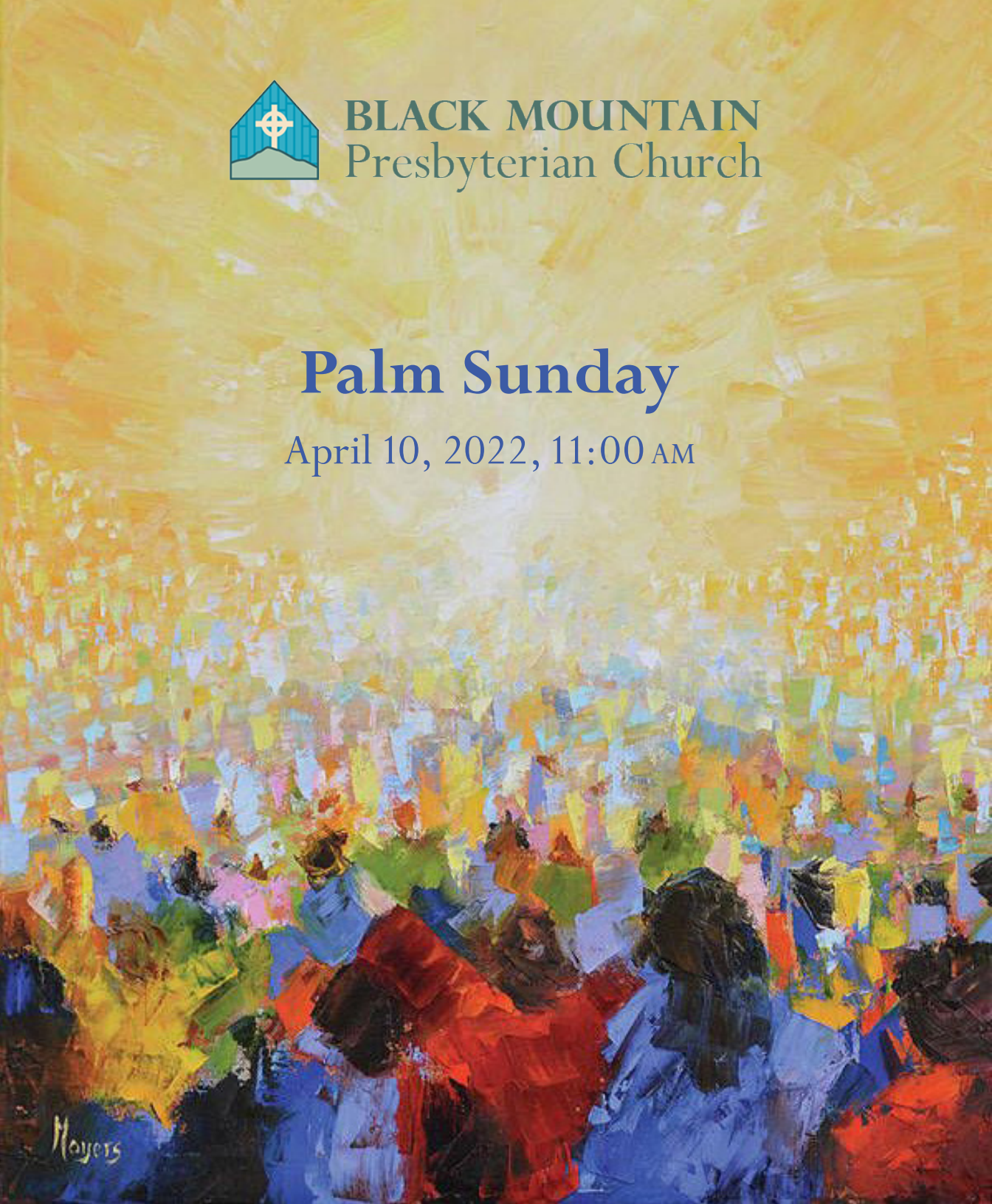




BLACK MOUNTAIN
Presbyterian Church

Palm Sunday

April 10, 2022, 11:00 AM



Grace and peace. All are welcome here.

