

WEST BEND CHURCH  
ORDER OF WORSHIP FOR  
PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 13, 2025, 11 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*(If you have a prayer request, even if you announce it, please take time to fill out a card located in the pews so we can keep up with the requests. If you are a visitor, please fill out the other side of the card with your information. Completed cards may be placed in the offering plate. We would like to welcome you to our church & hope you find our worship encouraging and will attend again.)*

April Brown  
Carol Petty

\*CONGREGATIONAL CALL TO WORSHIP    "Surely the Presence"    #328

PASTOR'S WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Rev. Richard Routh

(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 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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.*

SCRIPTURE INTRODUCTION/CHILDREN'S TIME

"Expectations"

\*HYMN OF PRAISE

"He Lives"

#310

MORNING TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

"He Did It All For Me"

DOXOLOGY

"Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow"

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Choir

#95

MESSAGE

Rev. Richard Routh

"Great Expectations"

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 21:1-11 (ESV)

21:1 Now when they drew near to Jerusalem and came to Bethphage, to the Mount of Olives, then Jesus sent two disciples, 2 saying to them, "Go into the village in front of you, and immediately you will find a donkey tied, and a colt with her. Untie them and bring them to me. 3 If anyone says anything to you, you shall say, 'The Lord needs them,' and he will send them at once." 4 This took place to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet, saying,

5 "Say to the daughter of Zion, 'Behold, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden.'"

6 The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them. 7 They brought the donkey and the colt and put on them their cloaks, and he sat on them. 8 Most of the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. 9 And the crowds that went before him and that followed him were shouting, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!" 10 And when he entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred up, saying, "Who is this?" 11 And the crowds said, "This is the prophet Jesus, from Nazareth of Galilee."

Consider This:

What do you expect from God?

What does God expect from you?

SERMON WRAP-UP

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION    "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" #298

\*THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH

\*RECESSONAL

"God Be with You till We Meet Again" #672, vs. 1, no refrain

*God be with you till we meet again,  
by his counsels guide, uphold you,  
with his sheep securely fold you.*

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

*There are hearing devices available to use during worship. Please see an usher for assistance.*

## Prayer List

### Our Church Family

Doris Davidson

Harold Hill

Tom Morgan

Brenda Welch

Paul Foust

Gail Hurley

Judy Stultz

### Our Family & Friends

Karen Davis (Doris Davidson's daughter)

Angela Frye (Donna Robbins' cousin)

Issac Griffith (Kat Griffith's son)

Charles Lewis

Amber Southard (April Brown's friend)

Andrea Sykes (Carol's sister-in-law)

Angie Toomes (Campbell's daughter)

Jeff Trogdon (Cindy Shepard's cousin)

Brenda Sykes Varner (Carol Petty's niece)

James Varner

### Assisted & Skilled Living Residents

\*=Church Member

Cross Roads, Asheboro: Marie Caldwell

Ramseur Rehab: \*Carolyn Dotson

\*Lena Mae McMasters

### Our Military

Logan Morris, Veterans

### Christian Sympathy

to the family & friends of:

Ida Starr (Clay & Reagan Hill's grandma)

*Prayer Requests will be listed for 2 weeks unless notified otherwise. Thank you. otherwise.*

### Worship Associates

**Musicians:** April Brown, Choir  
**Sound System:** Richard Lanier

**Ushers:** Mike Brown, Bill Burrow  
Attendance Takers:

Linda Burrow, Kathy McGowan

Power Point: Mary Anne Routh

Communion Preparer: Debra Hill

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!**

### Church Calendar

**Sunday, April 13**

11 am Worship

**Tuesday, April 15**

11 am Bulletin Deadline

Table of Grace Closed

**Wednesday, April 16**

1 pm Bible Study in Parlor

### Attendance & Tithes & Offering Updates for last week

Budget Offering: \$3,165.00

Worship Attendance: 29

TOG Offering: \$100.00

Table of Grace Served: 95



*Special thanks to those who gave to the Hospice Snacks Offering last month & to Richard & Rita Lanier for buying the snacks & delivering them to Hospice.*

#### Ministry Staff

Ministers

Pastor

Office Manager

Lay Leader

Janitor

Every Member

Rev. Richard Routh

Mrs. Debra Y. Rogers

Mrs. Carol S. Petty

Mr. Tim Burrow

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