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PRAYER OF THE DAY

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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HYMN 149 When I survey the wondrous cross

Rockingham

CLOSING WORDS

POSTLUDE O world, I now must leave thee

Johannes Brahms

Participating in today's service are: Doug McWhirter (coordinating greeter); Julie Jai, Bruce Pope, Joan Pope, David Trick (greeters); Deborah Hart (liturgist); Don Parsons (reflection); Bob Blair, Rob Crabtree, Betty Heininger, Blaine Mitchell, Catherine Ross, Charlie Walker (readers); Mark Ball (sound); Peter Merrick and the Choir. Connie Capes-Leslie is on a leave of absence.

The flowers placed in the Narthex this morning are given to the glory of God by Edith Vuchnich in loving memory of her husband.

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“Even if we have set out on the Lenten pilgrimage on Ash Wednesday, and taken every step in penitence and prayer, we are still not prepared for the arrival. Neither were those who joined Jesus in Galilee and made their way up to Jerusalem.

For many, it was an annual pilgrimage, this Passover. Others, having to travel greater distances, saw the Holy City through the joyful tears of those who know they will never make the journey again. But in one particular year, the pilgrimage was a once-in-a-lifetime experience because it was made in the company of Jesus of Nazareth. For him too, Jerusalem was the end of a pilgrimage...

The final Sunday of Lent (Palm/Passion Sunday) is therefore marked by a celebratory parade, which was also a protest march. Only Jesus knew that the same event was also a funeral procession...”

*Fred Craddock
The Christian Century, April 5, 2003*

PALM SUNDAY THE SUNDAY OF THE PASSION

OPEN DOORS OPEN MINDS OPEN HEARTS