Embodying the Love of Christ, we are joyfully called to be a church in the heart of Black Mountain where the welcome never ends! We seek to share the love of Jesus Christ by inspiring worship and faith formation, nurturing authentic relationships, equipping disciples to serve, and being a welcoming and inclusive community to all.

We invite all to join us on the journey!

Please silence all communication devices. This sanctuary incorporates a hearing assistance loop; to engage this system, set hearing aids to the "t-coil" setting.

† indicates to stand, if you are able. The congregation is invited to join in where the liturgy is marked in bold.

BELL PEAL

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mary Katherine Robinson

VOLUNTARY *Maestro & Andante on All Glory, Laud and Honor* Michael Burkhardt

GATHERING AROUND THE WORD

† CALL TO WORSHIP

David Carter Florence

The next day the great crowd that had come to the festival heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem.

So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, shouting,

"Hosanna! Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord – the King of Israel!"

Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it; as it is written:

"Do not be afraid, daughter of Zion.

Look, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!"

Hosanna! Blessed be God forever.

† HYMN NO. 197

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna!

congregation will join in after an intro by the choir

† PRAYER OF ADORATION

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord Jesus, on this glad day, we sing your praises
and join the parade that hails you as king.
Even so, we confess that the lives we live
do not always reflect our professed allegiance.
Often we proclaim hope, but live in fear.
Often our faith fades when confronted by the realities of life.
Often we miss the meaning of the parade that heralds you as Messiah.
Forgive us, Lord, for we know not what we do.

... silent prayers...

In your great compassion,
cleanse us from our sin
and sustain us with your bountiful spirit. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, believe this Good News:
In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

† RESPONSE NO. 437 *You Are the Lord, Giver of Mercy!*
You are the Lord, giver of mercy!
You are the Christ, giver of mercy!
You are the Lord, giver of mercy!

† PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you!
And also with you.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE 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, forever.

PRAYER RESPONSE

AMEN

CALL TO OFFERING / CONNECTION CARDS

Anthem *O Lord, Our Lord, Your Works are Glorious* J.S.Bach/arr Hal Hopson

†The Doxology NO. 717 *For the Life That You Have Given*

*For the life that you have given, for the love in Christ made known,
with these fruits of time and labor, with these gifts that are your own:
here we offer, Lord, our praises; heart and mind and strength we bring;
give us grace to love and serve you, living what we pray and sing.*

†Prayer of Dedication

BEARING THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

†HYMN NO. 196

All Glory, Laud, and Honor VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

†CHORAL BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Toccata on All Glory, Laud and Honor Michael Burkhardt

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Congratulations to **Karen Austin** on the birth of a granddaughter,
Julia Austin Slaven, on March 14.

Tanya Banks following the death of her mother, Shirley Melton, on March 26

Barbara Brinson's brother-in-law, Rick Johnson, fighting pancreatic cancer

The Lehman family following the death of Noah

Chris Mailander following the death of his father, Jim Mailander

Susan Wilkinson's stepfather, Roger Ray, after a terrible fall
that broke bones in his face and scapula

Johnnie Wood's daughter, Kim, following a bone marrow transplant at Johns Hopkins in DC

We list names for three weeks unless requested otherwise. To add someone to the list (with their permission), please call 669-2725, or email jackie@bmpcnc.org

Our PC(USA) Mission Co-workers: **John McCall** in Taiwan;

Dan & Elizabeth Turk in Madagascar; Outreach Foundation: **Frank Dimmock**;

Seminary Students: **Emily Beaver**, Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia;

Levi Bannerman, Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, Virginia;

Susie Burns, Union Presbyterian Seminary in Charlotte, North Carolina;

Our partner Presbytery and partner church, Ebenezer, in Guatemala

Please remember in prayer these people with ongoing concerns:

Mike Barker, Nada Barnett, Chad Carlton, Paul Carreiro, Sandy Cheatham,

Jane Collins, Art De Jong, Ellen Gibson, Kevin Griffin, Beverly Highland, Becky Hughes,

David Kaylor, Eleanor Landers, Hugh Mayronne, Mary McElrath, Polly Miller,

Jerry Newbold, Becky Peterson, Elissa Pusser, Margaret Rada, Betty Rand, Penny Sampson,

Renee & Charles Sandy, Callie Shaffer, Richard Speegle, Joe Standaert, Katherine Stanley,

Tom Stiles, Paul Willison, Barbara & Gene Witherspoon, Jack Wynn

Connect with us on our website: bmpcnc.org

Visitors: let us know of your interest or questions about BMPC.

