

Welcome to St. Andrews on this Passion Sunday of Lent. If you are visiting this morning, please sign our *Guest Book* on the Welcome Table in the Commons along with our church information. Thank you for visiting with us.



All Holy Week services will be Live streamed on Facebook for those who wish to worship remotely.

The Easter Lily is a beautiful symbol of Christ's Resurrection; trumpets announcing joy and new life. Honor or remember a loved one this Easter with an Easter flower. Envelopes are provided on the round table in the Commons. Flowers are \$25.00. **Deadline is Tuesday, April 15th**



Calling all Altar Guild
We need all Altar Guild members at the Maundy Thursday 7pm service.

Join us next Sunday at 10am for a reading of the Easter Story in the Commons and an Easter Egg hunt out on the side lawn at 10:10am.



Ripe for Revival

Let's have a St. Andrew's Representation!

9:00-12:00 Packing Meal Bags/ Boxes

12:00-2:00 Loading Meal Bags/Boxes

9:00-2:00 Packing and distributing!

Thursday, April 17
Rocky Mount Mills
Scan the QR code to sign-up!
For questions, contact ash@riperival.com



Scott Bailey Scholarship

If you are an entering Freshman, Senior or anything-in-between college student from Nash or Edgecombe County, we encourage you to apply for the Scott Bailey Scholarship. Email or call Sarah (443-2070) in the church office for an application. Deadline is May 1, 2025.

Stations of the cross will take place this Friday at 5pm in the Commons.



Scheduled to Serve next Sunday, April 20 (Easter Sunday)

8:00 a.m.		10:30 a.m.
LAY	Sheryl Love-Johnson	Brad Earle
LEM.....	Ramona Orzell	Michele Richwalski and Omari Ansong
Acolytes		Mericle Family
Greeters		Rita Coggins and Tom Jenkins
Ushers		Angela Reid and Tom Jenkins
Pantry Volunteers	Mary Ann Crawford, Diane Dunstan, and Rachel Dix	
Pantry Distribution	Patty Kennedy, Tommy Parker & Elizabeth Hunter	

"For God is not unjust, he will not overlook your work and the love that you showed for his sake in serving the saints, as you still do." Hebrews 6:10



Palm Sunday

*St. Andrew's
Episcopal Church*

*Rocky Mount, NC
April 13, 2025*

The Sunday of the Passion

April 13, 2025

Holy Eucharist 8:00AM

The Liturgy of the Palms

The Opening Sentences and Collects

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The Lessons

The First Lesson (Insert)

Isaiah 50:4-9a

The Psalm (Insert)

Psalm 118: 1-2, 19-29

The Gospel

Luke 19:29-40

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The Homily

The Rev. Les Carpenter

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Offertory

V. All things come from Thee, O Lord

R. And of thine own have we given thee.

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Final Blessing and Dismissal

*During the Administration of the Eucharist, all baptized Christians are welcome to come forward to receive the Blessed Sacraments.
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Prayer Requests

Catherine	Ray	Pat
Lisa	Allen	Eric
Chris	Cindy	Ray
Jinx	Dave	Jennifer
Wayland	Tom	Bill
Teresa	Diane	Maggie
Zanetta	Martha	Janet
Judy	Dene	Rosie
Donette	Brenda	
Barbara	Ricky	

For those serving our Armed Forces: Sean, Veronica H., Jericca S., Matt K., Eric O., Fletcher, Jonathan K., Will M., Rodney M., Jeffery B., Adam M., James W., Thomas, and for all Veterans of the United States.

For those who have died:



Holy Week Schedule

Maundy Thursday: April 17th at 7:00pm

Good Friday: April 18—Noon Service

Easter: April 20th at 8am and 10:30am

*Welcome to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.
We are pleased you are with us
this morning as we worship and praise the Living God.*

*Having been fed through God's Word and Sacrament,
join us for refreshments in the Commons following the service,
so that we may introduce ourselves and our faith community to you.*

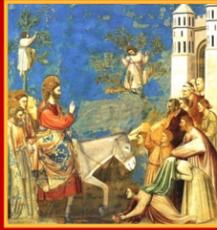
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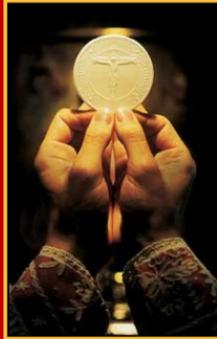
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Sunday of the Passion

