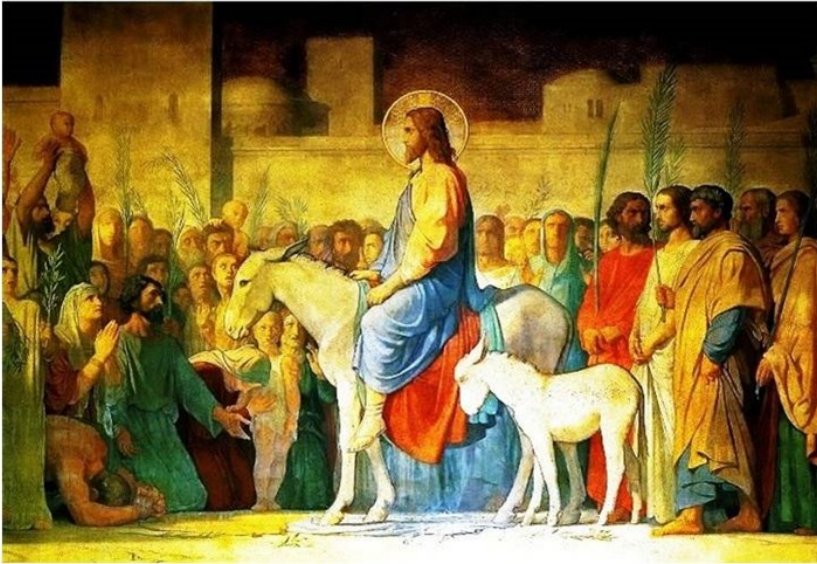




# DAVIS MEMORIAL

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



## CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

Palm Sunday

March 24, 2024 at 11:00 am

450 Randolph Avenue, Elkins WV 26241

304.636.2788

Worship each Sunday is broadcast live over WDNE 1240 AM

and live-streamed on our Facebook Page

[www.dmpc.org](http://www.dmpc.org)

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## WELCOME AS WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

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### WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to DMPC for worship this morning. If you are visiting with us we ask you to complete a Visitor Card, found in the pew rack, and place it in the collection plate during the Presentation of Offerings. Our church is accessible to wheelchairs with a designated area to the left of the chancel in the "Amen Section".

We thank Kim and Samantha White for being our greeters this morning.  
We thank Holt Chenoweth for being our liturgist this morning.

*\*indicates an invitation to stand, if you are able.*

**INTROIT:**     *Ride On, King Jesus*

Traditional Spiritual

Ride on King Jesus.

No man can-a hinder me.

Ride on King Jesus.

No man can-a hinder me.

In that great get'n up mornin' fare thee well, fare thee well.

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### CALL TO WORSHIP

L: When Jesus and his disciples were approaching Jerusalem, at Bethphage and Bethany, near the Mount of Olives, he sent two of his disciples and said to them, "Go into the village ahead of you, and immediately as you enter it, you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden; untie it and bring it. If anyone says to you, 'Why are you doing this?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it and will send it back here immediately.'" They went away and found a colt tied near a door, outside in the street. As they were untying it, some of the bystanders said to them, "What are you doing, untying the colt?" They told them what Jesus had said; and they allowed them to take it. Blessed is the coming kingdom.

**P: Hosanna in the highest!**

## PRAYER OF THE DAY

### \*HYMN #196

*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

*Glory to God* hymnal, used with permission CCLI #11624388

### \*CALL TO CONFESSION

Let us confess our sins to God,  
whose steadfast love endures forever.

### \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (IN UNISON)

**We confess that we have sinned,  
and although we would like to deny it,  
we have forsaken you.**

**We are horrified by the suffering we cause—  
to you, ourselves, and the world you have created.**

**Open the gates of your forgiveness and restore us in your love,  
for the sake of our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

### \*KYRIE ELEISON (Lord, Have Mercy)

*Lord, have mercy upon us.*

*Christ, have mercy upon us.*

*Lord, have mercy upon us.*

### \*ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

The Lord God helps us; we will not be disgraced.

The Lord God helps us; who can declare us guilty?

Siblings in Christ, beyond the shadow of doubt, your sins are forgiven.

By the mercy of Christ, let us stand together forgiven and free.

### \*CHORAL RESPONSE

*Lamb of God*

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

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## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

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### SCRIPTURE READING

Old Testament	Psalm	118:1-2, 19-29	pew Bible page	534
New Testament	Mark	1:1-11	pew Bible page	32

*This is the word of the Lord.*

**Thanks be to God!**

### CHILDREN'S TIME

### GOD'S WORD FOR OUR LIVES

"Blessed is the One"

Rev. Thomas Wesley Moore, IV

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## RESPONDING TO THE GOOD NEWS

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### \*HYMN #198

*Ride On! Ride On in Majesty!*

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### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**APOSTLES' CREED** *Glory to God hymnal* page 35

### 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;  
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

### PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

**OFFERTORY ANTHEM**

*Hosanna! Sing a Loud Hosanna!*

by M. Hayes, 1999

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Hosanna! Sing a loud Hosanna!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna to the son of David!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

Come, faithful people, come away.  
Your homage to your Sovereign pay;  
It is the feast of palms today.  
Go Savior, thus to triumph born, the crown shall be the wreath of thorn,  
thy royal garb the robe of scorn.

