

CHRISTIANS TOGETHER IN
LUTTERWORTH

PALM SUNDAY 2021

We're so glad you can be with us today!

Thank you for coming to celebrate Jesus the King. It's especially wonderful to join from different church congregations for this special day.

Please follow all the safety precautions and stay in your household groups. Great news – we can now join in with the singing outside, but please ensure at least 2m between groups.

Opening Prayer

Leader

Grace, mercy and peace from God our
Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you

All

and also with you.

Song: Praise is Rising

Praise is rising, eyes are turning to you
We turn to you
Hope is stirring, hearts are yearning for you
We long for you...

*'Cause when we see you
We find strength to face the day
In your presence all our fears
Are washed away, washed away*

*Hosanna, Hosanna
You are the God who saves us
Worthy of all our praises
Hosanna, Hosanna
Come have your way among us
We welcome you here, Lord Jesus*

Hear the sound of hearts returning to you
We turn to you
In Your kingdom broken lives are made new
You make all things new

'Cause when we see you...

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Welcome

From Rev Jane Gaffney
Lutterworth Methodist Church

Song: Strength Will Rise

Strength will rise as we wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord
We will wait upon the Lord
Our God, you reign forever
Our hope, our Strong Deliverer

You are the everlasting God
The everlasting God
You do not faint, you won't grow weary
You're the defender of the weak
You comfort those in need
You lift us up on wings like eagles

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Bible Drama: Matthew 21:1-17

Action Song: Who's the King?

Who's the king of the jungle?
Who's the king of the sea?
Who's the king of the universe?
And who's the king of me?

*I'll tell you, J-E-S-U-S, Yes!
He's the king of me
He's the king of the universe
the jungle and the sea!*

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O Lord our God how majestic is Your
Name
The earth is filled with Your glory
O Lord our God You are robed in majesty
You've set Your glory above the heavens

*We will magnify
We will magnify
The Lord enthroned in Zion*

O Lord our God
You have established a throne
You reign in righteousness and splendour
O Lord our God the skies are ringing
with your praise
Soon those on earth will come to worship
We will magnify...

O Lord our God the world was made at
your command
In you all things now hold together
Now to Him who sits on the throne
and to the Lamb
Be praise and glory and power for ever
We will magnify...

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Sermon

From Rev Charlie Styles
Rector of St Mary's Church

Songs

Jesus, be the centre
Be my source, be my light, Jesus
Jesus, be the centre
Be my hope, be my song, Jesus

*Be the fire in my heart
Be the wind in these sails
Be the reason that I live, Jesus, Jesus*

Jesus, be my vision
Be my path, be my guide, Jesus

Michael Frye © 1999 Vineyard Songs

All creatures of our God and King,
lift up your voice and with us sing:
O praise him, alleluia!
Bright burning sun with golden beam,
soft shining moon with silver gleam,
*O praise him, O praise him,
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!*

Swift rushing wind so wild and strong,
white clouds that sail in Heaven along,
O praise him, alleluia!
New rising dawn in praise rejoice,
you lights of evening find a voice;
O praise him...

Cool flowing water, pure and clear,
make music for your Lord to hear,

O praise him, alleluia!

Fierce fire so masterful and bright
giving to us both warmth and light,

O praise him...

Let all things their Creator bless,
and worship him in lowliness,

O praise him, alleluia!

Praise, praise the Father, praise the Son,
and praise the Spirit, Three-in-One,

O praise him...

Francis of Assisi (1182-1226)

Prayers

Ending with the Lord's Prayer

Leader

As our Saviour taught us, so we pray

All

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
Your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.**

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins

as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation,

but deliver us from evil.

**For the kingdom, the power, and the
glory are yours, now and for ever.**

Amen.

Songs

The splendour of the King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice
He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
And trembles at His voice

*How great is our God, sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God*

And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End
Beginning and the End
The Godhead three in one
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb
How great is our God...

*Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God*

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*Then sings my soul my Saviour God to
Thee
How great Thou art, how great Thou art
Then sings my soul my Saviour God to
Thee
How great Thou art, how great Thou art*

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Farewell

The leader ends with some words of prayer.

All

**May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ,
and the love of God, and the fellowship
of the Holy Spirit be with you all.**

2 Corinthians 13:14