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# Gospel Centered CHRIST EXALTING

# The Lord's Day

November 3, 2024

**Covenant's Mission Statement** *"To build a faithful community of joyful disciples."* 

Covenant's Values Covenant is *biblical* by affirming the Bible as the authoritative Word of God, *connectional* by affiliating with the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA), *confessional* by adhering to the Westminster Standards, *missional* by seeking to spread the Gospel worldwide, and *relational* by encouraging the church family to build community. Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. Zechariah 9:9

> During the prelude selection, prepare for worship by reflecting on Zechariah 9:9 printed above.

Prelude

Life of the Church

Call to Worship

Romans 16:25-27

[25] Now to him who is able to strengthen you according to my gospel and the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery that was kept secret for long ages [26] but has now been disclosed and through the prophetic writings has been made known to all nations, according to the command of the eternal God, to bring about the obedience of faith—[27] to the only wise God be glory forevermore through Jesus Christ! Amen.

#### Invocation and The 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 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, for ever. Amen.

#### Hymn

"Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah"

Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise; I will sing the glor'ous praises, of my God thru all my days. Put no confidence in princes, nor for help on man depend; He shall die, to dust returning, and his purposes shall end.

Happy is the man that chooses Israel's God to be his aid; He is blest whose hope of blessing on the Lord his God has stayed. Heav'n and earth the Lord created, seas and all that they contain; He delivers from oppression, righteousness He will maintain.

Food He daily gives the hungry, sets the mourning pris'ner free, Raises those bowed down with anguish, makes the sightless eyes to see. Well Jehovah loves the righteous, and the stranger He befriends, Helps the fatherless and widow, judgment on the wicked sends.

Hallelujah, praise Jehovah, O my soul, Jehovah praise; I will sing the glor'ous praises of my God thru all my days. Over all God reigns forever, thru all ages He is King; Unto Him, thy God, O Zion, joyful hallelujahs sing.

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### Psalm 118

Offertory and Collection of Tithes and Offerings

### "I Stand Amazed"

Choir

I stand amazed in the presence of Jesus the Nazarene, And wonder how He could love me, A sinner condemned, unclean. For me it was in the garden, He prayed: "Not my will, but Thine." He had no tears for His own griefs, but sweat-drops of blood for mine. How marvelous! How wonderful! And my song shall ever be: How marvelous! How wonderful! Is my Savior's love for me! He took my sins and my sorrows, He made them His very own; He bore the burden to Calv'ry, and suffered, and died alone. When with the ransomed in glory His face I at last shall see, 'Twill be my joy through the ages to sing of His love for me.

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Prayer of Thanksgiving and Presentation of the Offering

Corporate Profession of Faith

Romans 8

We believe there is no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus. We know that all things work together for good for those who love God, who are called according to God's purpose. We are convinced that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor rulers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor powers, nor height, nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Hymn

"Jesus Shall Reign"

Jesus shall reign wher-e'er the sun does His successive journeys run; His kingdom spread from shore to shore, till moons shall wax and wane no more.

For Him shall endless prayer be made, and praises throng to crown His head; His name like sweet perfume shall rise with every morning sacrifice.

People and realms of ev'ry tongue dwell on His love with sweetest song; and infant voices shall proclaim their early blessings on His name.

Blessings abound where'er He reigns; the pris'ner leaps to lose his chains; the weary find eternal rest, and all the sons of want are blessed.

Where He displays His healing power, death and the curse are known no more: in Him the tribes of Adam boast more blessings than their father lost.

Let ev'ry creature rise and bring his grateful honors to our King; angels descend with songs again, and earth repeat the loud "Amen!"

David Beuerman, Deacon

Mark 11:1-11

Sermon

"Jesus' Triumphal Entry"

The Sacrament of The Lord's Supper

Hymn

"All Glory, Laud, and Honor"

All glory, laud, and honor to Thee, Redeemer, King, to whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring! Thou art the King of Israel, Thou David's royal Son, Who in the Lord's name comest, the King and blessed One!

The people of the Hebrews with palms before Thee went; our praise and prayer and anthems before Thee we present: to Thee, before Thy passion, they sang their hymns of praise; to Thee, now high exalted, our melody we raise.

Thou didst accept their praises; accept the prayers we bring, Who in all good delightest, Thou good and gracious King! All glory, laud, and honor to Thee, Redeemer, King, to Whom the lips of children made sweet hosannas ring!

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Invitation to The Lord's Supper

Corporate Confession of Sin

Almighty God, we acknowledge and confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed; we have not loved you with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength; we have not loved our neighbor as ourselves. Deepen within us our sorrow for the wrong we have done, and the good we have left undone. Lord, you are full of compassion and gracious, slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy; there is always forgiveness with you! Restore to us the joy of your salvation; bind up that which is broken, give light to our minds, strength to our wills, and rest to our souls. Speak to each of us, and let your word abide with us until it has wrought in us your holy will. Amen.

Individual Prayer of Confession (Silent Prayer)

Assurance of Pardon

Ezekiel 36:25-27

[25] I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean from all your uncleannesses, and from all your idols I will cleanse you.

[26] And I will give you a new heart, and a new spirit I will put within you. And I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh.

[27] And I will put my Spirit within you, and cause you to walk in my statutes and be careful to obey my rules.

# Distribution of the Elements

# Prayer of Thanksgiving

Hymn	"Crown Him with Many Crowns"
	Crown Him with many crowns, the Lamb upon His throne; hark! how the heav'nly anthem drowns all music but its own: awake, my soul, and sing of Him who died for thee, and hail Him as thy matchless King through all eternity.
	Crown Him the Lord of love; behold His hands and side, rich wounds, yet visible above, in beauty glorified: no angel in the sky can fully bear that sight, but downward bends His burning eye at mysteries so bright.
	Crown Him the Lord of peace; whose pow'r a scepter sways from pole to pole, that wars may cease, absorbed in prayer and praise: His reign shall know no end; and round His pierced feet fair flow'rs of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.
	Crown Him the Lord of years, the Potentate of time; Creator of the rolling spheres, ineffably sublime: all hail, Redeemer, hail! for Thou hast died for me: Thy praise shall never, never fail throughout eternity.
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Scriptural Benediction

Postlude

## <u>Sermon Outline</u> *"Jesus' Triumphal Entry"* Mark 11:1-11

I. A Sacred Mount.

II. A Saving Messiah.

III. A Sacrificial Mission.

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