

Sunday 24 March 2024 Theme: Palm Sunday

At 8am	Said Eucharist, our service starts on p476	
At 10am	Choral Eucharist, our service starts on p476	

Our sentence: Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord!

Mark 11:9

Our Prayer for today

Lord Jesus, acclaimed as King, crucified as criminal, teach us to accept our sufferings and triumphs for your glory alone. Hear this prayer for your love's sake. **Amen.**

Readings

First TestamentIsaiah 50:4-9aNew TestamentPhil 2:5-11GospelMark 11:1-11

Gluten free wafers are available from the person administering the bread every week at 10am. If needed at 8am please let us know before the service starts.

We do not offer intinction (dipping the wafer in the chalice) please choose between receiving bread only, and/or consuming from the chalice. This is safer both for you and others.

Prayer ministry is available during communion in the Resurrection Chapel.

We invite you to stay for morning tea after the service, and would love our visitors to introduce themselves to us.

Music for 10am service

5	Processional Gospel	128 (omit vs 3,7,8) 508 (tune: Stone)
	Offertory Recessional	470 112 (omit vs 2,5,6)

Setting - Blackburn Setting - Rawsthorne

Anthem – Hosanna to Son of David - Gibbons

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

 1 O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his steadfast love endures for ever! ² Let Israel say, 'His steadfast love endures for ever.' ¹⁹ Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD. ²⁰ This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it. ²¹ I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation. ²² The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone. ²³ This is the LORD's doing; it is marvellous in our eyes. ²⁴ This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. ²⁵ Save us, we beseech you, O LORD! O LORD, we beseech you, give us success! ²⁶ Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD. We bless you from the house of the LORD. ²⁷ The LORD is God. and he has given us light. Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar. ²⁸ You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you. ²⁹ O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good,

for his steadfast love endures for ever.

NEXT WEEK

Tuesday to Friday 9am Morning prayer in the Resurrection Chapel **Tuesday** 10.30am – Eucharist in the Resurrection Chapel, followed by morning tea **Next Sunday** 8am Eucharist in the Aotearoa Chapel 10am Choral Eucharist

WHAT YOU MIGHT LIKE TO KNOW

Charlene is away on Annual Leave until 8 April – our wonderful office volunteers will do their best to help you, but if your enquiry can wait till Charlene is back, that would be great!

Remember the NZ tax year ends of March 31st. Any donations made in the next few days can be receipted and count towards this year's tax rebate – please contact Lesley (our recorder), Lyndsay (our treasurer) or Di if you need assistance in making a donation towards the Cathedral's ministry.

We welcome you to join our special Easter Services

HOLY WEEK

Monday 25 to Wednesday 27 March 8.00-8.30am, Lenten Eucharist, Aotearoa Chapel

Maundy Thursday, 28 March

7.00pm, Eucharist service commemorating the Last Supper Foot washing followed by prayer vigil until 10pm

Easter Sunday, 31 March "Christ is Risen"

8.00am, Eucharist 9.00am, Ormond Chapel Eucharist service 10.00am, Choral Eucharist

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