

BIRMINGHAM-SOUTHERN COLLEGE CONCERT CHOIR  
Homecoming Concert - Today at 4 PM in the Sanctuary

**Noon Chapel Services & Lenten Luncheons**

*April 10-13 at 12 PM*

Come celebrate Holy Week at Canterbury's Noonday Worship Services in the Chapel. Each brief service will be followed by a Lenten Luncheon in the Parlor at 12:30 PM, Monday through Thursday.

**Stations of the Cross**

*Palm Sunday through Good Friday; Upper Commons Hallway*

Experience this spiritual journey of prayer and meditation at Canterbury throughout Holy Week. The beautiful art panels and special prayers at each of the 14 stations are inspired by sites along the Via Dolorosa as it winds its way through the streets of Jerusalem.

**Easter Egg Hunt**

*Sunday, April 9; From 3-4:30 PM*

The annual Easter Egg Hunt is set for Sunday, April 9 from 3-4:30 PM in Canterbury Hall. Join us for an afternoon of crafts, refreshments and egg hunting!

**Special Announcements**

**In the Hospital / Rehab (as of April 6)**

Anne Collum.....Fair Haven  
Carolyn Smallwood.....Fair Haven

**Thanksgiving for the Life of**

George Strother.....March 28, 2017  
Candace Sumrall.....March 29, 2017  
Dr. Jesse B. Milby.....March 31, 2017

**Flowers on Sanctuary Altar**

The beautiful flowers on the Sanctuary altar are placed in honor of Megan Carol Bowers and Joseph Whitaker Kelly who were united in holy matrimony on April 8, 2017.

**Roses on the Sanctuary Lectern**

The roses on the Sanctuary lectern are placed in honor of :

Andrew Wilson Manuel, Jr., son of Polly & Wilson Manuel, who was born on April 1, and  
Drennan Posey Fountain, daughter of Carlton & Will Fountain, who was born on April 3.

***Easter Lilies***

To place an Easter lily in memory of or in honor of a friend or loved one, please complete this form:

Placed in Honor \_\_\_\_ Memory \_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Phone# \_\_\_\_\_

Make your check for \$15 per lily payable to Canterbury UMC and return it with a copy of this form to the church office or to Paul McCracken, no later than Palm Sunday, April 9.