Members: share prayer requests, pastoral concerns, or updated contact information.

We look forward to hearing from you.

WORK AND WORSHIP OF THE CHURCH

Greeters Hospitality & Welcome • **Welcome Table** Rosie Johnson

Bus Driver Wayne Mullis • **Head Usher** Perry Sprawls

Sunday, April 10

Palm Sunday

- 9:00 a.m. FirstLight
- 9:45 a.m. Adult Church School
- 11:00 a.m. Worship
- 2:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal
- 5:00 p.m. Taizé Worship

Monday, April 11

- 8:00 a.m. Sacred Circle
- 9:00 a.m. AARP tax help
- 1:00 p.m. Earth Care Book Study

Tuesday, April 12

- 1:30 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 6:30 p.m. Lydia
- 7:00 p.m. Prophets

Wednesday, April 13

- 11:30 a.m. Old Fellers Lunch
- 3:30 p.m. RAD!
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday, April 14

Maundy Thursday

- 8:30 a.m. AARP tax help
- 7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service

Friday, April 15

Good Friday

Church office closes at noon

Palm Sunday Taizé Today, 5 PM

Maundy Thursday April 14, 7 PM

This special service reflects upon the night of Jesus' meal with his disciples and his arrest. Together, we will participate in a reverent worship service with special music and communion.

Easter Sunday April 17

A joyful service to celebrate that Jesus has risen! We are proud to feature brass and timpani in our 11AM service. Come prepared to sing praises!

6:30 AM – Sunrise Service on the lawn

9:00 AM – FirstLight Service

10:00 AM – Fellowship Time with an Easter Egg Hunt for children

11:00 AM – Sanctuary Service

- Overflow seating will be available in the narthex during the 11:00 service
- A cross will be placed outside for families to bring flowers and, if you desire, take a family picture
- Childcare is provided at 9:00 and 11:00
- We encourage fully-abled members to park farther away, allowing spaces for visitors and those with special needs.

Our Church's Vision – Embodying the Love of Christ

Inspiring through Worship and Faith Formation • Nurturing through Fellowship

Equipping to Serve • Welcoming to All

Session

Mike Ballard, clerk

Class of 2022

Ellen Begley
Austin Brown
Daniel Wiggs
Cheryl Wilson

Class of 2023

Alison Banzhoff
Gay Ferguson
Margo Smith
Tommy Wilkinson

Class of 2024

Alan Belsches
Bill Gilliland
Ken Kelly
Ellen Phillips Smith

Deacons

Class of 2023

Karen Austin
Alex Carver & Joe Carreiro
Edie & Joe Covert
Margaret Fouse & Craig Cooley
Diane Ginther
Jeannie Maidment
Margie Stansell

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Annamarie & Bill Arens
Christy Carswell
Julie & Dale Culpepper
Melissa Kadau
Ellen McClintock
Anne Straughan
Ann Wiig

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Susan & Ernie Banzhoff
Kay & Jim Layman
Susan McElrath
Mary & Don McMahill
Martha Jane Petersen
Delores Spielman
Janine & Russ Spiller

Ministers: Every Member Of The Congregation

Mary Katherine Robinson Pastor/Head of Staff
David Carter Florence Associate Pastor for Congregational Faith Formation
Bob Tuttle Parish Associate
Alice Patton Director of Preschool Ministry
Sam Webber Director of Operations
Brittany Williams Director of Congregational Life and Children's Ministry
Jackie Kerr Director of Communications
Betsy Ray Interim Youth Director
Aaron Price Interim Music Director
Ednamae Fisher Interim Organist and Handbell Choir Director

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