



## Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

St Giles Parish, April 9, 2022

*The Mass on Palm Sunday begins with a special Opening Rite and Gospel Reading remembering the entrance of Jesus into Jerusalem.*



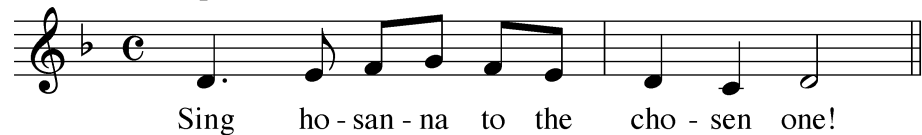
Opening Gospel: Luke 19:28-40  
Blessing of the Palms

### Opening Song:

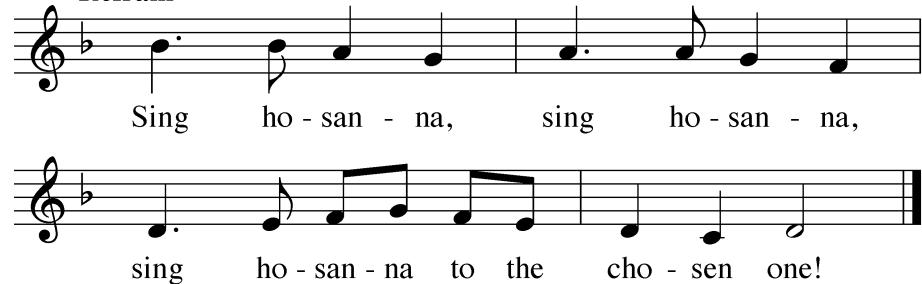
### PALM SUNDAY PROCESSIONAL

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#### Verse Response



#### Refrain



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### Liturgy of the Word

*You can find the full text of the readings, including the Passion, here:*  
<https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/041022.cfm>

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

Psalm: Psalm 22

Refrain: My God, My God, why have you abandoned me?

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel Acclamation

The Passion of Our Lord Jesus Christ According to Luke

### Preparation of the Gifts: Were You There

1. Were you there when they crucified my Lord?  
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?  
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.  
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

2. Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?  
Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?  
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.  
Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?

3. Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?  
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?  
Oh! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.  
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?

*Text: 10 10 14 10. Text and music: Spiritual; Old Plantation Hymns, Boston, 1899.*

## Communion Song:

### Bread of Life from Heaven / Pan de Vida Eterna

#### Refrain



## **Act of Spiritual Communion (Pope Francis)**

**My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.**

**Closing Song:**     *We leave in silence, entering this most Holy of Weeks.*

***Details about all of our Holy Week offerings, including things that you can do at home to enter into the prayer and tradition of this week leading to Easter, can be found on our website.***

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