Ephraim Moravian Church

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Palm Sunday - April 10, 2022
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

The Rev. Dawn E. Volpe
Members of the Congregation
Colin Welford
Diane Kirkland

Serving the Community Since 1853

Call to Worship: Ringing of the Bell

"The Palms" - by Jean-Baptiste Fauré

Welcome & Announcements

Hymn ##786 "Rejoice, O Pilgrim Throng!" (v. 1 & 3)

Liturgy for Palm Sunday, p. 50 – 53

(ending after the Hosanna on page 239)

Joyful Noise Offering for Secret Santa

Prayers of the Church, The Lord's Prayer

Response: (Hymn 741)

Now we bring ourselves to you; cleanse us, Lord, we humbly pray; undeserving though we be, draw us closer every day. Lord, our refuge, hope, and strength! Keep, O keep us safe from harm, shield us through our earthly life by your everlasting arm. Amen.

Scripture Lessons: Philippians 2: 5 - 11; Luke 19: 28 - 40

"My Song is Love Unknown" - Music by John Ireland, words by S. Crossman

Sermon

Hymn #343 "Ride On! Ride On in Majesty" (v. 1 - 4)

Benediction

"Les Rameaux (The Palms)" - by Jean Langlais

WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK: Let those who have reverence for the Lord say, 'His steadfast love endures forever.' – Psalm 118:14

MONDAY:Pastor's SabbathWEDNESDAY:10:00 a.m.Elders MeetingTHURSDAY:4:00 p.m.Chess Club

HOLY WEEK: SEE INSERT FOR SERVICE LOCATIONS/

TIMES

SUNDAY: 8:00 a.m. Outdoor Service Cemetery

8:30 a.m. Sunday School, Nursery &

Fellowship

10:30 a.m. Easter Sunday Worship

<u>WELCOME</u> to Ephraim Moravian Church. Our Nursery is open for children under the age of 4.

EPHRAIM MORAVIAN CHURCH is the 'Church of the Open Door.' We hope you find our church open to you in every way!

MOTTO OF THE MORAVIAN CHURCH: In Essentials, Unity, In Non-Essentials, Liberty, In All Things, Love

EPHRAIM MORAVIAN WATCHWORD 2022: The wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, willing to yield, full of mercy and good fruits, without a trace of partiality or hypocrisy. — James 3:17

ANNOUNCEMENTS

<u>MANY THANKS</u> to Cynthia Stiehl for adding her beautiful voice to our Palm Sunday service this morning.



<u>CHESS CLUB</u> begins this Thursday, all ages and stages, in Fellowship Hall. Please bring your own chess board.

Have No Anxiety

Have no anxiety about anything, Xanax is at hand. We live in a Xanax type of world. We are anxious, uptight, and afraid. More people suffer from depression now than in any time in history. Life can be a pressure cooker of demands: of our work, our families, our finances, our children. We live in dread of failure. Given all of this, it seems simpler to avoid life rather than to live it. How convenient it is to rely on gimmickry that is so enticing. We fall prey to bromides which promise to relieve us of our discontent. All of this bespeaks the fallenness of humankind.

But there is that "still small voice" which beckons to us: "Have no fear little flock, the Lord is at hand." This is no ordinary promise. Our Lord has annulled our anxieties. We have been given the promise of a new life. The peace of God, which passes all understanding, WILL keep our hearts and our minds in Christ Jesus.

It's not all up to us. We can let go. We are not in charge. We can trust that God is in control. In that we can rejoice and give prayerful thanksgiving.

-Pastor Dan G. Olson



HOLY WEEK & EASTER SERVICES

Holy Thursday Services:

-5:30 p.m. at Shepherd of the Bay Lutheran Church, Ellison Bay -6:30 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Juddville (either in the church or the parking lot)

Good Friday Services:

- -2:00 p.m. at Sister Bay Moravian Passion Week Manual Readings
- -5:30 p.m. at Shepherd of the Bay Lutheran Church, Ellison Bay
- -6:30 p.m. at St. Paul Lutheran, Juddville

EASTER MORNING AT EPHRAIM

- -8:00 a.m. Cemetery (Rain or shine... unless it's a monsoon!)
- -8:30 a.m. Activities/Stories and refreshments for children in Fellowship Hall. Coffee & treats in Parlor for adults
- -9:45 a.m. Rehearsal
- -10:30 a.m. Easter Worship (Masks Required)