Hosanna! Sing a loud Hosanna!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna to the son of David!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

They thronged before, behind, around,  
they cast palm branches on the ground,  
and still rose up the joyful sound: Hosanna in the highest!  
“Blessed is Israel’s king,” they cried,  
“Blessed is He that cometh nigh in name of God the Lord most high.”

Hosanna in the highest! Hosanna! Sing a loud Hosanna!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna to the son of David!  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.

**\*DOXOLOGY #606**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heav’nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

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**FOLLOWING GOD INTO THE WORLD**

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**\*RESPONSE HYMN #215**

*What Wondrous Love Is This* (verse 1 only)

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**LENTEN CANDLE LITURGY**

**\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**\*SHARING GOD'S PEACE**

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**FAITH COMMUNITY NOTES**

**EASTER LILIES**

The PW will be purchasing Easter Lilies for the sanctuary for Easter Sunday. Donations can be made in honor or in memory of someone and will be \$10.00 each. In lieu of lilies, you can make a donation to the PW Scholarship Fund. Forms are due by March 24, 2024.

**EASTER EGG HUNT**

**TODAY, PALM SUNDAY**

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held immediately after the morning service.

**HOLY WEEK SERVICES...**

**MARCH 25 THRU MARCH 29, 2024**

Holy Week Services will be held at First Church of Christ on Worth Ave. (near Davis Medical Hospital).

Worship service begins at 12:00 noon with luncheon to follow in their Social Hall.

**MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE**

**MARCH 28, 2024 @7PM**

We will hold a joint service with Holy Trinity Lutheran Church here at DMPC.

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Our live stream for Sunday Morning Worship is on our Facebook page:  
<https://www.facebook.com/dmpcElkins>.

The weekly bulletin and the monthly newsletter are also available on our website:  
[www.dmpc.org](http://www.dmpc.org)

The website for the DMPC church library is: [DMPC library | TinyCat](#).

**OFFERINGS:** You are invited to place your offering in the collection plate during the Presentation of Offerings, donate through the website by activating the “Online Giving” box, or by mailing it to the church office.

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## DAVIS MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Church Secretary  
Financial Secretary  
Treasurer  
Clerk to Session  
After School Program  
Kids Club  
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## THE SESSION

### Class of 2024

Tessa Garver-Daniels  
David Hyer  
Linda Rudy

### Class of 2025

Phil Becker  
Brenda Kirkpatrick  
Monica Varchetto

### Class of 2026

Mina Cupp  
Debra Everhart  
David Messinger

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**  
**March 24, 2024**

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>PALM SUNDAY</b>
9:45am	Dr. Lacy Class
9:45am	Sunday School
11:00am	Worship
Noon	Easter Egg Hunt
Noon	Coffee in the White Chapel

**MONDAY**

**TUESDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

**THURSDAY**  
1:30pm Property Committee/Dunham Rm.  
**7:00PM MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE AT DMPC**

**FRIDAY** **GOOD FRIDAY—CHURCH CLOSED**

**SATURDAY**

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>EASTER SUNDAY - COMMUNION</b>
9:45am	Dr. Lacy Class in the Dunham Room
9:45am	Sunday School
11:00am	Worship Service

**PRAYERS FOR OUR PARTNERS**  
**AND THE WORLD**

- † Health care workers and first responders
- † 225th General Assembly co-moderators, Rev. Ruth Santana-Grace and Rev. Shavon Starling-Louise
- † D&E College students, faculty and staff
- † Our sister church in Kenya, Kangaita
- † Our nation’s leaders
- † Mission Co-Workers around the world
- † Presbyterian University of East Africa as they seek financial stability
- † Kiho Church, Giakanja Parish:, Kenya

**BREAKFAST AND BIBLES**

Mar. 24 John 12  
Anointing at Bethany (Mary & Martha)  
Jesus enters Jerusalem as “King”  
  
Common Door 125 3rd St.  
next to Tip Top Coffee Shop  
[breakfastandbibles.weebly.com](http://breakfastandbibles.weebly.com)

**PRAYER LIST**

**ERCC** **1175 Beverly Pike, Elkins**  
Chuck Leary, Jessie Somers  
**Mountain Memories** **301 Wilson Ln, Elkins**  
Arnold Kyle, Hollis & Adrienne Vance,  
Julia Varner  
**Valentine Personal Care** **521 Davis Ave, Elkins**  
Anna Harper

**PRAYER FOR FAMILY AND FRIENDS**

- † Alan & Ginny Byer
- † Julia Cassells
- † Donnie Corbin
- † Chuck Leary and Deborah Springer
- † Dana Marzolf
- † Barb Peterson.....Friend of the Modens
- † Susan.....friend of Cornelia Tolley
- † Jodie Varner
- † Marsha Varner Bohmer
- † Keitha Wing
- † Family of Brenda Hermanson
- † Family of Desiree Elliott.....daughter of Michelle Elliott, Margy Nelson’s sister
- † Family of Rose Nelson
- † Family of Martha Ann Phipps

**PRAYERS FOR CHURCHES IN THE  
PRESBYTERY OF WEST VIRGINIA**

Mill Creek Presbyterian Church  
Second Presbyterian Church, Huntington