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PRELUDE 前奏

We invite you to quietly prepare yourself for worship.

WELCOME & PRAYER 歓迎と祈祷

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*OPENING HYMN 讚美歌

"Hosanna! Blessed is He!"

Words and music by Lyssa Ogilbee

(adapted from John 12:12-13; Matthew 21:8-11)

Congregation: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Son of David!

Leader: Say to the daughter of Zion. Lo! Your king is coming to you!

Riding upon a gentle colt. Lay down your palms, he's coming through!

Congregation: Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Son of David!

Leader: "Who is this man?" the people cried! "Tell us, tell us, who is he!"

"He is the prophet from Nazareth. He is Jesus of Galilee."

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Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Son of David!

Leader: "Tell your disciples stop this noise, tell them to stop," the Pharisees cried.

"If they keep quiet, these stones will cry out." That is what the Lord replied.

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Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Son of David! Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna! Hosanna! Hosanna! Son of David!

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HOLY BAPTISM 洗礼式

Grace Seiko Garcia

One: Do you, as Christ's body, the church, reaffirm both your rejection of sin and your commitment to Christ?

ALL: We do.

One: Will you nurture one another in the Christian faith and life and include these persons now before you in your care?

ALL: With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround these people with a community of love and forgiveness, that they may grow in their trust of God, and be found faithful in their service to others. We will pray for them, that they may be true disciples who walk in the way that leads to life.

One: Do you believe in God the Father?

ALL: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

One: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

ALL: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

One: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

ALL: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the universal church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Prayer: Through baptism you are incorporated by the Holy Spirit into God's new creation and made to share in Christ's royal priesthood. We are all one in Christ Jesus. With joy and thanksgiving we welcome you as

members of the family of Christ.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mary Nakamura

Luke 19:28-40

After he had said this, he 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."

***HYMN OF PREPARATION 賛美歌** "Sunday's Palms Are Wednesday's Ashes" (v. 1) Faith We Sing #2138

*1 Sunday's palms are Wednesday's ashes as another Lent begins;
thus we kneel before our Maker in contrition for our sins.
We have marred baptismal pledges, in rebellion gone astray;
now, returning, seek forgiveness; grant us pardon, God, this day!*

MESSAGE 説教

"The Lord Needs It"

Rev. Motoe Yamada Foor

PREPARATION FOR PRAYER 賛美歌

Cares Chorus

Faith We Sing #2215

*I cast all my cares upon you, I lay all of my burdens down at your feet,
And anytime that I don't know what to do, I will cast all my cares upon you.*

SILENT PRAYER & PASTORAL PRAYER 牧会祈祷

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THE LORD'S PRAYER 主の祈り

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE ART SLIDES

***CLOSING HYMN 讚美歌**

"Take My Life, and Let It Be" (v. 1, 3)

UM Hymnal #399

1. *Take my life, and let it be consecrated, Lord, to thee. Take my moments and my days; let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Take my hands and let them move at the impulse of thy love. Take my feet, and let them be swift and beautiful for thee.*
3. *Take my will, and make it thine; it shall be no longer mine. Take my heart, it is thine own; it shall be thy royal throne.
Take my love, my Lord, I pour at thy feet its treasure-store. Take myself, and I will be ever, only, all for thee.*

***BENEDICTION 頌栄**

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