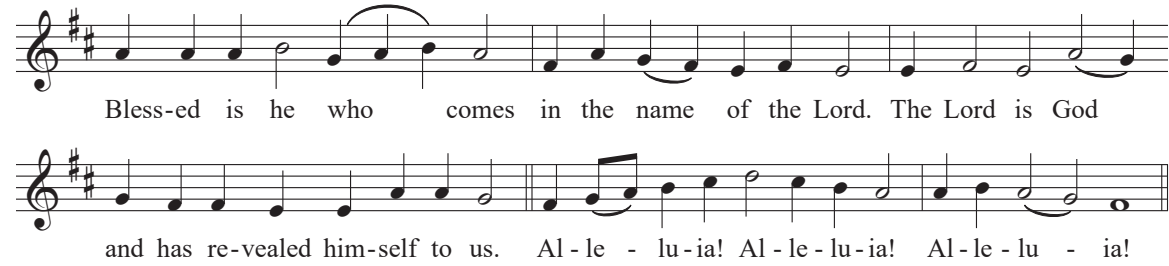


Communion Hymn of Palm Sunday (Psalm 117:26,27):

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Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. The Lord is God  
and has re-vealed him-self to us. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Hymn for Palm Sunday

*melody: Rad'ij duže nyňi / Iže Cheruvimy #1*



Re - joi - ce to - day with all your heart, O daugh - ter Zi - on.  
Here is your King com - ing to you, as He sits up - on a colt. Ze - cha - ri - ah  
now pro - claims, Ze - pha - ni - ah joins with him to pro - claim the Mas - ter,  
the Mas - ter. Ho - san - na in the high - est, He who comes is  
bless - ed! En - ter now Je - ru - sa - lem, the Re - deem - er of the world.  
Now we sing in glo - ri - ous praise, and pro - claim His ho - y Name,  
"Ho - san - na in the high - est," for - ev - er.

English by Cantors Nicholas Kalvin, Michael Zaretsky, Jerry Jumba, and Rev. Msgr. Alexis Mihalik

