

# Laguna Niguel Presbyterian Church

Rejoice greatly, O daughter Zion!  
Shout aloud, O daughter Jerusalem!  
Lo, your king comes to you;  
triumphant and victorious is he,  
humble and riding on a donkey,  
on a colt, the foal of a donkey. [Zech. 9:9]

**March 28, 2010**  
**Palm Sunday**  
**10:00 AM**

Laguna Niguel Presbyterian Church  
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*PRELUDE*

*You You Are God  
Majestic  
Worship Ensemble*

by Walker Beach  
by Lincoln Brewster

*\*CALL TO WORSHIP*

Lani Colley

Leader: This is the day that God has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it!

People: *Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. This is God's doing; let us give thanks to God.*

Leader: Celebrate this time of worship. Give praise to God whose steadfast love endures forever.

People: *Hosanna to God in the highest! God is here; let us lift our voices in thanksgiving and praise!*

*\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 203*

*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

ELLACOMBE

*HOLY WEEK PAGEANT*

*"A Week that Changed the World"  
Pathfinders*

*Scene 1*

*The Triumphant Entrance*

*SONG OF CELEBRATION*

*Hosanna*

by Carl Tuttle

Worship Ensemble, Children, and Congregation

*PRAYER OF ADORATION*

*Scene 2*

*Thirty Pieces of Silver*

*Scene 3*

*The Last Supper*

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (Pray together in unison)*

*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 debts, as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the Power and the Glory, forever. Amen.*

*Scene 4*

*In the Garden of Gethsemane*

*MUSICAL OFFERING*

*O Gethsemane  
Children and Chancel Choir*

arr. David Clydesdale

*Scene 5*

*The Arrest*

*Scene 6*

*Jesus is Condemned and Crucified*

*SUNDAY LITANY OF CONFESSION*

- Leader: Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!
- People: How we love a parade! We eagerly line the streets and fill our sanctuary to witness the triumphant entrance of Jesus into our lives!*
- Leader: Christ comes among us this day, and we join the multitudes who celebrate his coming!
- People: We adorn his head with the crown of our hope; we cloak his shoulder with the robe of our joy!*
- Leader: We anticipate the victory over the forces of death and await a season of new life and new beginnings.
- People: Yes, we want a messiah, but is this the messiah we want? When the crowds have all gone home, will we shrink back into our comfortable lives seeking to avoid the difficult journey that we know lies ahead?*
- Leader: Will our songs of praise turn into shouts of ridicule? Will we replace the crown of hope with one of thorns, and the robe of joy with one of mockery?
- People: Apart from the crowds, we are forced to come face to face with our own questions, our own confusions, our own doubts, and our own fears.*
- Leader: Lord, hear us now as we offer our personal prayers of confession.  
*(Continue in the silence.) . . . Amen.*

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON*

- Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.
- People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!*
- Leader: Now we can shout our hosannas with real enthusiasm!
- All: We are forgiven! Let us celebrate this good news!*

*Scene 7*

*The Tomb*

*\*PRAISE TO GOD*

*Your Grace is Enough*

by Maher & Tomlin

Worship Ensemble, Children, and Congregation

(Following the pageant, children are dismissed to Sunday School.)

*WORDS OF WELCOME AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE*

*MORNING PRAYERS*

Rev. Emily McColl

*OFFERING OF OUR LIVES AND GIFTS*

*OFFERTORY*

*Via Dolorosa*  
Carrie Lee, Soloist

by Sprague & Borop

*\*DOXOLOGY*

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

*\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION*

*PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (In Unison)*

*O God, by your spirit tell us what we need to hear,  
And show us what we ought to do,  
To obey Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.*

*SCRIPTURE READING*

Luke 19:28-40

Pew Bible, N.T. Page 83

*SERMON*

Dr. Randy Steele

*“What Do You See?”*

The singing of psalms was a liturgical act repeated at every Passover and feast day. Every time the people worshiped, they worked through those psalms. Year after year, week after week, day after day they paid attention to the details of looking for a savior. And when the Savior came, some were ready.

*\*HYMN 95 (vss. 1, 2, 4, 5)*

*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

CORONATION

*\*BENEDICTION*

(The Prayer Team is available at the end of the service. To share a prayer concern or give thanks for what God is doing in your life; please go to the right side of the Sanctuary after worship.)

*\*CHORAL RESPONSE*

*Prayer for the Road*

*\*POSTLUDE*

*Open the Gates of the Temple*  
Suk Choi, Organ & Binh Vu, Piano

arr. Smith & Hustad

Today's Pastoral Deacon is Marc Skelton

**“Remember, God Loves You.”**

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