Readers on Maundy Thursday, April 14, at 7:30 p.m. If you are interested in reading Scripture and extinguishing a candle, please contact Kathy Copson.

## **SMOC SEEKS BLANKETS**

One of our supported SMOC shelters has a need for single bed sized blankets and sheets. (No children/Disney designs, please.) Leave items in the playpen in the Parish Hall foyer.

## **SUPPORTING THE PEOPLE OF UKRAINE - MATCHING GRANT!**

The Social Action Committee is excited to announce we will be matching donations to Ukraine "dollar for dollar," up to \$2,500, beginning immediately. Please mail your check to the Church Office with "Ukraine" noted on the memo line. Tell your friends and family, too. All donations welcome! This is an ongoing project to help the people of Ukraine, with details forthcoming on special collections and other ways to help. Thank you

## **EARTH DAY CELEBRATION ON THE COMMON**

Our Plymouth Church Green Team needs your help! Sign up for a shift at our Plymouth Church booth, on **April 23**. Donate clean fabric napkins for an Earth Day project. (Place napkins in the marked basket by the elevator downstairs.) Questions? Contact Jane Fadden ([faddenvj@aol.com](mailto:faddenvj@aol.com)) or Laraine Snooks ([larainesnooks@msn.com](mailto:larainesnooks@msn.com))

## **ORDER CHANCEL FLOWERS ONLINE**

You may now order Chancel flowers online, via our website. Visit our website and click on the *Church Family* tab. You'll find *Order Chancel Flowers* in the drop-down menu.

## **THE GREAT FRAMINGHAM CLEANUP 2.0**

From April 9 to April 22, join hundreds of Framingham's finest for *Keep Framingham Beautiful's* second annual, city-wide cleanup! Over the course of two weeks, we will all work to make our city clean!

### **GROUP CLEANUPS:**

- **Saturday, April 16, 10:00 a.m.:** Farm Pond Park. Meet at Barbieri Elementary School (100 Dudley Rd.)
  - **Friday, April 22, 10:00 a.m.:** Framingham Centre Cleanup. Meet at Village Hall (2 Oak St.)
  - **Sunday, April 24, 11:00 a.m.:** "Plymouth Church Crew" Cleanup. Meet at Church parking lot after worship.
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## Palm Sunday, April 10, 2022

Today's Chancel Flowers are given by Susan Ellis,  
in celebration of the Children of Plymouth Church.

Prelude

*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

*Teschner/Wood*

Call to Worship

One: There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars,

**All: There will be signs on the earth: distress among nations confused**

One: People will faint.

**All: The powers of the heavens will be shaken.**

One: Then you will see "the Son of Man coming in a cloud" with power and great glory.

**All: Then we will see the Son of Man.**

One: Now, when these things happen, stand up and raise your heads,

**All: Our redemption is drawing near.'**

One: Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down by the worries of this life,

**All: This day will not catch us unexpectedly.**

One: Be alert at all times and pray.

**All: We are alert and praying to stand before the Son of Man.**

*Luke 21:25-28 & 34-36, The coming of the Son of Man*

Welcome & Announcements

Luke 19:28-40

Litany of Invocation

Today's litany is call and response. During each reply, wave your palm branches high!

One: "Blessed is he...

**All: "...who comes in the name of the Lord!"**

Message for All Ages

Anthem

*Blessed Is He Who Comes in the Name of the Lord*

*Larson*

Prayers of the People & 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.*

*Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.*

*And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.*

*For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, Amen.*

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Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

*Air from Suite in D Major*

*Bach*

Doxology

Sermon

Closing Hymn

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

Luke 22:7-16

Benediction

Postlude

*Erbamedich*

*Bach*

*Have mercy, my God, for the sake of my fears!*

*Look here, heart and eyes weep bitterly for you. Have mercy, have mercy!*

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”

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*Jennette Threlfall, 1873; alt.*

*Mark 11:8-10; Matt. 21:15*

1 “Ho - san - na, loud ho - san - na,” the lit - tle chil - dren sang;  
2 From Ol - i - vet they fol - lowed a - mid a cheer - ing crowd,  
3 “Ho - san - na in the high - est!” That an - cient song is ours.

through pil - lared court and tem - ple the love - ly an - them rang;  
the vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, and chant - ing clear and loud.  
We hail our great Re - deem - er and sing with all our powers:

To Je - sus, who had blessed them close fold - ed to his breast,  
The one whom an - gels wor - ship rode on in low - ly state,  
“Ho - san - na, Christ, we praise you with heart and life and voice.

the chil - dren sang their prais - es, the sim - plest and the best.  
and glad to see the chil - dren, slowed down the don - key's gait.  
Ho - san - na! In your pres - ence for - ev - er we'll re - joice!”

*Jennette Threlfall of England, who was disabled by two accidents, wrote hymns that inspired hope and courage in others. This text was published in her collection Sunshine and Shadow.*

Tune: ELLACOMBE C.M.D.  
Gesangbuch der herzoglichen Württembergischen  
katholischen Hofkapelle, 1784