Divine Liturgy, March 25, 2018

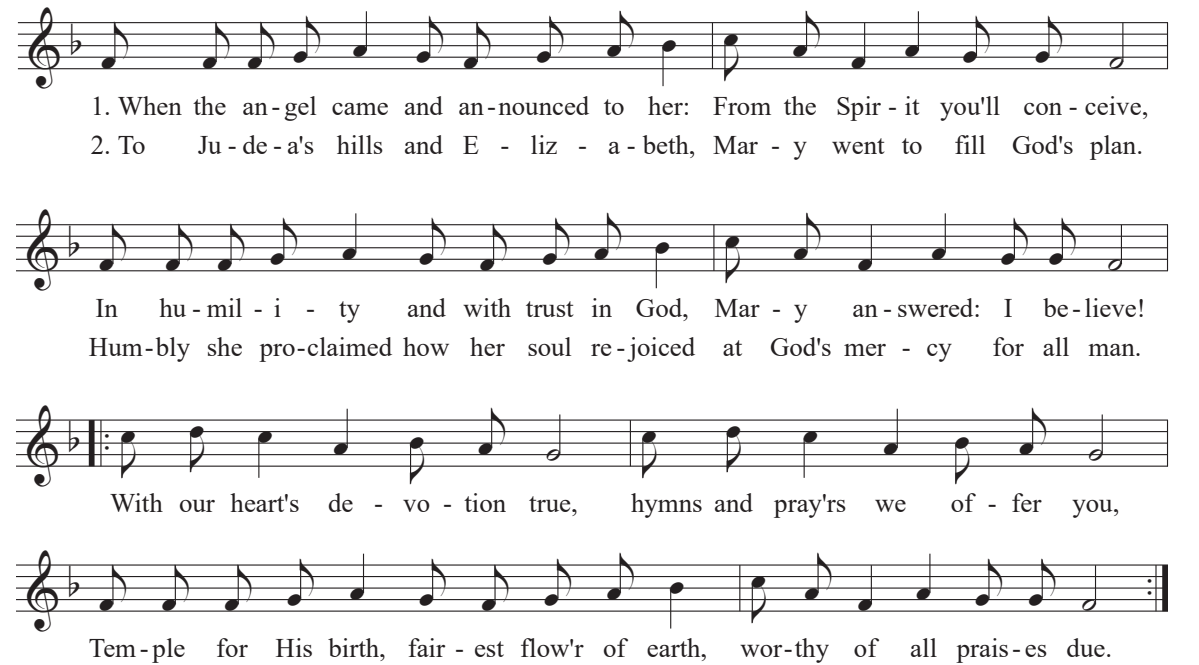
PALM SUNDAY

The Journey of Our Lord, God, and Savior Jesus Christ into Jerusalem

**THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD AND EVER-VIRGIN MARY** when, in the city of Nazareth, the angel of the Lord announced to Mary, "Behold, you will conceive and bear a son, and he will be called the Son of the Most High." Mary said: "Behold the handmaid of the Lord; let it be to me according to your word." And thus the fullness of time was accomplished, and he who before time was the only-begotten Son of God was made flesh for our sake and for our salvation, by the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became human.

Hymn for the Annunciation

*melody: Anhel Bozij / When the Angel Came*



1. When the an - gel came and an - nounced to her: From the Spir - it you'll con - ceive,  
2. To Ju - de - a's hills and E - liz - a - beth, Mar - y went to fill God's plan.  
In hu - mil - i - ty and with trust in God, Mar - y an - swered: I be - lieve!  
Hum - bly she pro - claimed how her soul re - joiced at God's mer - cy for all man.  
With our heart's de - vo - tion true, hymns and pray'rs we of - fer you,  
Tem - ple for His birth, fair - est flow'r of earth, wor - thy of all prais - es due.

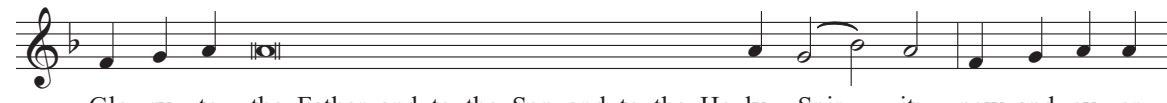
**First Antiphon (Psalm 114:1)**



I love the Lord, for he has heard the cry of my ap - peal.



Through the pray'rs of the The - o - to - kos, O Sav - ior, save us.



Glo - ry to the Father and to the Son and to the Ho - ly Spir - it; now and ev - er



and for - ev - er. A - men. Through the pray'rs of the The - o - to - kos,



O Sav - ior, save us.

**Second Antiphon (Psalm 115:1)**



I trust - ed e - ven when I said: I am sore - ly af - flict - ed.



O Son of God, seat - ed on a colt, save us who sing to you:



Al - le - lu - ia!



Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord our Sav - ior.

**Irmos**

*Tone 6 samopodoben*



The Lord is God and has re - vealed him - self to us. Pre - pare the



fes - ti - val! Come, and with great re - joic - ing,



let us ex - tol Christ. With palms and branch - es in our hands,



let us sing his prais - es: Bless - ed is he who



comes in the name of the Lord our Sav - ior.

*But if the church is dedicated to the Annunciation, we sing the Magnification and Irmos of the Annunciation (DL 330-3331) instead of that of Palm Sunday.*

**Communion Hymn for the Annunciation (Psalm 131:13):**

A



The Lord has cho - sen, has cho - sen Zi - on; he pre - fers her for his dwell - ing,



he pre - fers her for his dwell - ing. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

**Alleluia of the Annunciation - Tone 1 (Psalm 71:6,17):**



Al - le - lu - - - ia! Al - - - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - - - ia!

**Verse:** He will descend like rain on the meadows, like raindrops on the earth.

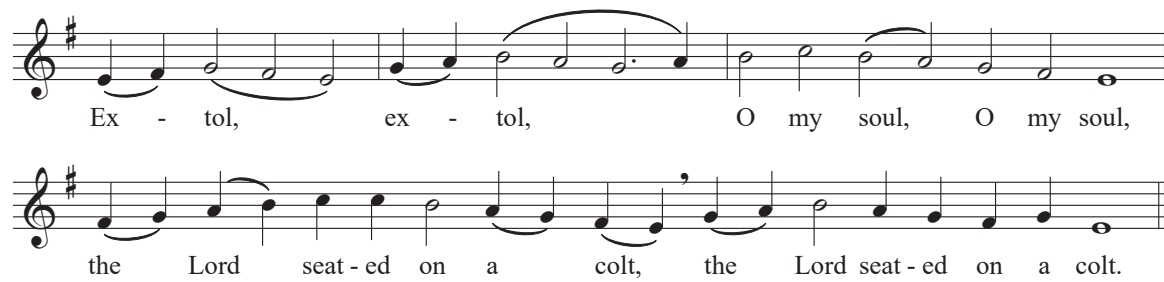
**Verse:** May his name be blessed forever, more enduring than the sun.

