

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF DETROIT

Sunday, March 28, 2010 11:00 a.m.

Before the service, speak to God. During the service, let God speak to you. After the service, speak to one another. Tell someone about the goodness of God.

Palm Sunday

Meditation: “The will of God is always bigger than what we bargain for.”
(Jim Elliot)

THE GATHERING OF THE CHURCH

Prelude **James Bain**
Processional on “Vexilla Regis” Everett Titcomb

Chimes

Welcome and Works of the Church **Terrie Tolliver**

*Call to Worship **Matthew 21:9; Psalm 24:9, 10** **Terrie Tolliver**

Leader: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord,

People: HOSANNA IN THE HIGHEST!

Leader: Lift up your heads, O gates, and be lifted up, O ancient doors.

People: That the king of glory may come in!

Leader: Who is this King of glory?

People: The Lord of Hosts is the King of glory!

*Processional Hymn **No. 267**
“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” Ellacombe

*Invocation **Terrie Tolliver**

*Lord’s Prayer (debts) **Terrie Tolliver**

*Gloria Patri

“Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world
without end. Amen.”

THE MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Scripture Lesson **Michael Kuptz**
(O.T. Pg. 492) **Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29**

Concerns and Celebrations

Prelude to Prayer **No. 271**
“Lift up Your Heads” Steve Fry

Prayers of the People
Organ Response

“Cries of Faith” **Blind Bartimaeus”** **Nathan Walker**
Mark 10:46-52

Scripture Lesson **Pastor Walker**
(N.T. Pg.854) **Luke 19:28-40**

Anthem **“Ride On, Ride On in Majesty”** Howard Helvey
(Chancel Choir & Congregation)
See Insert

Sermon **Pastor Walker**
“A Palm Sunday Processional”

*Hymn of Dedication **No. 265**
“All Glory, Laud and Honor” St. Theodulph

THE MINISTRY OF STEWARDSHIP

Offertory Sentences **Terry Matthews**
Offertory **James Bain**

“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” Michael Burkhardt

*Doxology

“Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heav’nly host;
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen”

*Prayer of Dedication

*The Peace

*Words of Invitation

*Hymn of Invitation

Brotherhood

“Lamb of God”

(Persons who wish to profess faith in Christ or to unite with this church are invited to come forward.)

*Benediction

*Postlude

James Bain

Wilbur Held

“The Royal Banners Forward Go”

***If able, please stand**

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PRAYERFULLY REMEMBER: Ellen Humphrey (Bea Culton’s mother), Juanita Coleman, Pete Wesley, James Prewitt (father of Donna Allix), George Williams, Jameka Armstrong (Ardis Cazenó’s niece), Mary Armstrong (Ardis Cazenó’s mother), Althea Lockridge, Tama Lockridge, Addie White (mother of Valicia Wiggins), Rip Collins, V-etta Parish (niece of Glenda Strong), Kimberly Manlove (Irene Manlove’s daughter), Jeff Buttray, Dr. Marilyn Mason (organ professor at U of M), Myrtle McDonald, the family of Audrey Wilkerson (Carolyn Henderson’s cousin), Richard F. Sims, Jr., and Angelo Craig (Ann Richardson’s brother)

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Weekly Offering Needed - \$3,600.00

Weekly Offering Received – \$4,467.80

Last Week’s Worship Attendance – 88

America for Christ Offering To Date - \$654.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WITH WILLING HANDS: CONNECT-CARE-CELEBRATE – Today is our final collection for the America for Christ (AFC) Offering. Our 2010 goal is \$800 and we have collected **\$654 to date**. Please read the special bulletin insert and use the specially marked envelopes in the pews for your donations. **Be sure to write your name on the envelope.**

“SHARING THE WARMTH” – The “Sharing the Warmth” campaign has a goal of \$18,000 to purchase a new furnace for our sanctuary building. We are asking each of you to commit to giving an additional \$300 over and above your regular support of the church. The campaign will conclude on October 17. Special “Sharing the Warmth” envelopes can be found in the pews. **Please write your name on the envelope**

EASTER BRUNCH TICKETS – Easter Brunch tickets will be sold in the Nathe lobby after this morning’s service. Please see Angie Cox or Vickie Furman to purchase your tickets. Prices below:

Adult - \$5.00 Child (12 and under) - \$2.00
Or
Family of 4 or 5 - \$15
Family of 6 or more \$25.00

BIBLE STUDY – The Wednesday morning Bible Study class will meet at 10:30 a.m. in the Conference Room.

GUITAR LESSONS – Mr. Mike Kuptz will be offering guitar lessons in our Youth Room at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 3. He plans on teaching this class every other Saturday. There is a \$10 registration to cover material. Please contact Mike for further details.

ATTENTION ALL OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE CHAIRS –

The FBC-D Annual Meeting has been scheduled for **Sunday, May 23**. Your reports are due in the office no later than **Monday, April 19**. This is a major project for the church office which involves typing, printing and collating of the individual reports. Volunteers are needed to collate the report. Please call the office if you are willing to help out.



THIS WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

Sunday, March 28

9:30 a.m. – Sunday School Program
11:00 a.m. – Worship Service/Palm Sunday
12:30 p.m. – Membership Committee Mtg./CR

Tuesday, March 30

6:00 p.m. – AA

Wednesday – March 31

10:30 a.m. – Bible Study/CR

Thursday – April 1

7:00 p.m. Maundy Thursday Service/S

Friday – April 2

OFFICE CLOSED

10:00 a.m. – Daycare Easter Program/FH

12:00 noon – Good Friday Service/S

6:00 p.m. – AA

Saturday, April 3

11:00 a.m. – Guitar Lessons/YR

Sunday, April 4

9:30 a.m. – No Sunday School Program

9:30 a.m. – Easter Breakfast/FH

10:00 a.m. – Children’s Pageant/FH

11:00 a.m. – Worship Service

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MDA MEN’S SPONSORED EVENT – The Stand Strength Team is the number 1 school assembly program in the nation; promoting anti-drugs, anti-alcohol, abstinence and academic excellence. All of the young men of our church and their friends are invited to attend this exciting event at our church on Saturday, April 24, 2:00 – 4:00 pm. There is no charge and pizza and drinks will be provided. Please see the bulletin board for more details.



HOLY WEEK AT FIRST BAPTIST

March 28 - Palm Sunday Service –11:00 a.m.

Psalm 118:1-2; 19-29

“**Cries of Faith**” Blind Bartimaeus – Nathan Walker
(Mark 10:46-52)

April 1- Maundy Thursday Communion Service –7:00 p.m.

“**Cries of Faith**” - Judas – Michael Kuptz
(Matthew 26:14-56)

April 2 - Good Friday Service –12:00 noon

“**Cries of Faith**” - Barabbas - Brian Kirby
(Matthew 27:26)

APRIL 4 - EASTER SUNDAY



9:30 a.m. -Join us for an Easter Continental
Breakfast in the Fellowship Hall.

10:00 a.m. – An Easter Children’s Pageant will follow the breakfast
in the Fellowship Hall.

11:00 a.m. – Come celebrate our Lord’s resurrection and new life for
all believers.

“**Cries of Faith**” – Peter (and the Resurrection) - Darren Aliff
(John 21:1-19)

Special music by organ, choir and timpani