



**THE PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH OF DANVILLE**

Palm Sunday

April 13, 2025

10:00am



Palm Sunday. Kenyan artist, Evans Yegon, 2013

500 West Main Street † Danville, Kentucky 40422

(859) 236-6692 † www.presbydan.org

GATHERING

Opening Voluntary

All Glory, Laud and Honor

arr. Kevin McChesney

Welcome and Announcements

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

Minute For Mission

Mary Trollinger

The **Opening** ♦ Opening Sentences

Sentences are
taken from
Psalm 118.

O give thanks to the LORD, for God is good;

God's steadfast love endures forever!

This is the day that the LORD has made;

let us rejoice and be glad in it.

Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD.

We bless you from the house of the LORD.

O give thanks to the LORD, for God is good,

for God's steadfast love endures forever.

Come, let us worship the Lord!

♦ Hymn No. 197

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

ELLACOMBE

♦ Extinguishing of the final Lenten Candle

♦ Call to Confession

The **Prayer of** ♦ Prayer of Confession

Confession is from
The Presbyterian
Outlook.

Have mercy on us, O God, for we are broken vessels.

You call us to follow you, but we deny, abandon and betray.

You call us to pursue justice and righteousness, but we stick to the status quo.

You invite us into the hope of your Spirit, but we make despair our daily bread.

You lead us to the cross, but in our discomfort, we try to skip to the empty tomb.

Transform us, O God.

Pour out your Holy Spirit upon all our brokenness,

that your grace may fill in the cracks of our broken places and make us whole. Amen.

(time for silent prayer)

♦ Declaration of Forgiveness

♦ Sung Response

What Wondrous Love Is This

WONDROUS LOVE

Hymn No. 215, verses 2-4

♦ The Peace

The Peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

♦ Please rise in body or spirit.

Join in reading or singing the parts of the service printed in **bold**.

WORD

Time with Young Disciples

Cents-Ability Offering
The Color Purple

Amy Wilson
Nancy Martindale

Prayer for Illumination

Psalter Reading

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29

O. T., Pew Bible, p. 565

Anthem

Sing and Shout Praises!

Eric Stover

Sing and shout praises, O sing and shout praises, O sing and shout praises, for all our sins are washed away.

Give God honor and faithfulness, give God honor and faithfulness. Give God honor and faithfulness, pray!

Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna, Lord!

Alleluia, amen.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Praise the Lord! Give glory to His name.

Gospel Reading

Luke 19:28-40

N. T., Pew Bible, p. 83

Homily

Sean Gladding

RESPONDING

◆ Hymn No. 724

O Jesus, I Have Promised

ANGEL'S STORY

◆ Affirmation of Faith

We trust in God, the source of all hope,
even as we call on God to meet us in places of hopelessness.
We commit to be disciples of Christ Jesus,
who, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God as something to be exploited,
but emptied himself and was born in human likeness.
He humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death –
even death on a cross.
Therefore God also highly exalted him
and gave him the name that is above every name,
so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bend,
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

The **Affirmation of faith** is based on Philippians 2:5-11.

Celebrations and Prayer Requests

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (using "debts" and "debtors")

<p>To give electronically, text "PRESBYDAN" to 73256.</p> <p>Please sign the Friendship Pad during the Musical Offering.</p>	<p>Invitation to Offering</p> <p>Our offering we bring to you, our offering we bring to you, so thankful for what you've done, looking forward to what you'll do, our offering we bring to you.</p> <p>Musical Offering</p> <p>◆ Doxology</p> <p>Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people here below; praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.</p> <p>◆ Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication</p> <p style="text-align: center;">SENDING</p> <p>◆ Hymn No. 196</p> <p>◆ Charge</p> <p>◆ Choral Benediction</p> <p>God be in my head and in my understanding. God be in mine eyes and in my looking. God be in my mouth and in my speaking. God be in mine heart and in my thinking. God be at my end and in my departing.</p> <p>Closing Voluntary</p>	<p><i>Our Offering We Bring to You</i></p> <p><i>Be Thou My Vision</i></p> <p><i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i></p> <p><i>God Be in My Head</i></p> <p><i>Ride On, King Jesus</i></p>	<p>Bryan Moyer Suderman</p> <p>arr. Hal Hopson</p> <p>OLD HUNDREDTH</p> <p>VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN</p> <p>John Rutter</p> <p>arr. Sharon Elery Rogers</p>
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WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

Leading worship:

Preacher Sean Gladding
 Liturgist Scott Scutchfield and Mary Trollinger
 Musicians Susan Shewmaker, Casey Tibbles, Lee Spoonamore, the Sanctuary and Handbell Choirs
 Lenten Candle The Hoebelheinrich Family

Assisting with worship:

Lead Ushers Tressa Brown and Frank Russell
 Acolyte Rose Hoebelheinrich
 Bible Bearer Jay Hoebelheinrich
 Livestream John Erwin, Thad Strauch and Cameron Vanderteems
 Sound Beau Weston

WELCOME

WELCOME VISITORS: We are glad you found your way to The Presbyterian Church of Danville. For information about opportunities to worship, learn, and serve with us, we encourage you to check out our website at presbydan.org and Facebook page at [presbydan](https://www.facebook.com/presbydan). If you would like to receive our weekly e-newsletter, please email church@presbydan.org. If you are interested in becoming a member of our congregation, please speak to Sean Gladding.

