

We Welcome You To

SPICELAND FRIENDS CHURCH

Palm Sunday

March 24, 2024

Welcome to worship this Palm Sunday. As we follow Jesus into Jerusalem, the city of his death but also his resurrection, may we experience the wonder of his love.

PRELUDE Connie Brown, Pianist

WELCOME Sandi Swann

* WORSHIP IN SONG #129, #636

"Great and Mighty"

"I Must Tell Jesus"

Tasha Crandall, Song Leader

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

CHILDREN'S STORY Diana Bowman

All children will be worshipping with us until after the children's story. Preschoolers are invited to go to Jr. Church with Claudia Garner downstairs. Children (grades 1-5) may go with Jessica Noteboom to the Family Center. Nursery is available for parents with babies or toddlers.

SHARING OUR HEARTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC Tasha Crandall & Hayley Painter
"Forever"

RECOGNITION OF NEW MEMBERS Julia Bouslog and Jane Rose

SCRIPTURE Debra Weber

Acts 12:1-19

MESSAGE David Brock

"The Church Prays"

COMMUNION AFTER THE MANNER OF FRIENDS

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." *Philippians 4:6-7*

* SONG OF DEDICATION #640

"Sweet Hour of Prayer"

* BENEDICTION David Brock

* POSTLUDE #232

"God Be with You"

* All who are able may stand

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

MONDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m. in the Family Center.

MONDAY – EASTER CHOIR REHEARSAL – 7:00 p.m. This is the last rehearsal to practice music for Easter Sunday.

WEDNESDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY – FILL EASTER EGGS – 6:00 p.m. in the Family Center.

THURSDAY – BIBLE STUDY – 11:00 a.m. in the Mary M. Room.
Nancy Wadman will be leading a study of the book, *Resilient*, by John Eldredge. Books are available for \$15.

THURSDAY – CROCHETING GROUP – 4:00-6:00 p.m. **Marilyn Thompson** is the leader.

FRIDAY – GOOD FRIDAY GATHERING – Soup supper at 6:00 p.m. followed by the Max Lucado video, "Resurrection," in the Family Center. The meal will be provided. The entire church is invited.

SATURDAY – EASTER EGG HUNT – 12:00 Noon – rain or shine! Bring your kids, grandkids, and neighbor kids – ages toddler through 5th grade. Join us for a fun time!

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NEXT SUNDAY –

- 8:00 a.m. – Early Easter Worship Service at SFC.
- 8:30 a.m. – Easter Breakfast
- 9:30 a.m. – Sunday School classes will meet.
- 10:30 a.m. – Easter Worship Service – **David Brock** will be preaching on “Jesus Is Alive and Working in Our Lives.” Scripture – Matthew 28:1-10. Special music by the church choir.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Word was received of the passing of **Barbara Ward** on March 20. The funeral will be Monday at 10:00 a.m. at Spiceland Friends.

Easter Flowers – If you would like to furnish a flower or plant for Easter Sunday, please fill out a form available in the Welcome Center and put it in the offering plate or leave it in the church office. A memorial list will be printed in the May newsletter.

Easter Candy – There is a container in the Welcome Center for donations of wrapped candy for the Easter Egg Hunt on **March 30**. Cookies are also needed to serve at the Easter Egg Hunt.

Baby Bottle Boomerang! – Baby bottles are due back **today**.

Coming Sunday, April 7 and 14 – A look at the early history of Spiceland Friends. Richard Ratcliff will provide the information.

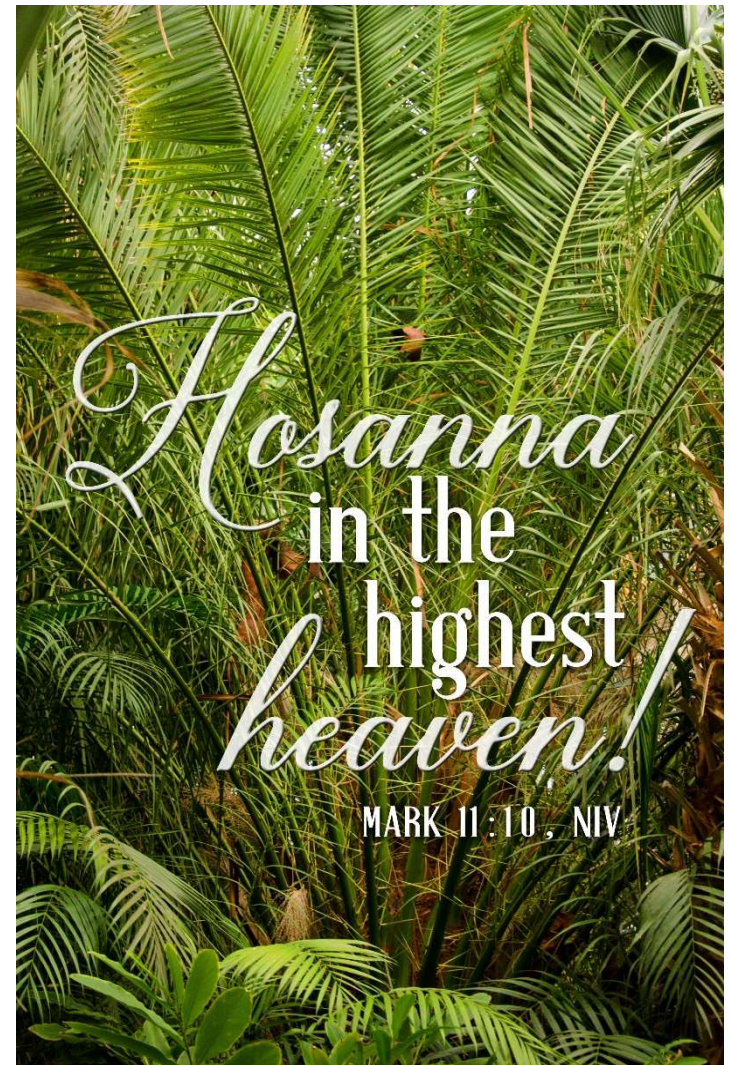
Life Lifter to Share: While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, “Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them.” So after they had fasted and prayed, they placed their hands on them and sent them off.” *Acts 13:2-3*

Happy Birthday to: Ron Reece, March 25; Jason Ash, Josh Griggs, Lisa Little, March 29.

Greeters: Glenn & Ceci Houchins
Ministry Coordinator: Nancy Wadman
Communications Coordinator: Lisa Knotts



Spiceland Friends



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Morning Worship – 10:30 A.M.

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