Passion Service

Christ Church School

Journey to the Cross

Wednesday 3rd April 2019

2.30pm





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Please stand as the clergy and readers enter.

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

READING The entry into Jerusalem (Matthew 21:1-11) Year 6

Year 1 enact Jesus' entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday as we sing:

Give Me Joy

Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising, Give me joy in my heart, I pray, Give me joy in my heart, keep me praising, Keep me praising till the break of day.

Refrain:

Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, Sing hosanna to the King of kings! Sing hosanna, sing hosanna, Sing hosanna to the King.

Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting, Give me peace in my heart, I pray, Give me peace in my heart, keep me resting, Keep me resting till the break of day. *Refrain*

Give me love in my heart, keep me serving, Give me love in my heart, I pray; Give me love in my heart, keep me serving, Keep me serving till the break of day. Refrain

Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning, Give me oil in my lamp, I pray. Give me oil in my lamp, keep me burning, Keep me burning till the end of day. Refrain

Please sit.

READING Maundy Thursday (John 13:2-15)

Year 6

The clergy wash the feet of two children from Years Reception to 6, as we sing:

A New Commandment

A new commandment I give unto you:

That you love one another as I have loved you.

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By this shall all know that you are my disciples If you have love for one another.

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THE LAST SUPPER – BREAD AND WINE

READING The Betrayal and Trial

Year 6

PETER'S DENIAL

Year 3

Year 5

Were You There?

JOURNEY TO CALVARY

Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble. Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Were you there when they nailed him to the tree? Were you there when they nailed him to the tree? Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble. Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?

Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
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Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?

READING The Crucifixion (Mark 15:22-37) Year 6

THE COLLECT

True and humble king, hailed by the crowd as Messiah: grant us the faith to know you and love you, that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross, which is the path of glory.

Amen

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Please join in together:

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 trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory
For ever and ever

Amen

Children from each class have spent time writing prayers to bring to the foot of the Cross. Reception class collect the prayers and bring them to the Cross as we sing:

There is a Green Hill

There is a green hill far away
Outside a city wall,
Where Christ our Lord was crucified,
Who died to save us all.

We may not know, we cannot tell, What pains he had to bear, But we believe it was for us He hung and suffered there.

He died that we could be forgiven, That God might call us good, That we might go at last to heaven Saved by his precious blood.

Oh, dearly, dearly has he loved! So let us love him too, And trust in his redeeming blood, And try his works to do.

READING The Waiting Year 6

THE BLESSING

We look forward to our Resurrection Service on Wednesday 1st May at 2.30pm, led by Year 4.

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