

First Presbyterian Church
March 20, 11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship
Matt Schultz – Pastor
Jan Gruhn – Organist

Prelude: “Triumphant Entry” Anderson

Welcome and Announcements

Introit/Processional “*Hosanna in the Highest*” Larson
(Congregation please join choirs on the last chorus-see insert)

†Hymn “*Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*” #203

Time of Reconciliation Scott Gruhn, Liturgist
Leader: Lord Jesus, you rebelled against earthly powers, but too often, we rebel against you.

All: Guide us as we seek to follow you. Forgive us for when we sin against each other, and against you.

Leader: We pause now to silently confess, and to ask you to forgive our sins.

(Moment of silence)

You teach us in the Lord’s prayer that as we ask for your forgiveness, we are also commanded to give our forgiveness to others. We pause now for another moment of silence, this time to forgive those who have sinned against us.

(Moment of silence)

Leader: Sisters and brothers, believe the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!

All: Thanks be to God

†Response *Gloria Patri* #805

All: 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, Amen

Passing of the Peace

Primary Choir: “*Thy Word Have I Hid In My heart*” *Traditional*
“*We are the Children*” *Tom McLain*

The Word

Time for Children

Choral Anthem “*Hosanna! Hosanna!*” *Martin*
(Nate Berry, violin; Brady Byers, percussion)

Scripture Reading 1: Matthew 21:1-11 Page: 977-978
Scripture Reading 2: Matthew 16:21-28 Page: 973

Sermon Pastor Matt Schultz

The Response

†Hymn “*Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?*” #208

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

(You now may make your contributions on line, for details go to our website)

Offertory

†**Response** *Doxology* #809
Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise God above, Ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

† **Prayer of Dedication**

Pastoral Prayer 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** *“All Glory, Laud and Honor”* #204

Benediction

Postlude *“Paeon”* Smith

