



First Presbyterian Church

Moscow, Idaho

Rev. Tricia Tedrow, Pastor March 29, 2026 10:30 a.m.

Palm Sunday

PREPARING OURSELVES TO WORSHIP GOD

Prelude "Mantos y Palmas" (Filled with Excitement) arr. Ian Wendt

Welcome and Announcements

Minute for Mission Rich Gayler

ENTERING INTO GOD'S PRESENCE

✦ Passing the Peace

✦ Call to Worship

One: "Hosanna!" They shouted. "Save us!"

All: "Hosanna!" We're shouting. "Save us!"

One: Savior, ride into our hearts again,

All: wash us with excitement and hope,

One: give us a reason to praise

All: and to shout again, "Hosanna! Hosanna!"

✦ Opening Hymn "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" Hymnal #197

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession (*in unison*)

Holy Christ, we confess that amidst all the Palm Sunday crowds, we find ourselves in more turmoil than triumph. Our faith is unsteady. Our wisdom is eroding. Our resolve is shaken. Our mercy is hardening. Our hope is weakening. Come again and save us from these sins. Give us strength to follow you, our humble Savior, our wise fool, our all in all. Amen.

(silent confession and personal reflection)

Assurance of Pardon

Hear this promise: Jesus has set his face toward the cross.

Nothing we can do can deter him.

He has determined that we are worth saving.

By the power of the cross, by the power of wondrous love, we are forgiven.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Response to Forgiveness

“O Lamb of God”

Hymnal #555

O Lamb of God, you take away
The sins of the world;
Have mercy on us, Lamb of God,
And grant us your peace.

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Place your written prayer requests in the basket at the back of the sanctuary.

For other concerns, contact the church office office@fpcmoscow.org.

Following each prayer request, please respond:

One: Lord, in your mercy,

All: Hear our prayer.

HEARING GOD’S WORD FOR OUR TIME AND PLACE

Sumpin’ Special

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Psalm Lesson

Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29

Anthem

“Hosanna”

Chancel Choir

By Craig Courtney

Hosanna to the royal son of David’s ancient line!

His natures two, his person one, Mysterious and divine.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna we sing; Hosanna, hosanna to Jesus Christ the King.

The Root of David, here we find, And offspring are the same:

Eternity and time are joined In our Immanuel’s name.

Hosanna, hosanna, we sing; Hosanna to Jesus Christ the King.

Blest he that comes to sinful man With peaceful news from Heav’n!

Hosannas, of the highest strain, To Christ the Lord be giv’n.

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna we sing; hosanna, hosanna to Jesus Christ the King.

Let mortals ne’er refuse to take Hosanna on their tongues,
Lest rocks and stones should rise and break their silence into Songs.

Hosanna, hosanna we sing; Hosanna to Jesus Christ the King.

To Jesus Christ the King, to Jesus Christ the King.

Gospel

Matthew 21:1-11

One: This is the Word of the Lord.

All: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

“Curiosity Seekers”

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RESPONDING TO THE WORD

Silent Reflection

Hymn of Affirmation “A Cheering, Chanting, Dizzy Crowd” Hymnal #200, vv. 1&5

✦ Affirmation of Faith

from Philippians 2:5-11

Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited, but emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, being born in human likeness. And being found in human form, he humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death — even death on a cross. Therefore God also highly exalted him and gave him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord.

Offering

*Please place your offering in the plate, mail your offerings to the church office,
405 South Van Buren St., Moscow ID 83843 or give online at this link:
<https://tithe.ly/give?c=982246>.*

✦ Song of Gratitude (Doxology)

Hymnal #606

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

✦ Dedication of our Tithes and Offerings

FOLLOWING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

✦ Closing Hymn

“All Glory, Laud and Honor”

Hymnal #196

✦ Charge and Blessing

Postlude

“Ride On! Ride On in Majesty” arr. Raluca Bojor

Ian Wendt

*Stephen Ministers will be in the sanctuary following
the postlude to talk with or pray for anyone who has a concern.*

Please join us in the Chapel Room for refreshments after the service.

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✦- Stand as you are able.

Worship Leader – Dianne Daley Laursen

Greeters – Sally Amador and Suzie Trail

Usher – Ann Ulliman

Music Director – Kyle Coleman

Accompanist – Ian Wendt

Video – Adelia Hopper

Sound – Matthew Mikami



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