

Makarios Darawi, Pastor
Mrs. Susan Harrison, Choir Director and Organist

11:00 A.M.

April 17, 2011 PALM

SUNDAY

We welcome all who are worshiping with us, especially guests and newcomers. We invite you to take part in worship, to engage in the activities of the church and make this your home church.

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

*HYMNS & SONGS – #51 “All Hail The Power of Jesus’ Name” (Vv. 1,2,3)
#21 “Hosanna” (Songbook)

SANCTUARY CHOIR – “Lift The Palms”

*RESPONSIVE READING: #378 “A Litany For Palm Sunday”

LEADER: Lord Jesus Christ, when you entered Jerusalem, the people spread a carpet of palm branches before you, and shouted, “Hosanna, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.”

PEOPLE: Lord Jesus, we want to join them in their welcome and their praise.

LEADER: You said: “Whoever among you wants to be great must become the servant of all. For the Son of Man himself has not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life to set many free.”

PEOPLE: Master, we hear your call, Lord Jesus, help us to follow you.

LEADER: You said: “Unless you change your whole outlook and become like little children you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.”

PEOPLE: Master, we hear your call. Lord Jesus, help us to follow you.

LEADER: You said: “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.”

PEOPLE: Master, we hear your call. Lord Jesus, help us to follow you.

LEADER: You said: “You must love your enemies, and do good without expecting any return and without giving up hope for anyone: so will you be sons of the Most High, because he himself is kind to

the ungrateful and wicked. Be compassionate, as your Father is compassionate.”

PEOPLE: Master, we hear your call. Lord Jesus, help us to follow you.

LEADER: You said: “All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. You, then, are to go and make disciples of all nations and baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Teach them to observe all that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, even to the end of the world.”

PEOPLE: Master, we hear your call. Lord Jesus, help us to follow you. Amen

PRAYER

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ENGLISH MESSAGE: *Matthew 27:1-23 (P.1546-48)*

“Crucify Him!”

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY

OFFERING – *offertory music – “Beautiful One”*

SONG - # “Ovsanna” (*Insert 1,2*)

ARMENIAN MESSAGE: *Matthew 27:24-31 (P.1546-48)*

“Crucify Him!”

REMINDERS

*HAYR MER – #133

*BENEDICTION

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE: “*Park Khez Døer, Asdvadz Møer*”

POSTLUDE

*Congregation is requested to stand

*** Latecomers be seated

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE FELLOWSHIP HOUR TODAY is sponsored by Brian Ara and Nicolas John Janigian in memory of grandpa Ara “Baboo” Michaelian and grandpa John “Dean” and grandma Rose Janigian.

ACC YOUTH GROUP. The Youth Group is having a *Choreg* sale today during the Fellowship Hour.

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE will be held on Friday, April 22, @ 7:30 p.m. The ACC Choir will have a special program, and the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

EASTER SUNDAY is April 24. Come join us early in the morning as the ACYF serve us a delicious breakfast from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Then stay as we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord at 11: 00 a.m. Please invite your friends and family.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING. There will be a special Congregational meeting on Sunday, May 1st following the morning worship service.

ACC COUNCIL MEETING. All Deacons, Trustees and leaders of other ministries are required to attend the ACC Council meeting on Saturday, May 7 from 9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. please pray for this important meeting.

SCHOLARSHIP. The A.C.C. provides scholarships through its Educational Fund for fulltime college and university students of the church community. For an application please call the church office.

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH FAMILY

In Christian Sympathy. Dr. Antranik Chalabian, father of Gareneh Koundakjian, passed away on Tuesday, April 12, 2011. May the peace, grace and comfort of our Lord be with the Chalabian, Koundakjian, Hoglund families, their relatives and friends.

Please pray for Bob Arabian, Garo Takessian (brother of Maggie Avakian, and Sue Pope), Redi Abazi (a friend of the Pastor's family), and for the E.A.C.H campaign www.eachtoday.com

LAST CHANCE - -EASTER FLOWERS. Those wishing to arrange for an Easter flower to place in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday, please call the church office or submit the form below no later than Wednesday, April 20.

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Number of Easter Lilies you wish to purchase at \$16.00 each:

Number of Tulips you wish to purchase at \$13.00 each: _____

Name of Donor: _____

In Honor/Memory of: _____

Please tear-off this and place it in the offering plate or call the church office.