

# THE FOUNDATION

Faith Lutheran Church  
Hutchinson, MN  
Palm Sunday ~ March 29, 2026

## “Hosanna!



is the one who comes  
in the name of  
the Lord!”

### What Does This Mean?

1. Note the red thread of contrasts that runs all through the Passion account.
2. Which of those many contrasts struck you the most?
3. How do those contrasts speak the accusations of the Law?
4. How do those same contrasts speak the assurance of the Gospel?

- Gathering Music
- Palm Sunday Reading ..... Matthew 21:1-11
- Processional
- Welcome/Announcements
- Opening Song
- Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness
- Apostles' Creed
- Offering
- Offertory Response
- Prayers of the Church
- Lord's Prayer
- Songs
- The Passion of Our Lord according to Matthew  
*“Passion” comes from a Latin word that means “to suffer” and refers to the suffering and death of Jesus.*
- Faith Seeds\* ..... Laura Stowman
- Sermon ..... “A Study in Contrasts” ..... Pastor Scott Grorud
- Benediction
- Sending Song

**\*Faith Seeds and Sprouts:** Faith Seeds is a time for **children of all ages** to come forward for a lesson geared to them. Afterward, **children ages 3-years old through 1<sup>st</sup> grade may join Sprouts** for an age-appropriate learning activity during the sermon. They will return to their parents shortly after the sermon ends.

**\*Nursery:** The main floor nursery is staffed Sunday mornings from 9-11:30 a.m. to make it easier for parents of very young children to attend Digging Deeper and to have fewer distractions during worship.

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