



Saint Bartholomew

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

a house of prayer for all people

The Sunday of The Passion: PALM SUNDAY

**April 14th, 2019 at 10:30 a.m.
THE HOLY EUCHARIST,
RITE I I**

The people gather in the Parish Hall and please do not pick up palms until they are blessed.

THE LITURGY OF THE PALMS

ACCLAMATION

Celebrant: Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord

People: Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

GOSPEL READ BY THE EUCHARIST MINISTER

Luke 19: 28-40

Jesus went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'" So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" They said, "The Lord needs it." Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, saying, "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest heaven!" Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, order your disciples to stop." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out."

THE BLESSING OF THE PALMS

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

Celebrant: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant: Let us go forth in peace.

People: In the name of Christ. Amen.

The Procession

The people receive blessed palm branches

Hymn H-154

"All glory laud"

Valet will ich dir geben

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

The people are seated for the lessons

The Lessons, The Psalm

Gospel Hymn H-337

"And now, O Father"

Unde et memories

Gospel Narrative(see insert)

The Sermon

The Rev. Stephen Secaur

The Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son. With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified. He has spoken through the Prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

The Prayers of the People, (Form II)

I ask your prayers for God's people throughout the world; especially Michael our Presiding Bishop, Mark our bishop, and Steve our priest, ; for this gathering; and for all ministers and people. Pray for the Church.

Silence

I ask your prayers for peace; for goodwill among nations; and for the well-being of all people. Pray for justice and peace.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the poor, the sick, the hungry, the oppressed, and those in prison. Pray for those in any need or trouble.

Silence

I ask your prayers for all who seek God, or a deeper knowledge of him. Pray that they may find and be found by him.

Silence

I ask your prayers for the departed especially, Paul Worley... Pray for those who have died,

Silence

I ask your prayers for.....

Silence

We pray for those serving in the armed forces, and their families, especially

Silence

We give thanks for the Birthdays of: Betsy Corlett ...

for the anniversary of...

Silence

Praise God for those in every generation in whom Christ has been honored (especially _____ whom we remember today.) Pray that we may have grace to glorify Christ in or own day.

Silence

The Confession

Celebrant Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Celebrant and people

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men: We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we from time to time most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine Majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings; the remembrance of them is grievous unto us, the burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father; for thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past; and grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honor and glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Absolution

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, who of his great mercy hath promised forgiveness of sins to all those who with hearty repentance and true faith turn unto him, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and bring you to everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. ***Amen***

The Peace

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And with thy spirit

All stand Greet one another in the name of the Lord.

Prayers of Special Intention

The people may come forward to receive a special prayer or blessing.

The people are seated for the

Announcements

Children's Sermon

Altar Preparation

The congregation is invited to join in singing

Hymn H-158

“Ah, holy Jesus”

Herzliebster

The Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving: Eucharistic Prayer A

Offertory

At the Presentation , the people stand to sing

The Doxology

(Hymn 380, v3)

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise

Celebrant

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

Through Jesus Christ our Lord, who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over every evil, and to

live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name.

Celebrant and People

Sanctus

Holy, holy, holy Lord

S125

The people stand or kneel

Then the Celebrant continues

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, “Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.”

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, “Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me.”

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

Breaking of the Bread

The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread.

A period of silence is kept.

Fraction Hymn L-268 Christ our Passover

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

Communion of the People

All baptized people - whether Episcopalian or not - are welcome to join in the sacrament of Holy Communion. Children of all ages are included in this invitation. If you wish to receive a healing blessing from the Celebrant, when you come to the rail for Communion, fold hands in prayer.

Celebrant

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

The Body of Christ, the bread of heaven. **Amen.**

The Blood of Christ, the cup of salvation. **Amen.**

Communion Hymn H-164 "Alone thou goest forth"

Bangor

Celebrant and People

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom.

And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

Holy Week Blessing

Almighty God, we pray you graciously to behold this your family, for whom our Lord, Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed, and given into the hands of sinners, and to suffer death upon the cross; who lives and reigns for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Hymn H-474 "When I survey the wondrous cross"

Rockingham

Dismissal

Celebrant Let us bless the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Looking ahead...

Sun.	April 14	Palm Sunday	
Mon.	April 15	@ 6 pm	Bible Study
		@ 7 pm	ACAM
Tues.	April 16	@ 9-noon	Fr.Steve office hrs.
		@ 6 pm	Groovy Garfoose Glee Club
		@ 7 pm	St. B's Book Club
Wed.	April 17	@ 7 pm	Cub Scouts
Thurs.	April 18	@ 8 am	TMCC
		@ 7 pm	Maundy Thursday Service
Fri.	April 19	@ 9 am	Morning Prayer
		@ 12 noon	Stations of the Cross
		@ 7 pm	Good Friday Liturgy
Sat.	April 20	@ 8 pm	Easter Vigil
Sun.	April 21	Day of Resurrection, Festive Holy Eucharist	
		@ 8 am	HE, Rite I
		@ 9:15 am	Bible Study
		@ 9:20 am	Choir Practice
		@ 10:30 am	HE Rite II

The website for the church is www.saintbartohio.org.

The Lenten Banner

Starting from lower left corner, and moving clockwise:

The grain and the grapes, in remembrance of the Holy Eucharist
Jesus Christ rode a donkey into Jerusalem, his way paved with palm branches, in fulfillment of Zechariah's prophecy (Zechariah 9:9)

The three crosses of Golgotha

The cat-of-9-tails whip, the Crown of Thorns, and finally, the three nails.

HE DIED TO SAVE US ALL

The Reverend Stephen Secaur

Eucharistic Ministers: Jo Ann Buckley (8:00) Larry Ross (10:30)

Lectors: Hal Buckley (8:00) Mike Tripi and Joanna Rini (10:30)

Ushers: Jack & Betty Rendlesham, Vestry Teller: Tom Robinson

Acolyte: Nancy Nicholls, Organist: Aleksandr Leybkind

We offer thanksgiving for your many blessings upon us, especially for April 7, 2019 offering of \$1466.00 attendance of

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In case of a pastoral emergency, please call the church and leave a message. Fr.Stephen Secaur may be contacted directly at 440.541.8359 or by email at frstephen.saintbartohio@gmail.com

Sunday Service: 8am and 10:30am

Bible Study: 9:15am, Choir Practice: 9:20am