**Additional verse for Palm Sunday (Psalm 97:1):**

**Verse:** Sing a new song to the Lord, for the Lord has worked wonders.

*Instead of "It is truly proper . . ."*

**Magnification**

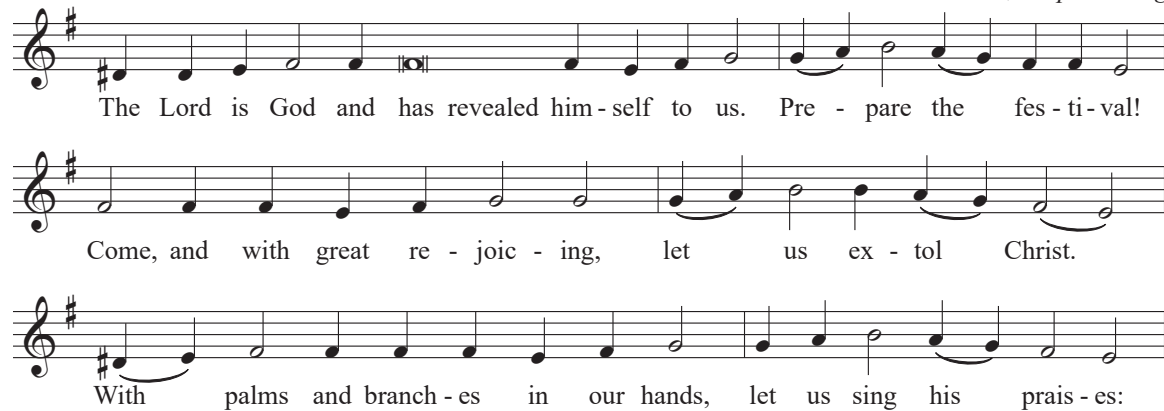


Ex - tol, ex - tol, O my soul, O my soul,

the Lord seat - ed on a colt, the Lord seat - ed on a colt.

**Irmos**

*Tone 6 Irmos, simple setting*

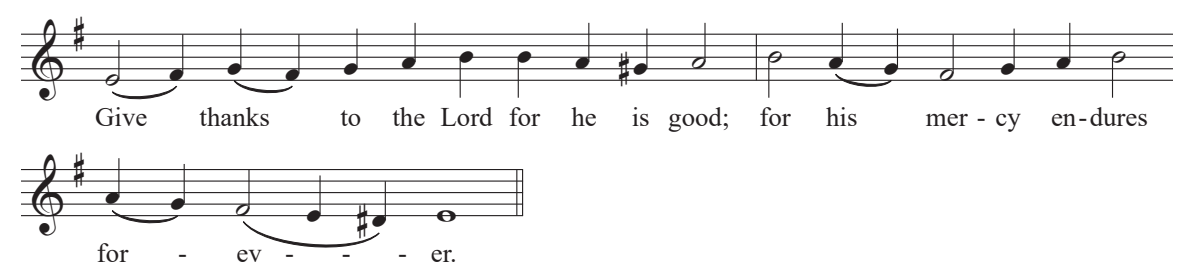


The Lord is God and has revealed him - self to us. Pre - pare the fes - ti - val!

Come, and with great re - joic - ing, let us ex - tol Christ.