**Traditional Worship**

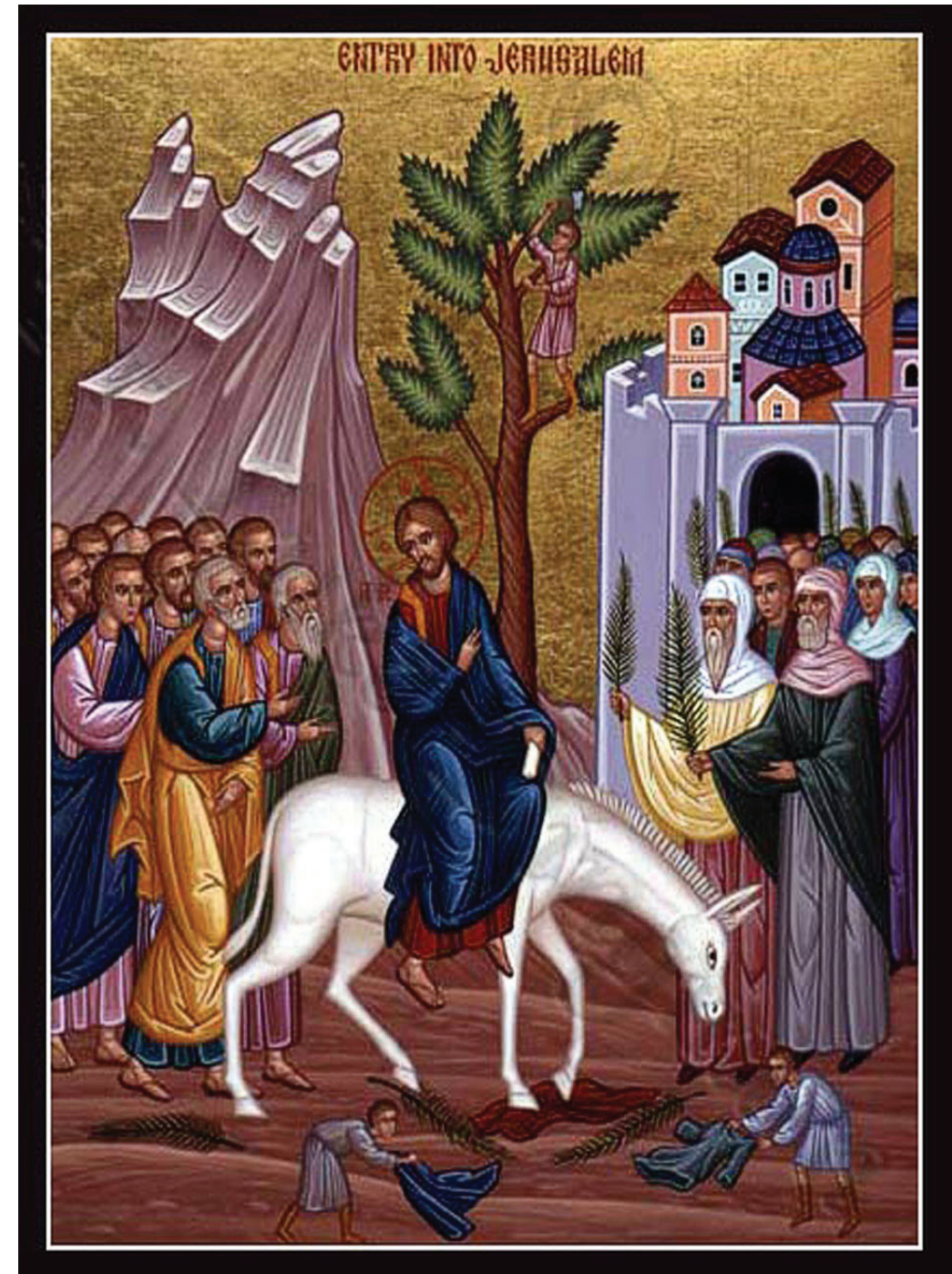
APRIL 9, 2017

PALM SUNDAY

PREACHING — REV. DALE COHEN

LITURGIST — REV. TORI HASTINGS

CHOIRMASTER AND ORGANIST — DR. LESTER SEIGEL



**WELCOME CHILDREN!** —Parents, make sure your children get a worship activity pack in the Narthex entrance area. The Children's Comfort Room is also adjacent to the Narthex.



Hearing assist devices and large print hymnals available — ask an usher for help.



**Follow Jesus...  
SERVE OTHERS...**

# Order of Morning Worship

\*Congregation Please Stand

Words in bold type are spoken or sung by the congregation.

Voluntary Cortège et Litanie Marcel Dupré

Welcome and Parish Notices

Introit Procédamus in Pace Plainsong melody  
Nick DeCastro, cantor

May we process in peace; in the name of Christ. Amen.  
Hosanna to the Son of David; Blessed are they who come in the Name of the Lord.  
Hosanna to the Son of David!

\* Processional Hymn 280 All Glory, Laud, and Honor ST. THEODULPH

Prayer of Confession and Words of Pardon

Pastor: We know how Jesus leads processions, and where he leads.

All: He leads crowds to marvel at your love.

We lead crowds to marvel at our power.

His processions proclaim good news to people who are sick, poor, and outcast.

Our processions proclaim good news to people who are well, wealthy, and well-connected.

His way does not flinch in the face of violence that may destroy him.

Our way embraces violence to protect ourselves from destruction.

We have gone astray. We seek your grace, to turn, cleanse, and forgive us our transgression. Set us again in the procession of love that springs from your throne and makes all things new. Amen.

*All pray in silence*

Kyrie 482

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Words of Pardon

Pastor: It is the sure and certain will and delight of our God that the mind that was in Christ Jesus be also in us. In the name of Jesus, receive God's forgiveness, cleansing, and restoration.

People: In the name of Jesus, receive God's forgiveness, cleansing, and restoration.

All: Hosanna in the highest! Amen!

\* Passing of the Peace *The Peace of the Lord be with you, and also with You.*

Children's Moment Laura Millsap

Infant Baptism John O'Sullivan Henderson, Jr. *see insert*  
Thomas Geyer Henderson  
Christine Sandra Killion

Anthem Sanctus and Hosanna (*Mass in G*) Franz Schubert

Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts: heaven and earth are full of Your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest!

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Our Gifts and Music

Offertory Anthem Ride On, King Jesus Spiritual, arr. Parker-Shaw

Ride on, King Jesus! No man can-a hinder me!  
I was but young when I begun, but now my race is almost done.  
No man can-a hinder me!  
King Jesus rides on a milk-white horse; and then for us he bore the cross.  
No man can-a hinder me!  
If you want to find your way to God, the gospel highway must be trod.  
No man can-a hinder me!

\* Doxology OLD 100TH

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

\* Gospel Procession 278 Hosanna, Loud Hosanna, vv. 1 & 2 ELLACOMBE

\* Gospel Lesson Matthew 21: 1 - 11  
*This is the Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.*

\* Gospel Procession 278 Hosanna, Loud Hosanna, v. 3 ELLACOMBE

Sermon Rev. Dale Cohen

Hymn of Commitment 286 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded PASSION CHORALE

\* Dismissal & Blessing

\* Recessional Prayer Ted Clark, cantor  
Grant, O Lord, we pray, that the words we have said and sung this day may be so grafted and guarded in our hearts, that our lives may bring forth good fruits, and our lips shall show forth Thy praise, to the honor and glory of Thy holy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**Want to know more about Following Jesus and Serving Others?** To make Canterbury your home church, contact Rev. Tori Hastings at 868-6580 or [tori.hastings@canterburyumc.org](mailto:tori.hastings@canterburyumc.org).