



PALM  
*Sunday*

**Ogden & McDougall United Churches Joint Service**

**March 24, 2024**

**Palm Sunday – Songs of Loudest Praise**

Prelude Tanya Wan Lim

Welcome and Announcements

**Call to Worship**

**Centering Song** *Rise Up* **MV 130**

Lighting the Christ Candle

**Palm Processional Praise to the Lord (Psalm 113)** **VU pg 835**

**Extinguishing the Lenten Candle**

**Lord's Prayer**

Assurance of Grace

**Passing the Peace** Kids leave Kids Table

**Hymn** *Hosanna (Tuttle)* **screen**

**Prayers of the People**

**Prayer Hymn** *Awesome in this Place* **screen**

Scripture John 12: 1-11

Song Everything's Alright (Webber/Rice) Jen & Adam & Joanne

Reflection The End is Near Joanne Anquist

Scripture John 12:12-16

Song Hosanna! (Praise is Rising) (P. Baloché) CS

Reflection Misunderstood Messiah Joanne Anquist

Scripture John 12:17-19

Song Heaven on Their Minds (Webber/Rice) Adam

Reflection Hearts & Minds Joanne Anquist

**Closing Hymn** *Christ Be Our Light (Farrell)* **screen**

Postlude Tanya Wan Lim

*We acknowledge the history, culture and spirituality of the Siksika, Kainai, Pikani, Tsuut'ina and Nakoda peoples of Treaty 7, and their traditional territories within which McDougall United Church resides. We are proud, as Canadians, to share in the ongoing Treaty relationship with Indigenous people, and in the special relationship we honour with the Metis Nation of Alberta and their many members in Region 3 (Calgary-Southern Alberta).*

## **Welcome**

**McDougall's Affirming Statement:** *We strive to be a community of faith where all are welcomed in their diversity, and where we share with each other our struggles, our triumphs and our joys, with deep respect for our differences. We commit to moving beyond being "a welcoming church" to being an inclusive community, where we will be a safe space for all to Seek Wholeness in Christ and Share God's Love.*

Our service runs about one hour and 15 minutes.

- You are invited to light a candle in remembrance, in joy, or in hope, as part of our service ritual.
- McDougall's office is open Tuesday to Friday from 10 to 2 pm. Call Ogden United or Rev. Bill Weaver for info on when the office is open for Ogden.

## **Ways to Give to Ogden (403-630-5633)**

1. Mail a cheque payable to Ogden United Church
2. Online Through Canada Helps
3. Donate by e-Transfer, [ogdenminister@shaw.ca](mailto:ogdenminister@shaw.ca)
4. Sign up for PAR

## **Ways to Give to McDougall (403-252-1620)**

1. Donate by e-Transfer, [office@mcdunited.com](mailto:office@mcdunited.com)
2. On Our Website, [www.mcdunited.com](http://www.mcdunited.com)
3. Sign up for PAR
4. Mail a cheque to McDougall United Church.
5. Support the Gift Card Program



# Important Dates This Week

## Sunday - March 24

- 10:30 am On-site & Online Service

## Monday - March 25

- 11 am Homeschool Group

## Tuesday - March 26

- 11 am Bible Study

## Wednesday - March 27

- 1 pm Exploring Life Through Writing and Discussion

- 6 pm "The Divine Dance" Lenten Book Study

## Thursday - March 28

- 6 pm McDougall Singers Rehearsal

- 7:30 pm Collective Spirit Rehearsal

## Friday - March 29

- 11 am Red Deer Lake: Good Friday Service



Office Hours: Tuesday to Friday 10 — 2 p.m.

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