With palms and branch - es in our hands, let us sing his prais - es:

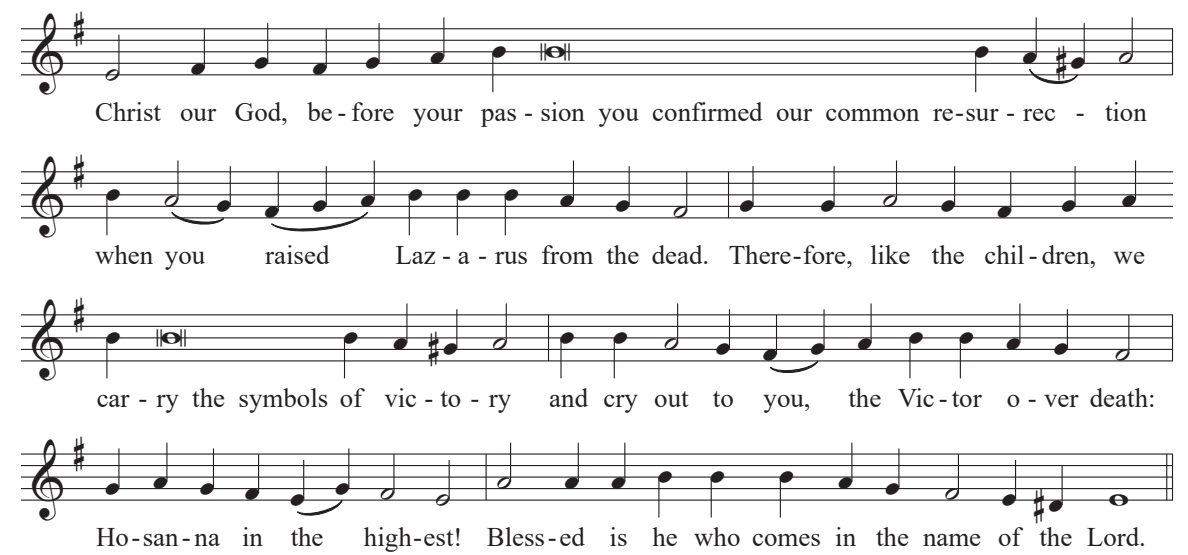
**Third Antiphon - Tone 1 Troparion (Psalm 117:1)**



Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; for his mer - cy en - dures

for - ev - - - er.

**Troparion of Palm Sunday - Tone 1**



Christ our God, be - fore your pas - sion you confirmed our common re - sur - rec - tion

when you raised Laz - a - rus from the dead. There - fore, like the chil - dren, we

car - ry the symbols of vic - to - ry and cry out to you, the Vic - tor o - ver death:

Ho - san - na in the high - est! Bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

**Entrance Hymn of the Annunciation - Tone 4 Troparion (Psalm 95:2):**



Day af - ter day an - nounce the good news of our God's sal - va - - tion.

**Troparion of the Annunciation - Tone 4**



To - day is the sum - mit of our sal - va - - tion, and what was hidden from before all

a - ges is re-vealed: the Son of God be-comes a vir-gin's son, and Ga-bri-el  
 an-noun-ces the good news of grace. There - fore, let us exclaim with him to the  
 The-o - to - kos: Re-joice, O Full of Grace, the Lord is with you.

**Troparion of Palm Sunday - Tone 1**

Christ our God, before your passion you confirmed our common resurrection \* when you raised Lazarus from the dead. \* Therefore, like the children, we carry the symbols of victory \* and cry out to you, the Victor over death: \* Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

*Cantor*

Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spir - it.

**Kontakion of Palm Sunday - Tone 6**

In heav-en you are seat-ed on a throne; but on earth upon a colt, O Christ our God.  
 You ac-cept-ed the praise of angels and the song of the children cry-ing out to you:  
 Bless-ed is he who comes to re - store A - dam.

*Cantor*

Now and ev - er and for - ev - er. A - men.

**Kontakion of the Annunciation - Tone 8**

O The-o - to-kos, val-iant de - fend - er, your ser-vants offer you hymns of victo-ry  
 in thanks-giv-ing, for you have de-liv-ered us. But since you have invincible power, free  
 us from all per - il, that we may exclaim to you: Re-joice, O Un-wed-ded Bride.

**Prokeimenon of Palm Sunday - Tone 4 (Psalm 117:26,27,1)**

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. The Lord is God  
 and has re-vealed him - self to us.

*Verse:* Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; for his mercy endures forever.  
*And immediately after the verse:*

**Prokeimenon of the Annunciation - Tone 4 (Psalm 95:2):**

Day af-ter day an-nounce the good news of our God's sal - va - tion.