

# **WORSHIP GUIDE – SUNDAY MARCH 28TH – 10:15AM**

## ***Theme: The King Came***

**Welcome & Call to Worship:** *[Pastor Steve]*

**Congregational Call to Worship Song:** Arise My Soul Arise

Arise, my soul, arise,  
shake off your guilty fears;  
the bleeding Sacrifice  
in my behalf appears:  
before the throne my Surety stands,  
before the throne my Surety stands,  
my name is written on his hands.

Five bleeding wounds he bears,  
received on Calvary;  
they pour effectual prayers,  
they strongly plead for me.  
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,  
"forgive him, O forgive," they cry,  
"nor let that ransomed sinner die!"

The Father hears him pray,  
His dear anointed One;  
He cannot turn away  
The presence of his Son;  
His Spirit answers to the blood,  
His Spirit answers to the blood,  
And tells me I am born of God.

My God is reconciled;  
his pard'ning voice I hear;  
he owns me for his child,  
I can no longer fear;  
with confidence I now draw nigh,  
with confidence I now draw nigh,  
and "Father, Abba, Father!" cry.

**Children 3-K5 dismissed to Junior Church**

## **LOOKING FORWARD AS A FAMILY**

- *[Pastor Steve]*

## **REMEMBER HOW JESUS CAME**

This morning we want to prepare our hearts for the agony of his crucifixion and the joy of his resurrection. In looking ahead to our celebration of the Resurrection we should think back to the events prior to his crucifixion and remember **how He came** and remember **why He came**.

He came in humility on a donkey to fulfill the Scriptures. He is the humble king.

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 19:28-40 [Pastor Joel]

*<sup>28</sup> And when he had said these things, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. <sup>29</sup> When he drew near to Bethphage and Bethany, at the mount that is called Olivet, he sent two of the disciples, <sup>30</sup> saying, "Go into the village in front of you, where on entering you will find a colt tied, on which no one has ever yet sat. Untie it and bring it here. <sup>31</sup> If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' you shall say this: 'The Lord has need of it.' " <sup>32</sup> So those who were sent went away and found it just as he had told them. <sup>33</sup> And as they were untying the colt, its owners said to them, "Why are you untying the colt?" <sup>34</sup> And they said, "The Lord has need of it." <sup>35</sup> And they brought it to Jesus, and throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. <sup>36</sup> And as he rode along, they spread their cloaks on the road. <sup>37</sup> As he was drawing near—already on the way down the Mount of Olives—the whole multitude of his disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen, <sup>38</sup> saying, "Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" <sup>39</sup> And some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, rebuke your disciples." <sup>40</sup> He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the very stones would cry out."*

**Congregational Song: #45 - Crown Him with Many Crowns** (sing all 4 stanzas – stand to sing)

Crown him with many crowns,  
the Lamb upon his throne.  
Hark! how the heavenly 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;  
All hail, Redeemer Hail!  
For Thou hast died for me;  
Thy praise and glory shall not fail  
Throughout eternity.

Crown him the Lord of life,  
who triumphed o'er the grave,  
and rose victorious in the strife  
for those he came to save;  
his glories now we sing

who died and rose on high,  
who died eternal life to bring,  
and lives that death may die.

Crown Him the lord of heav'n!  
One with the Father known,  
One with the Spirit thro' Him giv'n  
From yonder glorious throne.  
To Thee be endless praise,  
For Thou for us hast died.  
Be Thou, O Lord, thro' endless days  
Adored and magnified.

### REMEMBER WHY JESUS CAME

- The manner in which Jesus came was in humility, but *why* did He come? He came to fulfill the plan of God to defeat sin and death and he did so out of love.

**Scripture Reading:** Luke 19:41-44 [*Pastor Bernie*]

*<sup>41</sup> And when he drew near and saw the city, he wept over it, <sup>42</sup> saying, "Would that you, even you, had known on this day the things that make for peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes. <sup>43</sup> For the days will come upon you, when your enemies will set up a barricade around you and surround you and hem you in on every side <sup>44</sup> and tear you down to the ground, you and your children within you. And they will not leave one stone upon another in you, because you did not know the time of your visitation."*

**Congregational Song:** # 115 HMA - The Power of the Cross

Oh, to see the dawn  
Of the darkest day:  
Christ on the road to Calvary.  
Tried by sinful men,  
Torn and beaten, then  
Nailed to a cross of wood.

*This, the power of the cross:  
Christ became sin for us,  
Took the blame, bore the wrath:  
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Oh, to see the pain  
Written on Your face  
Bearing the awesome weight of sin;  
Every bitter thought,  
Every evil deed  
Crowning Your bloodstained brow.

*This, the power of the cross:  
Christ became sin for us,  
Took the blame, bore the wrath:  
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Now the daylight flees,  
Now the ground beneath  
Quakes as its Maker bows His head.  
Curtain torn in two,  
Dead are raised to life;  
'Finished!' the victory cry.

*This, the power of the cross:  
Christ became sin for us,  
Took the blame, bore the wrath:  
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

Oh, to see my name  
Written in the wounds,  
For through Your suffering I am free.  
Death is crushed to death,  
Life is mine to live,  
Won through Your selfless love.

*This, the power of the cross:  
Son of God, slain for us.  
What a love! What a cost!  
We stand forgiven at the cross.*

**Message from Scripture:** *[Pastor Steve]*

**Closing Congregational Song:** Jesus Thank You

The mystery of the cross I cannot comprehend  
The agonies of Calvary  
You, the perfect Holy One, crushed Your Son  
Drank the bitter cup reserved for me

*Your blood has washed away my sin  
Jesus, thank You  
The Father's wrath completely satisfied  
Jesus, thank You  
Once Your enemy  
Now seated at Your table  
Jesus, thank You*

By Your perfect sacrifice I've been brought near  
Your enemy, You've made Your friend

Pouring out the riches of Your glorious grace  
Your mercy and Your kindness know no end

*Your blood has washed away my sin  
Jesus, thank You  
The Father's wrath completely satisfied  
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**Closing Announcements:** *[Pastor Steve]*

- Tonight, March 28<sup>th</sup> – Singspiration and Lord's Supper. Come ready to select favorite songs, share testimonies and remember our Lord together.
- Next Sunday, April 4<sup>th</sup> [Resurrection Sunday]
  - 8:30-9:30am – Breakfast in Gymnasium
  - 10:00am – Resurrection Sunday Service
- Junior Camp Early Registration Deadline – Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> – Randy Tanis will be with us Wednesday night and will spend some time with TNT, Teens and Adults. We will send in registrations April 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Closing Prayer:** *[Pastor Steve]*