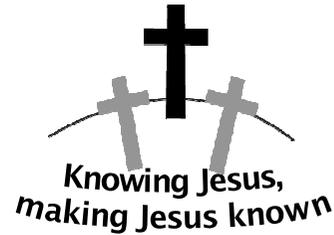


The Anlaby Churches Palm Sunday

Sunday 5th April 2020,



We are a Christ-centred community existing to spread a passion for Jesus Christ across the Anlaby communities and beyond.

Due to the restrictions put in place by the Coronavirus outbreak we are meeting virtually

Today's theme is the humble king who came to die.

PRAISING GOD

This is the day the LORD has made;

let us rejoice today and be glad.

LORD save us! LORD, grant us success!

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

From the house of the LORD we bless you.

The LORD is God,

and he has made his light shine on us.

**With boughs in hand, join in the festal procession
up to the horns of the altar.**

You are my God, and I will praise you;

you are my God, and I will exalt you.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;

his love endures for ever. Amen (Psalm 118:24-29)

Songs of Praise - Crown Him With Many Crowns

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6vWRXvWZPUQ>

Crown Him with many crowns,

The Lamb upon His throne;

Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns

All music but its own:

Awake, my soul, and sing

Of Him who died for thee,

And hail Him as thy chosen King

Through all eternity.

Crown Him the Son of God

Before the worlds began;

And ye who tread where He hath trod

Crown Him the Son of Man,

Who every grief hath known

That rings the human breast,

And takes and bears them for His own,

And all in Him may rest.

Crown Him the Lord of life,

Who triumphed o'er the grave,

And rose victorious in the strife,

For those He came to save:

His glories now we sing;

Who died and rose on high,

Who died eternal life to bring

And lives that death may die.

Crown Him the Lord of heaven,

Enthroned in worlds above;

Crown Him the King to whom is given

The wondrous name of Love:

All hail, Redeemer, hail!

For Thou hast died for me;

Thy praise shall never, never fail

throughout eternity.

Lion and the Lamb

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C9ujBoud26k>

He's coming on the clouds,
kings and kingdoms will bow
down

And every chain will break,

as broken hearts

declare His praise

For who can stop

the Lord Almighty?

Our God is the Lion,

the Lion of Judah

He's roaring with power

and fighting our battles

And every knee

will bow before Him

Our God is the Lamb,

the Lamb that was slain

For the sin of the world,

His blood breaks the chains

And every knee will bow

before the Lion and the Lamb

Every knee will bow before Him.

So open up the gates,

make way before the King of kings

The God who comes to save

is here to set the captives free

For who can stop

the Lord Almighty?

Our God is the Lion,...

Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

(repeat)

Who can stop the Lord Almighty?

Who can stop the Lord?

Our God is the Lion,...

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Jesus Came to Earth

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hBzfbxaXXi0>

Jesus came to earth

He lived a perfect life

He died upon the cross

Then He rose from the dead

Now He is in heaven

Seated on His throne

At the right hand of the Father

Where heaven is His home

We praise You Jesus, Son of God

We praise You Jesus, Son of Man

You left Your throne of grace

To suffer in our place

So we praise You, Jesus Christ.

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Children

ENGAGING WITH GOD

Renewal

A prayer saying sorry to God

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,
through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.
We are truly sorry
and repent of all our sins.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
who died for us,
forgive us all that is past
and grant that we may serve you in newness of life
to the glory of your name. Amen.

This is how God showed his love among us: he sent his one and only Son into the world that we might live through him. This is love: not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins. (1 John 4:9-10)

**Our God fulfils his promises
and is true to his word.
We have confessed our sins.
God has forgiven us,
because Christ died for us.
Amen.**

Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

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.
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen.

Song - From Heaven You Came

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GrQiLEO4D5s>

From heaven you came, helpless babe,
Entered our world, Your glory veiled;
Not to be served but to serve,
And give Your life that we might live.

*This is our God, the Servant King,
He calls us now to follow Him,
To bring our lives as a daily offering
Of worship to the Servant King.*

There in the garden of tears,
My heavy load He chose to bear;
His heart with sorrow
Was torn, 'Yet not My will
But Yours,' He said.

This is our God,...

