



BRESLAU MENNONITE CHURCH
Palm / Passion Sunday April 13, 2025
Christ Collides with Our Expectations

Jesus is coming. Hosanna to the Prince of Peace.
#312 Jesus is Coming Voices Together

WE GATHER

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

As we worship this Palm Sunday, Christ collides with our expectations.

Have we not collided enough?

In deep compassion, our Lord sets out a mission of full life.

Form us fully, Jesus.

Blessings on the One who comes in the name of the Lord.

Peace in heaven and glory in the highest heavens.

Our Lord, it is time for you to work in and with us as we worship you.

Gathering Prayer

Hymns

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna #313 VT

Holy Lord #314 VT

Prayer of Thanksgiving – Giving Our First Fruit Offerings

Children's Offering Project – Marillac Place

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

Children's Story

Linda F

Scripture

Luke 19:29-44

Sermon

Choose the path of peace

Pastor Eleanor

Hymn

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WE RESPOND

Talking About Service – Summer Camps

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Confession and Assurance

Leader Loving and merciful God,

All We confess that we have sinned against you.

Left We have not loved you with all our thoughts, words, and actions.

Right We have sinned through what we have chosen to do and what we have chosen to neglect.

Left We have not fully accepted your love for us.

Right We have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.

Left We cling to our expectations, and we do not make space for you to challenge them.

All We repent before each other and before you, our loving God. Please help us open our hearts to your love. Help us let go of our narrow expectations so we may better share your peace in your world, rejoicing in your name. Amen.

Leader Now hear these words of assurance: God tells us that we are created in God's image. God created us for relationship with God and each other. In this, we know that God will never break our relationship. God's steadfast love endures forever.

Praying Together

Hymn

Ride On, Ride On in Majesty #316 VT

Benediction

Postlude

VT – Voices Together

Welcome!
Following the worship service
All are invited for coffee, tea, church juice and conversation.

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Accompanists
Chorister
Sound & Tech
Greeter
Ushers
Nursery
Coffee

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Justin M
Matt V
Fern B
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