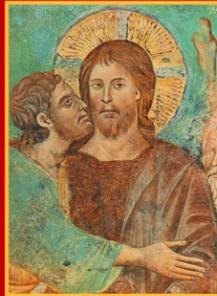
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Christ Jesus was obedient unto death on a cross, and exalted by God he continues to plead for all humankind. Let us join him in prayer for all our brothers and sisters, saying: Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Establish peace and friendship among all earth's peoples; let violence and enmity give way to concord. Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

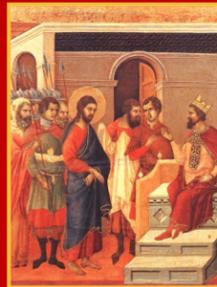
We pray for the church...for Christians everywhere who carry their crosses and unite their sufferings with the Passion of Christ...Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**



We pray for those who live in the shadow of the cross...for those whose suffering is severe...Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For those preparing to enter the church at Easter ... remembering your mercy. Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

For those for whom we have promised to pray...for those who most need our prayers...for those for whom we are concerned...for those we love, and for those we find difficult to love... Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

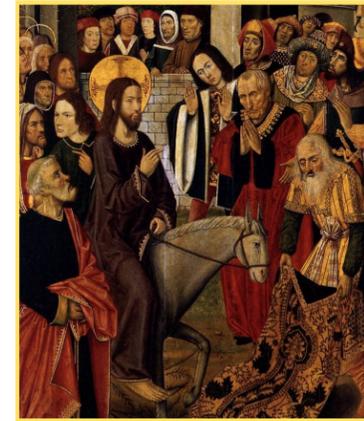
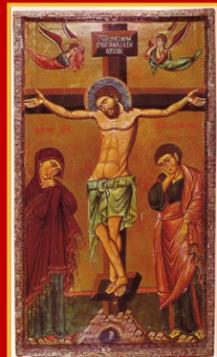


For those who have died...for those who mourn the loss of a loved one... for those dying and for those tending to their care...Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

Let us pause and remember that we are entering Holy Week and ask God for the grace to pray together as one... Father, we place our lives in your hands: **Lord, hear our prayer.**

The celebrant adds the concluding collect.

Father, the prayer of Christ brought forgiveness to those who crucified him, and the prayer of the thief brought him a place with Christ at your side. Hear the prayers we now make to you, and sustain your people in their need. We make our prayer through Christ, our crucified Lord. **Amen**



The Sunday of the Passion:

Palm Sunday

April 13, 2025, 10:30am

Dedication of Outdoor Worship Space

When circumstances permit, the congregation may gather at a place from the church, so that all may go into the church in procession. The branches of palm or of other trees or shrubs to be carried in the procession may be distributed to the people before the service, or after the prayer of blessing.

Celebrant: Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord:

People: Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.

The following or some other suitable anthem is sung or said, the people standing.

Celebrant: Let us pray.

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Here a Deacon or other person appointed reads the following

A Reading from Luke (19:29-40)

After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'" So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" They said, "The Lord needs it." Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road. As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, saying, "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest heaven!" Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, order your disciples to stop." He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out."

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

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Holy Eucharist 10:30AM

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The Celebrant then says the following blessing

Celebrant: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right to praise you, Almighty God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The following or some other suitable anthem may then be sung or said

Celebrant: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: Hosanna in the highest.

Distribution of the Psalms and Process

The Procession: Hosanna, Hosanna

Deacon: Let us go forth in peace.

People: In the Name of Christ. Amen.

During the procession into the Nave,. We will enter the sanctuary in silence.

Hymnal

143 *All Glory of these 40 days (Enter Passion Play Participants)*

Opening sentence

First Lesson (Insert)

Psalm (Insert)

707 *Take My Life*

Passion Play (Insert)

Silent Reflection

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Fraction Anthem (spoken)

Anthem: Worship the Lord in the beauty of Holiness

Post Communion Prayer

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Seasonal Blessing

154 *All glory laud and honor*

The Dismissal

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