



See, your
King comes
to YOU,
RIGHTEOUS
and having salvation,
gentle
& riding on a
donkey, on a colt,
the foal of a
donkey.

Zechariah 9:9b



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Welcome!

We are glad that you have joined us for worship.

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Jennifer Tripp, Preschool Director/Teacher

March 24, 2024



We are pleased you could join us. May your worship with us draw you closer to God and equip you for a life of even more dynamic Christian discipleship. If you need assistance during the service, please speak to one of the ushers.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

**WORSHIP THEME: *Rethinking Religion:
Real Strength***

OPENING SONG: *Hosanna! Hosanna!* (Sunday School & Catechism Children)

HYMN: #412 *All Glory, Laud, and Honor* (vs.1-5)

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING LITANY (Zechariah 9:9 & Psalm 24)

CONFESSION OF SINS

ANNOUNCEMENT OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

PRAYER OF THE DAY

THE WORD

FIRST LESSON: **Mark 11:1-10**

SUNG RESPONSE: *Psalm 95* (Choir)

SECOND LESSON: **Hebrews 12:1-3**

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SERMON HYMN: #414 *No Tramp of Soldiers' Marching Feet* (vs.1-4)

SERMON TEXT: **Psalm 118**

THEME: **A Holy Week Medley**

SUNG CREED

OFFERING AND RESPONSIVE PRAYER

PRAYER OF THE CHURCH

LORD'S PRAYER

BLESSING

CLOSING HYMN: #411 *Ride On, Ride On in Majesty* (vs.1-5)



CONNECTION CARD ON OUR APP



Please take a moment and fill out the info on the connection card, located under the Worship Today button on our app or on our website. There is a tablet in entryway or QR Code on the left if you prefer to use that. Please fill out any information and submit.

THE OFFERING

Dear guests, we're glad you're here to listen to the message about Jesus.

If members or guests would like to give an offering electronically, they can do so by using the QR Code on the right or download our App, which is available at any app store. Those that give digitally can place the "Give" cards in the plate during the offering.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY: **My Life for the Kingdom - Lesson 9**: Last week we saw how God used Joseph to bring his brothers to repentance and heal his sin-broken family. This week we are given a glimpse into God's larger plan of having the Israelites settle in Egypt.

QUARTERLY/CALL MEETING: **Mark your calendars of April 14th @ 10:45am**

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE:

Maundy Thursday, March 28 @ 7:00PM

Good Friday, March 29 @ 7:00PM

Easter Sunday, March 31 @ 9:30AM

EASTER VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP/BREAKFAST: **Sunday, March 31st** Group Life is looking for volunteers to help set up, cook/serve, and take down. Please see the sign-up on the Group Life Board or on our app. Join us for this time of fellowship.

INTERFAITH OUTREACH: We are collecting non-perishable food items now thru Easter to help those in need. There is a cart setup in the fellowship hall.

WISE PENNY: Looking for volunteers on the **2nd Sunday** of each month at **1:00pm** or volunteer during the week for 2 hour shift. There is a sign-up on the GroupLife board for the Sunday shifts. Sign-up for both are on our App under GroupLife.

WEST LUTHERAN:

- GERTENS FUNDRAISING: Order plants/gift cards to support the Fine Arts Club. Go to gertensfundraising.com Enter store ID: 954. Order by April 1st.
- 2024 GALA: will be held at the Marriott Northwest in Brooklyn Park on April 13th. See link to purchase tickets: <https://one.bidpal.net/westgala2024/welcome>.
- ALUMNI: Celebrating its 45th Anniversary on Saturday, May 18 at the Medina Ballroom from 5-10 pm. Please RSVP by May 1 at bit.ly/wlhs45.

MUSIC AND JESUS (MAJ): Kids MAJ is a day camp for youth in grades 2-8, and Teen MAJ is an overnight retreat for teens in grades 8-13. For more info and registration (early bird deadline is April 1, regular deadline is June 1), visit www.musicandjesus.org.

SINGLES RETREAT: All singles are invited to the 2024 WELS/ELS Singles Retreat. Register at wels-els-singles.com/2024-texas-retreat (<http://wels-els-singles.com/2024-texas-retreat>). Questions can be sent to texassingleswels@gmail.com.

THANKS TO THOSE WHO SERVED:

- † Organist: Susan Decker
- † Sunday School and Catechism Children
- † Choir
- † Drums: Eric Olson
- † AV Team