



LIVING IN THE SHADOWS:
The Shadow of the Cross

APRIL 14

Welcome to Together@5!

We are so glad you came and hope this time of worship will offer you peace, perspective, and joy as we meet God in worship and community. Every year, we are invited to spend the six weeks before Easter in a spirit of self-reflection and contemplation. This year at Second, we're exploring *Living in the Shadows*. Together, we can find the courage to face the shadow-side of our faith and perhaps discover God's presence and blessing even in our emptiness, fear, doubt, weariness, and guilt.

Please find a seat anywhere you like,
maybe next to a new friend!

After worship, all are invited for dinner
and conversation around tables.

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ON YOUR TABLE

Attendance Page and Nametags

We want to welcome you by name! Please make a nametag and share your contact information on the attendance page before worship begins.

Prayer Cards

Faith community is built on prayer. At the Community Table, you will find prayer cards which can be submitted in the offering basket. Your prayers of joy and concern will be confidentially lifted up by our staff and intercessory prayer group.

Offering

Offering baskets are on each table. You are invited to give as you feel led. By simply touching the basket you are giving the gift of your presence. You are also invited to prayerfully commit gifts of time and energy to the church and the world this week.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Owen Gray, liturgist

Meagan Findeiss, liturgist

Lucy Gaha

Lucy Bloniarz

Kat Green (Barden), children's leader

Jazz Trio

Erin Benedict, vocal

Gary Walters, piano

Steve Dokken, bass

Chris Pyle, drums

Small Group Team

Alex Schelling

Gina Devadoss

Steve Archbold

Lindsay Lewis

Bob Brucker

Ann VanMeter

Kristin Srouer

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, forever.

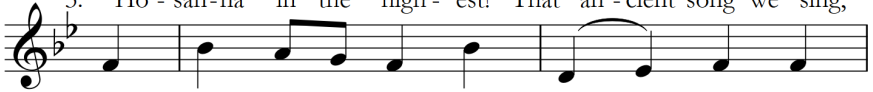
Amen.

GATHERING

Congregational Songs *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*



1. Ho - san-na, loud ho - san - na, The lit - tle chil-dren sang;
2. From Ol-i - vet they fol - lowed 'Mid an ex - ult - ant crowd,
3. "Ho - san-na in the high - est!" That an - cient song we sing,



Through pil - lared court and tem - ple The
The vic - tor palm branch wav - ing, And
For Christ is our Re - deem - er, The



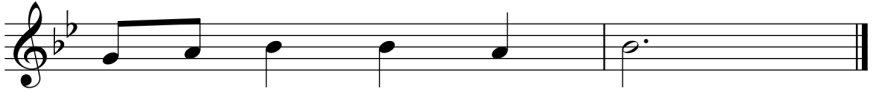
joy - ful an - them rang;
chant - ing clear and loud;
Lord of heaven our King.



To Je - sus, who had blessed them Close fold - ed to His breast,
The Lord of earth and heav - en Rode on in low - ly state,
O may we ev - er praise Him With heart and life and voice,



The chil - dren sang their prais - es, The
Nor scorned that lit - tle chil - dren Should
18 And in His bliss - ful pres - ence E -



sim - plest and the best.
on His bid - ding wait.
ter - nal - ly re - joice.

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross



1. When I sur - vey the won - drous cross
2. See, from His head, His hands, His feet,
3. Were the whole realm of na - ture mine,



On which the Prince of glo - ry died,
Sor - row and love flow min - gled down;
That were a pres - ent far too small;



My rich - est gain I count but loss,
Did e'er such love and sor - row meet,
Love so a - maz - ing, so di - vine,



And pour con - tempt on all my pride.
Or thorns com - pose so rich a crown?
De - mands my soul, my life, my all.

Centering Song *Ubi caritas (Live in Charity)*



Live in char - i - ty and stead - fast love,
U - bi ca - ri - tas et a - mor,



live in char - i - ty; God will dwell with you.
u - bi ca - ri - tas De - us i - bi est.

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LISTENING

Personal Meditation *The Shadow of the Cross*

Musical Meditation

RESPONDING

Sacrament of Communion

Closing Song *All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

Refrain



All glo - ry, laud, and hon - or To Thee, Re-deem-er, King!



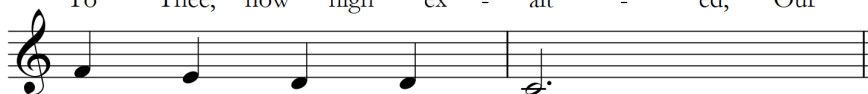
To whom the lips of chil - dren Made sweet ho-san-nas ring.



1. Thou art the King of Is - ra - el, Thou Da - vid's roy - al Son,
2. The peo - ple of the He - brews With palms be - fore Thee went;
3. To Thee, be - fore Thy pas - sion, They sang their hymns of praise;



Who in the Lord's name com - est, The
Our praise and prayers and an - thems Be -
To Thee, now high ex - alt - ed, Our



King and bless - ed One.
fore Thee we pre - sent.
mel - o - dy we raise.

Words of Blessing

*As shadows of Holy Week descend, may
God's hand guide you in moments of doubt,
Christ's love strengthen you in seasons of weakness,
And may the Holy Spirit breathe hope into your soul
When abundant life seems distant.
In all things, remember that life and love await us. Amen.*

A Word of Invitation for the Week to Come

As the journey of Lent comes to its final week, we enter the holy ground of Holy Week. Between Palm Sunday and Easter, we encounter the darkest depths of human failing, yet also anticipate God's triumphant response.

This week, we invite you to reflect each day on one of the six Lenten shadows: emptiness, fear, doubt, weariness, guilt, and the cross. Consider where you encounter the shadow of each in your life; search for places where you find hopeful light as well. And of course, we encourage you to attend worship on Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Easter Sunday. These seven days form the core of our Christian faith.

Grace and Peace be with you on your journey.



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March 10	The Shadow of Emptiness
March 17	The Shadow of Fear
March 24	The Shadow of Doubt
March 31	The Shadow of Weariness
April 7	The Shadow of Guilt
April 14	The Shadow of the Cross

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