

Sierra View Presbyterian Church Liturgy
Sunday, March 24, 2024

Welcome and Announcements: Rick Moore

Musical Prelude

Call to Worship Psalm 118:25-29

Pastor: Lord, save us!

Congregation: Lord, grant us success!

Pastor: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

Congregation: From the house of the Lord we bless you.

Pastor: The Lord is God,
and he has made his light shine on us.

**Congregation: With boughs in hand, join in the festal procession
up to the horns of the altar.**

Pastor: You are my God, and I will praise you;

Congregation: you are my God, and I will exalt you.

**All: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his love endures forever.**

Song of Adoration: Red Book #49- God Is For Us

Prayer of Invocation

Song of Praise: Red Book #44- Jesus, Thank You

Song of Thanksgiving: Hymn #599- Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us

Profession of Faith - Westminster Shorter Catechism

27. Wherein did Christ's humiliation consist?

Christ's humiliation consisted in His being born, and that in a low condition, made under the law, undergoing the miseries of this life, the wrath of God, and the cursed death of the cross; in being buried, and continuing under the power of death for a time.

Old Testament Reading: Zechariah 9:9-17

Confession of Sin: The Valley of Vision (slightly adapted)

Lord, High and Holy, Meek and Lowly,
You have brought me to the valley of vision,
where I live in the depths but see You in the heights;
hemmed in by mountains of sin I behold Your glory.
Let me learn by paradox

that the way down is the way up,
that to be low is to be high,
that the broken heart is the healed heart,
that the contrite spirit is the rejoicing spirit,
that the repenting soul is the victorious soul,
that to have nothing is to possess all,
that to bear the cross is to wear the crown,
that to give is to receive,
that the valley is the place of vision.
Lord, in the daytime stars can be seen from deepest wells,
and the deeper the wells the brighter your stars shine;
Let me find your light in my darkness,
Your life in my death,
Your joy in my sorrow,
Your grace in my sin,
Your riches in my poverty,
Your glory in my valley.
In the name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon Romans 10:9-11

If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. As Scripture says, "Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame."

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession: Rev. Brandon Edmonds

The Collection of Tithes and Offerings

Song of Preparation: Hymn #235- All Glory, Laud and Honor

Scripture Reading: Luke 19:28-44

Children's Message

Sermon: The King No One Expected but Everybody Needs, Rev. Brandon Edmonds

Outline:

- I. The Prophesied King
- II. The Misunderstood Savior
- III. The Loving Shepherd

The Lord's Supper

Invitation to Communicants

Words of Institution
Distribution of the elements
Prayer of Thanksgiving

Closing Song: Red Book #50- O How He Loves You and Me

Benediction Romans 16:13

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.