

Scripture Readings:

John 19:30

³⁰When he had received the drink, Jesus said, “It is finished.” With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

Luke 23:44-47

⁴⁴It was now about noon, and darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon, ⁴⁵for the sun stopped shining. And the curtain of the temple was torn in two. ⁴⁶Jesus called out with a loud voice, “Father, into your hands I commit my spirit.” When he had said this, he breathed his last.

⁴⁷The centurion, seeing what had happened, praised God and said, “Surely this was a righteous man.”

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF PINE ISLAND
Love, Hope, a place to Belong

Pastor Bill Hoffman

April 14, 2019, Palm Sunday

UMH (United Methodist Hymnal) **FWS** (Faith We Sing) **W&S** (Worship & Song)
(*Indicates for Congregation to stand if able)

(Please sign the pew pad)

Palm Procession (FWS) #2109 Hosanna! Hosanna!

Welcome

****Call to Worship**

Liturgist: Chad Murray

L: With songs of thanksgiving,

P: we sing praise to God.

L: With shouts of Hosanna,

P: we welcome the presence of Christ.

L: With prayers of blessing,

P: we call out to the Spirit of God.

L: Come, Holy Spirit, come.

****Opening Songs Glory to the Lord Our God / (FWS) #2068 I Love You, Lord**

Children's Sermon

Bill Brueck

Joys and Concerns / Pastoral Prayer

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.

****Gloria Patri**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Scripture:

John 19:30 & Luke 23:44-47

Hymn (UMH) #165

Hallelujah! What a Savior

Message

It Is Finished! Into Your Hands I Commit My Spirit

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Giving of Our Tithes and Offering - Please sign Pew Pad.

****Doxology**

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.

****Offertory Prayer**

With these gifts, we give you thanks, O God. We bless your generous, humble spirit, and ask that you bless these gifts with this same generous, humble spirit, so that all who receive these gifts may also receive your love, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

****Hymn (UMH) #290**

Go to Dark Gethsemane

Prayer for Living Expectantly

Gracious Giver of Life,

- Pour out your Holy Spirit, O God, like a mighty wind and tongues of fire. Unleash our churches to see kingdom visions, dream your dreams and prophesy to your saving grace and justice.
- Revive the power of the gospel in our clergy and lay leaders. Prosper their words and works, so that all nations may hear the good news in their own tongues.
- Boldly use me, without limits, delays or excuses, to be a living praise, a witness to your love throughout the earth, and a blessing to all creation.
- Create in me an expectant heart, eager for your Spirit's gifts and guidance, to the glory of Jesus Christ, in whose precious and powerful name we pray. Amen.

Benediction / Greeting/ Postlude

Fellowship: Please join us for fellowship time following the service downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. **Nursery:** Available for your use.

Ushers: Brent Dohrmann & Carl Mancilman

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday Night – Saturday Night we will be hosting Family Promise

Sun: 10am Fellowship, 10:15am Youth & Adult SS/Confirmation, 11:30am Lunch Bunch at Lions Lasagna Dinner

Mon: 12pm LRP Meeting, 6pm Lions

Tues: 1:30pm Memorial Meeting, 7pm Finance Meeting

Wed: 8am Pastor Bill at Shawna's & 9am at Better Brew, 12pm Pastor Bill on Conference Call, 3:30pm Confirmation

Thurs: 10am Bible Study & 10:30am Hymn Sing at Pine Haven

6:45pm Worship Band Practice, 7:15pm Choir Practice

Fri: 7pm Tenebrae Worship

OFFERINGS FOR: April 7

General Fund: \$2,743

Apportionments: \$153

Church Siding: \$35

Bumper Fund: \$340

Missions: \$5

Attendance: 102

JOYS & CONCERNS

- **Prayers for the families** of Maxine Voy, Dr. Ken Henry, June Fuchs, Tom Millering, and Jonathan Zierdt.
- **Prayers for Lucy & Tony B., Ole & Millie F., Bruce & Dawn R., Maddie S., Eddi** (sister of Jo's son-in-law), Darcy R., Jerry (Marni's dad), Susan M. (Cheryl's sister), and Maggie N.
- **Prayers for** spring travelers including Fern Bennett.
- **Prayers for** those affected by flooding.
- **Prayers for** those serving in the Armed Forces.
- **Prayers for** TeenServe team and volunteers.
- **Prayers for** Baiwala UMC in Sierra Leone.



Prayer Request: As believers in the power of prayer, we would like to pray for you. Let us lift up a birth, death, or any concerns as well as any praise to our Heavenly Father. E-mail Pastor Bill: revwilly3@gmail.com

In order to try to keep the prayer list up to date, we will be removing names from this list after a month. If you would like them to be included once more, please lift them up again. We would also love to receive updates on your loved ones.

PLEASE NOTE

- **Pastor Bill's** office hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9am to 12pm. To contact Pastor Bill, please call his cell (605) 840-1801 or home (507) 356-4317; or e-mail him at revwilly3@gmail.com. On Wednesdays, Pastor Bill is at Shawna's at 8am and at Betty Sue's Better Brew at 9am.
- **We invite you** all to use the **Prayer Wall** in the entrance area. Please feel free to add a prayer request, pray for the requests posted, and/or take a prayer request with you to regularly pray for outside the church.
- **Lunch Bunch Today, April 14:** You are invited to join Lunch Bunch at 11:30 am at the **Lions Lasagna Dinner** being served at the Pine Island School Cafeteria.
- **Good Friday Tenebrae Worship** will be Friday, April 19, at 7 pm in the sanctuary.
- **Join us next Sunday, April 21, for Easter Sunday Sunrise Worship at 7 am, Breakfast at 8 am, and Easter Celebration Worship with Communion at 9 am.**
- **Mission Box** for April is **UMCOR** (United Methodist Committee on Relief), the humanitarian relief and development arm of The United Methodist Church. **Pine Island Sharing Shelf** for April is **Crackers** (saltines & snack crackers).
- Find out if lay speaking is a good fit for you by participating in **Nuts and Bolts of Lay Speaking**, April 27, 9 am-4 pm, Holy Trinity UMC, 16150 Arcadia Ave SE, Prior Lake. Learn about serving as a trained worship leader or sharing God's word through preaching. Cost is \$35 (includes all materials and lunch). For more info and to register, go to <https://www.minnesotaumc.org/eventdetail/12757582?month=4&year=2019&day=1&display=m>