Come see His hands and His feet,
The scars that speak of sacrifice;
Hands that flung stars into space
To cruel nails surrendered.

This is our God,...

So let us learn how to serve,
And in our lives enthrone Him;
Each other's needs to prefer,
For it is Christ we're serving.

This is our God,...

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Declaring what Christians have always believed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

(The Apostles' Creed)

HEARING FROM GOD

First Bible Reading - Zechariah 9:9-13

⁹ Rejoice greatly, Daughter Zion!

Shout, Daughter Jerusalem!

See, your king comes to you,
righteous and victorious,
lowly and riding on a donkey,
on a colt, the foal of a donkey.

¹⁰ I will take away the chariots from Ephraim
and the warhorses from Jerusalem,
and the battle bow will be broken.

He will proclaim peace to the nations.

His rule will extend from sea to sea

and from the River to the ends of the earth.

¹¹ As for you, because of the blood of my covenant with you,
I will free your prisoners from the waterless pit.

¹² Return to your fortress, you prisoners of hope;
even now I announce that I will restore twice as much to you.

¹³ I will bend Judah as I bend my bow
and fill it with Ephraim.

I will rouse your sons, Zion,
against your sons, Greece,
and make you like a warrior's sword.

Second Bible Reading - John 12:12-26

¹² The next day the great crowd that had come for the festival heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. ¹³ They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting,

'Hosanna!'

'Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!'

'Blessed is the king of Israel!'

¹⁴ Jesus found a young donkey and sat upon it, as it is written:

¹⁵ 'Do not be afraid, Daughter Zion;
see, your king is coming,
seated on a donkey's colt.'

¹⁶ At first his disciples did not understand all this. Only after Jesus was glorified did they realise that these things had been written about him and that these things had been done to him.

¹⁷ Now the crowd that was with him when he called Lazarus from the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to spread the word. ¹⁸ Many people, because they had heard that he had performed this sign, went out to meet him. ¹⁹ So the Pharisees said to one another, 'See, this is getting us nowhere. Look how the whole world has gone after him!'

²⁰ Now there were some Greeks among those who went up to worship at

the festival. ²¹ They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, with a request. 'Sir,' they said, 'we would like to see Jesus.' ²² Philip went to tell Andrew; Andrew and Philip in turn told Jesus.

²³ Jesus replied, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴ Very truly I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds. ²⁵ Anyone who loves their life will lose it, while anyone who hates their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. ²⁶ Whoever serves me must follow me; and where I am, my servant also will be. My Father will honour the one who serves me.

Talk

COMMISSIONED BY GOD

Song - I Stand Amazed in the Presence

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hoV4koFy-Is>

I stand amazed in the presence
Of Jesus the Nazarene,
And wonder how He could love me,
A sinner, condemned, unclean.
How marvellous! how wonderful!
And my song shall ever be
How marvellous! how wonderful!
Is my Saviour's love for me!
For me it was in the garden
He prayed - 'Not my will, but Thine';
He had no tears for His own griefs,
But sweat-drops of blood for mine.
How marvellous! how wonderful!
And my song shall ever be
How marvellous! how wonderful!
Is my Saviour's love for me!
In pity angels beheld Him,
And came from the world of light
To comfort Him in the sorrows
He bore for my soul that night.
How marvellous! how wonderful!

And my song shall ever be
How marvellous! how wonderful!
Is my Saviour's love for me!
He took my sins and my sorrows,
He made them His very own;
He bore the burden to Calvary,
And suffered and died alone.
How marvellous! how wonderful!
And my song shall ever be
How marvellous! how wonderful!
Is my Saviour's love for me!
When with the ransomed in glory
His face I at last shall see,
'Twill be my joy through the ages
To sing of His love for me.
How marvellous! how wonderful!
And my song shall ever be
How marvellous! how wonderful!
Is my Saviour's love for me!

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**Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;
his love endures for ever.**

Let those who fear the LORD say:

‘His love endures for ever.’

When hard pressed, I cried to the LORD;

he brought me into a spacious place.

The LORD is with me; I will not be afraid.

What can mere mortals do to me?

The LORD is with me; he is my helper.

I look in triumph on my enemies. Amen (*Psalm 118:1, 4-7*)

Blessing

The blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be with you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

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