



GRACE UNITED CHURCH
Palm Sunday

March 29th, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Leader: Keith Mayers
Music Director: Don Salfarlie
Presider: Myrna Adams-Falujo

GATHERING TO WORSHIP GOD

Organ Prelude: Holy, Holy, Holy (Praise Him and Lift Him Up)
Gary Oliver

Welcome, Announcements
& Traditional Land Acknowledgment Myrna Adams-Falujo

Gathering song: How Great is our God Tomlin/Cash/ Reeves
/ How Great Thou Art Led by Keith Mayers

Lighting the Christ Candle Keith Mayers

One: While Jesus entered Jerusalem

All: The people sang the praises of Jesus

One: Singing loud hosanna, loud hosanna

All: Loud Hosanna to His Name!

One: Light of Christ enter our doors

All: As a radiant beam lifted on High

One: We declare Your eternal splendour

All: Saying hark, the Saviour comes, Loudest Hosanna!

Passing of the Peace

One: In Jesus name, Welcome! No matter who you are, Jesus loves You! Bless Ye the Lord, let all that have breath bless His Name! For God loved us unto salvation, sending Jesus, Son of God, redeeming the world. Welcome, welcome in Christ's Name! May the Peace of Christ be with You!

All: And, also with You.

Opening Prayer (All) Keith Mayers

God of all power, awe and wonder you sent the glorious power of the Redeemer Christ to rescue us from our unrighteousness and lay us blameless before a Holy God. Sanctify our worship, adoration and exaltation today. Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord. Hosanna in the Highest! Amen.

Praise and Worship 1: Led by Grace Choir
Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

VU #123

TO DISCOVER THE WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY

Scripture Reading: Matthew 21:1-11 NIV Barron Chirisa

One: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

All: Thanks be to God!

Choir Anthem: The Palms Jean Baptiste Faure

Children's Moment: Palm Sunday Interviews

Song: Tell Me the Stories of Jesus VU #357 (V1 and 4 only)

Children leave for Sunday School Led by the Choir

Sermon: Blessed Redeemer, Humble Sacrifice Keith Mayers

TO RESPOND IN FAITH AND HOPE

Offering Invitation

Offertory/Special Music: O Divine Redeemer Charles Ground

Offering Response: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
(Verse 1) VU #541

Offertory Prayer

Prayer Prelude: Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying VU #400

Prayers of the People

Prayer response: O God hear our Prayer VU #948

The Lord's Prayer (said)

Praise and Worship 2: Led by Grace Choir
All Glory, Laud and Honour

VU #122

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO LIVE ITS FAITH IN THE WORLD

Commissioning Keith Mayers

& Benediction (Numbers 6: 24-27)

The LORD bless you and keep you;

The LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you;

The LORD lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

Organ Postlude: There is a Redeemer Melody Green