

# Grace Presbyterian Church

March 16, 2008



**8:45 a.m.**

GATHERING PRAISE  
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS  
SHARING CHRIST'S PEACE  
CHILDREN IN WORSHIP  
MINUTE FOR MISSION  
PRAISE & THANKSGIVING  
BOWING BEFORE GOD IN 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 sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD  
SERMON

Who is This Jesus?  
Matthew 21: 1-11

CELEBRATION SONG  
BLESSING  
DEPARTING IN FAITH AND HOPE

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**11:15 a.m.**

*Today we use The Presbyterian Hymnal (blue)*

**WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE**

**"I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked"**

*Geoffrey O'Hara*

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Cheering crowds sang their praises as Jesus entered the city of Jerusalem to fulfill the ancient prophecy.

**People: "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord."**

Leader: With palms and branches and with their clothes cast on the road to make a pathway, the people sang their joyous acclamation.

**People: Ride on, Jesus. Ride through the crowds. Ride on to anguish. Ride on to betrayal. Ride on to the cross.**

Leader: "Hosanna to the Son of David!"

**People: "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord."**

**\* PROCESIONAL HYMN #89**

**Hosanna, Loud Hosanna**

*ELLACOMBE*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord, it is the beginning of the week of great adventure and sacrifice. We sense our need for you. You ask us to read your Word. We start by reading the Bible, but then get busy and put it aside. We begin to pray to you and then the phone rings, and we are interrupted again. Sometimes we meditate in quiet solitude, only to find our minds wander and then on goes the TV. Lord, speak to us through your Word. Let it penetrate our minds and hearts. Speak to us and let us hear your call. Guide us during this special week so we may understand Jesus' life, death and resurrection. Amen.

**ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Leader: Friends, believe the good news of the gospel.

**All: In Christ Jesus, we are forgiven!**

**\* GLORIA #579**

*GREATOREX*

**PASSING OF THE PEACE**

Leader: May the peace of Christ be with you.

**People: And also with you.**

*(The people greet fellow worshippers with the peace of Christ)*



## Calendar of Events

### Sunday, March 16, 2008

5:30 pm Youth Movie at Church

### Monday, March 17, 2008

7:00 pm Session Meeting

7:00 pm Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, March 18, 2008

10:00 am Circle #3 (church)

7:00 pm Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts

### Wednesday, March 19, 2008

6:30 pm AWANA

7:30 pm Choir

**No Youth Bible Study Tonight!!!**

### Thursday, March 20, 2008

6:00 pm Soup Dinner

7:00 pm Maundy Thursday Worship

### Friday, March 21, 2008

7:00 pm Tenebrae Service

### Sunday March 23, 2008

8:45 am Contemporary Worship

10:00 am Sunday School

11:15 am Traditional Worship

5:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal

No Youth Activities!!!

## CHURCH STAFF

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