

welcome to Joy! Lutheran Church

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Reaching our neighbors with Christ's love so all lives are changed.

PALM SUNDAY

Join us for worship next Sunday, March 31st for Easter Sunday services as we conclude Holy Week by celebrating Jesus' resurrection and victory over death. The empty tomb is a symbol of hope as we remember that the resurrected Jesus can resurrect hope in us.



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PALM SUNDAY

WELCOME

Hosanna

My Jesus

King Of My Heart

PRAYER

SHARING OF THE PEACE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Linda Poe

MESSAGE

Pastor Laura Kline

Lion and the Lamb

CONFESSION

Pastor Mark Borgetti

COMMUNION

Pastor Mark Borgetti

LORD'S PRAYER

Hosanna

OFFERING

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Only King Forever

BENEDICTION

MARCH 24, 2024

Big Picture: On Palm Sunday, we revisit the scene of Jesus entering Jerusalem amidst cheers and expectations. It's a powerful moment that urges us to ponder our expectations of Jesus. The crowd hoped for an immediate hero, but Jesus, riding on a donkey, had a different purpose.

Application & Reflection:

1. Reflect on a time that brought excitement to your life. How does this relate to the scene on Palm Sunday?
2. Have you ever been disappointed when someone you looked up to didn't meet your expectations? How does this relate to the crowd on Palm Sunday?
3. What are the qualities you admire in a leader? How does Jesus' demonstration of what makes a good leader challenge your ideas of a good leader?

Prayer: Merciful God, we give You thanks for Jesus' example of humble leadership. Grant us the courage to embrace humility, recognizing that true strength lies not in grandiosity, but in humble service to others. Guide us in aligning our aspirations with Your divine purpose in all we do. Amen.

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Total Offerings **	\$ 58,064	\$ 61,600	\$ (3,536)
Total Expenses	\$ 57,527	\$ 70,701	\$ (13,174)
Offering Less Expense =	\$ 536	\$ (9,101)	\$ 9,637
Mortgage Balance	\$1,477,063		
Thrivent Choice Receipts	\$211.00		
*Fiscal Year 1/1/24—12/31/24			
**Total Income includes all receipts of gifts, facility usage, program fees, etc.			