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**APRIL 13**

**Entry of our Lord into Jerusalem – Palm Sunday  
Divine Liturgy**

### **The First Antiphon**

I love the Lord because He has heard the voice of my supplication. *(Ps. 114:1)*

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us!

Because He inclined His ear to me, therefore I will call on Him as long as I live.

*(Ps. 114:2) (Refrain)*

The snares of death encompassed me; the pangs of hell laid hold on me. *(Ps. 114:3)*

*(Refrain)*

I suffered distress and anguish, then I called on the Name of the Lord. *(Ps. 114:4a)*

*(Refrain)*

I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living. *(Ps. 114:9) (Refrain)*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever,  
and unto ages of ages. Amen. *(Refrain)*

### **The Second Antiphon**

I kept my faith, even when I said, "I am greatly afflicted." *(Ps. 115:1)*

*Refrain:* O Son of God, seated on the colt of an ass, save us who sing to  
Thee: Alleluia!

What shall I render to the Lord for all the things He has given me? *(Ps. 115:3)*

*(Refrain)*

I will receive the cup of salvation, and call upon the Name of the Lord. *(Ps. 115:4)*

*(Refrain)*

I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all His people. *(Ps. 115:5) (Refrain)*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

*("Only-begotten Son and immortal Word of God...")*

### **The Third Antiphon**

O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His mercy endures forever. *(Ps. 117:1)*

#### **Tone 1      Troparion**

By raising Lazarus from the dead before Thy Passion,  
Thou didst confirm the universal resurrection, O Christ God.  
Like the children with the palms of victory,  
we cry out to Thee, O Vanquisher of Death:  
"Hosanna in the highest!//  
Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord."

Let the house of Israel say that He is good; for His mercy endures forever.  
*(Ps. 117:2)*

*Troparion of the Feast*

Let the house of Aaron say that He is good; for His mercy endures forever.  
*(Ps. 117:3)*

*Troparion of the Feast*

Let those who fear the Lord say that He is good; for His mercy endures forever.  
*(Ps. 117:4)*

*Troparion of the Feast*

#### **Entrance Verse**

Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord. We bless you from the house of the Lord. God is the Lord and He has revealed Himself to us. *(Ps. 117:25b-26)*

**Tone 1      Troparion**

By raising Lazarus from the dead before Thy Passion,  
Thou didst confirm the universal resurrection, O Christ God.  
Like the children with the palms of victory,  
we cry out to Thee, O Vanquisher of Death:  
“Hosanna in the highest!//  
Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord.”

**Tone 4      Troparion**

When we were buried with Thee in baptism, O Christ God,  
we were made worthy of eternal life by Thy Resurrection.  
Now we praise Thee and sing:  
“Hosanna in the highest!//  
Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord!”

**Tone 6      Kontakion**

Sitting on Thy throne in Heaven,  
carried on a foal on earth, O Christ God,  
accept the praise of angels and the songs of children, who sing://  
“Blessed is He Who comes to recall Adam!”

*(The Trisagion is sung.)*

**Tone 4      Prokeimenon**

Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord. / God is the Lord and has  
revealed Himself to us. *(Ps. 117:26b, 27b)*

**V.** O give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for His mercy endures  
forever. *(Ps. 117:1)*

**Epistle**

(247) Philippians 4:4-9

**Tone 1**

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

**V.** O sing to the Lord a new song, for He has done marvelous things! *(Ps. 97:1)*

**V.** All the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. *(Ps. 97:5)*

**Gospel**  
(41) John 12:1-18

*(Instead of "It is truly meet...", we sing:)*

God is the Lord and has revealed Himself to us!  
Celebrate the feast and come with gladness!  
Let us magnify Christ with palms and branches,  
singing: "Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord, our Savior!"

**Communion Hymn**

Blessed is He that comes in the Name of the Lord. God is the Lord and has  
revealed Himself to us. *(Ps. 117:26b, 27b)*  
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Donations greatly appreciated for the Epitaphios please see Marleen or Elizabeth

Schedule of services

Friday, April 4<sup>th</sup> Personified Liturgy 6:00pm  
Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup> Bible study 5:00pm, Vespers 6:00pm  
Sunday, April 6<sup>th</sup> Divine Liturgy 9:00am  
Friday, April 11<sup>th</sup> Presanctified Liturgy 6:00pm  
Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup> Lazarus Saturday 9:00am (Decorating for Palm Sunday after)  
Sunday, April 13<sup>th</sup> Palm Sunday 9:00am  
Wednesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> Holy Unction 5:00pm  
Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> Passion Service 5:00pm  
Friday, April 18<sup>th</sup> Decorate the Epitaphios 9:00am, Remove the body from the  
cross 3:00pm, Lamentations 5:00pm  
Saturday, April 19<sup>th</sup> Great & Holy Pascha 11:30 pm, Divine Liturgy 12:00am  
(Followed by Potluck)  
April 19<sup>th</sup> Roy Granger baptism 10 am