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP: We welcome your children in worship. Children's activity bags are located in the front and back of the Sanctuary, and we welcome children to participate in worship by processing the Bible, lighting the Christ candle, helping with the offering, and bringing communion elements forward.

FRIENDSHIP PADS: Please sign and pass the Friendship Pad (located at the end of the pew near the aisle) to your neighbors, both to register your attendance with us today and as a means of learning (or remembering) the names of those with whom you are worshipping.

HEARING DEVICES, LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BIBLES are available on the table in the back of the Sanctuary and on the table in the connector. An usher will be glad to assist you.

PRAYER CARDS: The lavender-colored cards for prayer requests are in each pew rack. Please place your requests in the offering plate, and our prayer ministry team will offer prayers for your requests.

STEPHEN MINISTRY: We are a Stephen Ministry church. Stephen Ministers are trained members of the congregation who are ready to provide confidential, one-to-one Christian care needed to make it through difficult times. If you, or someone you know, needs a Stephen Minister, please contact Alice Davis at (859) 583-5995, or the church office at (859) 236-6692.

THE LEGACY FUND: The Legacy Fund is a secure endowment fund which has been set up to allow all members of the congregation to support The Presbyterian Church of Danville for generations to come. If you are interested in more information, contact Don Porter at dwporter2@bellsouth.net or (859) 324-5020.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPRING POTLUCK: Join us this Wednesday at 5:30pm for a Spring Potluck. Bring your favorite dish to share and a game to play.

EASTER BRUNCH: Easter is next week, and the Deacons need your help with Brunch! The Easter Brunch will be held in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30am on Easter Morning, before the 11:00am service. Many of us look forward to the meal, when we get to spend time together and share dishes such as breakfast casseroles or quiches, fresh fruit and pastries. If you are able to contribute any of these things, please sign up on the pink signup sheet located on the table at the back of Fellowship Hall.

COMMUNITY EASTER EGG HUNT: Join us at Millennium Park this Saturday, April 19 at noon for Easter activities and an Easter egg hunt.

BURNAMWOOD SUMMER CAMP: If your child is interested in attending Burnamwood for summer camp this year, pick up a scholarship form in the Fellowship Hall. The Youth Legacy Fund has provided scholarships to campers for many years and has graciously agreed to do so again this year. The form is due back to Amy Wilson by Sunday, April 27. Register for camp on the Burnamwood website by April 30 to get the early bird rate.

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

Sunday, April 13

Palm Sunday

- 9:00am Christian Formation for All Ages
- 10:00am Service for the Lord's Day
- 11:00am Fellowship
- 5:30pm DYC at The Presbyterian Church

Monday, April 14

- 8:00am Morning Prayer on Facebook Live
- 8:00am Grace Café Food Prep
- 10:00am Facilities Committee Meeting
- 10:00am AA Meeting
- 2:00pm Monday Prayer Group

Tuesday, April 15

- 8:00am Grace Café Food Prep
- 3:00pm Centre Tutoring Program
- 7:00pm Stated Session Meeting

Wednesday, April 16

- 8:00am Morning Prayer on Facebook Live
- 8:00am Grace Café Food Prep
- 10:00am AA Meeting
- 1:00pm Worship Staff Meeting
- 1:30pm Grace Café Snack Bag Prep
- 5:30pm Spring Potluck
- 6:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 17

- 8:00am Grace Café Food Prep
- 3:30pm Danville Dulcimers
- 3:00pm Centre Tutoring Program
- 5:30pm Maundy Thursday Dinner and Service

Friday, April 18

- 8:00am Morning Prayer on Facebook Live
- 10:00am Online Study with Sean Gladding
- 10:00am AA Meeting
- 6:30pm Good Friday Service

Saturday, April 19

No Events Scheduled

Sunday, April 20

Easter Sunday

- 9:30am Easter Brunch
- 11:00am Service for the Lord's Day with Holy Communion
- 12:15pm Easter Egg hunt

SESSION

Moderator: Matt Falco

Clerk: Alice Davis

Clerk Emerita: Jean Harney

CLASS OF 2026

Martha Boyd, Tressa Brown, John Erwin and Don Porter

CLASS OF 2027

Becky Gash, Randy Gilbert, Scott Johnson and Tara Strauch

CLASS OF 2028

Candace Purdom, Scott Scutchfield, Shane Wilson and Spencer Young

DIACONATE

Moderators: Brad Fulfer and Shan Kihlman

Communicator: Kathy Howells

CLASS of 2026

John Davis, Rebecca Miles, Frank Russell and Gayle Waddell

CLASS of 2027

Brad Fulfer, Shan Kihlman and AnnYager McCrosky

CLASS of 2028

Jim Boyd, Paula Frisby, Claire Johnson and Bo Smith

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Budget & Finance

Randy Gilbert
Don Porter

Facilities

Jim Boyd
Tressa Brown
Carrie Gilbert
Spencer Young

Local Mission

Rebecca Miles
Don Porter
Scott Scutchfield
Gayle Waddell

Membership

Paula Frisby
Becky Gash
Carrie Gilbert
Claire Johnson

Nominating

Tressa Brown

Personnel

Martha Boyd
Scott Johnson

Stewardship

Randy Gilbert

World Mission

Scott Johnson
Bo Smith

Worship & Music

Scott Johnson
Rebecca Miles
Tara Strauch

