

Grace Episcopal Church

March 29, 2026

The Sunday of the Passion: Palm Sunday

Grace's Mission

We are disciples of Jesus, helping one another be the hands and feet of Christ
by sharing God's love with the world.

Opening Hymn

All glory, laud, and honor

Blue Hymnal #154

Penitential Order Holy Eucharist Rite Two

Red Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p351

Kyrie

Praise Book S-96

The Collect

BCP p 211

Almighty and everliving God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humility: Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

The Lessons

BCP 357

A reading from the Book of **Isaiah 50:4-9a**

Insert

Hear what the spirit is saying to God's people. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 31:9-16

Insert

A reading from **Philippians 2:5-11**

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Sequence Hymn

At the Name of Jesus

Blue Hymnal#435

The Holy Gospel according to **Matthew 26:14-27:66**

Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Passion of the Cross

The Gospel of the Lord: **Praise to you Lord Christ.**

The Sermon

Fr. J. Jeffrey Baker

The Nicene Creed

BCP p 358

Prayers of the People

Form III

BCP p 387

A Prayer for Change: Lord, give us the courage to view the future with hope and expectancy and, most of all, with faith. In the face of change, help us set aside our fears, and urge us to seek and see your hand at work, while opening our hearts to recognize that change brings new life. *Amen.*

Let his resurrection power bring healing and hope to those for whom we pray, For the special needs and concerns of this congregation. Especially we pray for Valorie Lephart, Vivian, Paul, Sue & Michael. Baby Drake, Aria, Charlie, Willow, George & Sandy Luther, Clare McElroy, Martha Mackey, Phil Bennett, Beth and Ray, Bill, Janet, Chris, Matthew, Janice, Carolyn Stacks, David Petro, Judith Junda, Sheila Smith, Kathy Hill, Sherry Occkial , Franny E., Kevin, Patty, Erin, Pat Newyear, Gail, Sue, Susan Shepherd, Katherine R., Bill Trsek, and Riley Gumto.

We celebrate the birthday of Alexander Ludvik and Pamela Stoldt.

The Peace		BCP 360
Announcements		
	Holy Communion	
Offertory Hymn		Grace Choir
The Doxology		
The Great Thanksgiving	<i>Eucharist Prayer C</i>	BCP 369
Sanctus	<i>Holy, holy, holy, Lord</i>	Praise Book S-130
Memorial Acclamation		
The Great Amen		Praise Book
The Breaking of the Bread		BCP p 364
Fraction Hymn	<i>Jesus, Lamb of God</i>	Praise Book S-164
Communion Hymn	<i>O sacred head, sore wounded</i>	Blue Hymnal #168
The Post-Communion Prayer		BCP p 365
The Blessing		
Closing Hymn	<i>When I survey the wondrous cross</i>	Blue Hymnal #474
The Dismissal		

Announcements

We are having Pancakes!!!!

After the Palm Sunday Service!!

Today!!! March 29th

Cost: Donation

Cook: Walt and Friends

Pancakes will be served to the public from 8:30am-12noon



Maundy Thursday service April 2, 2026 @ 7pm

Prayer Vigil Thursday Night 8pm – Friday Morning 8a -Please sign-up

Good Friday Service April 3, 2026 @ 7pm

Join us for Resurrection Sunday

April 20th 9:30am

Seasonal Brass



Happy Easter!!!



Our beautiful future of Grace Sunday School assisting Greg.

We will not have Sunday School on Easter Sunday.

We will be having our annual Easter Egg Hunt, on Sunday April 12. If you would like to donate a bag of wrapped candy please leave in the office. Thankyou.

Lynn, Bobbin and Debbie

A Sourton Welcome

We extend a special welcome to those who are single, married, divorced, widowed, gay, confused, very rich, comfortable, or very poor.

We extend a particular welcome to wailing babies and excited toddlers.

We welcome you whether you can sing like Pavarotti or just growl to yourself. You're welcome here if you're 'just browsing', just woke up, or just out of prison. We don't care if you're more Christian than the Archbishop of Canterbury or haven't been to church since Jack's christening.

We extend a special welcome to those who are over 60 but not grown up yet, and to teenagers who are growing up too fast. We welcome keep-fit mums, football dads, starving artist, tree-huggers, latte sippers, vegetarians, vegans, junk food eaters. We welcome those who are in recovery or still addicted. We welcome you if you're having problems, are down in the dumps, or don't like 'organized religion'. (We're not that keen on it either!)

We offer a welcome to those that think the earth is flat, work too hard, don't work, can't spell or are here because granny is visiting and wanted to come to church.

We welcome those who are tattooed, pierced or both or neither. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, had religion shoved down their throat as children, or got lost on the road and wound up here by mistake.

We are here **to welcome** pilgrims, holiday makers, seekers, doubters.....and **YOU!**

