

Pastor: R. Garret Szantner
Director of Church Music: Jean La Crosse • Office Manager: Emily Conti

Today is the last day to order Easter Lilies! Lily order envelopes are in the narthex. Return your envelope to the office – please do not place in the offering. Let us know on the envelope if you would like it placed in memory or honor of someone. The cost is \$12 (cash or checks made out to LRC). Please plan on picking up your lily after the Easter service. (When you bring your plant home, please remember that all parts are toxic to cats, and place accordingly).

Maundy Thursday 7:00pm at Altamont Reformed Church – We will be worshipping with the congregation of Altamont Reformed Church this year. The address is 129 Lincoln Ave Altamont, NY 12009.

Noon - Good Friday, April 7 - Organ Meditations. Join us in the sanctuary at noon as Jean La Crosse provides organ meditations for reflection and prayer.

The Lynnwood Buildings and Properties Team is seeking people to fill the volunteer positions of "Superintendent of Buildings and Properties" (currently held by Walt Cogswell), and "Chair of the Buildings and Properties" (currently held by Mark Watson). Neither position requires prior in-depth experience nor knowledge of commercial building management/maintenance. Transitional orientation will be provided. Additional information, including job descriptions, is available by contacting Walt Cogswell at (518) 229-1947 or Mark Watson at (518) 992-8224

Guilderland Food Pantry needs for Easter: scalloped potatoes (box), Jiffy muffin mix (box), gravy (cans), canned fruit (any).

Today	Coffee Fellowship Street Soldier Meal Prep 11:30 Youth Group Dinner with Friends 5:30
Mon April 3	We Make the Road By Walking 10:00 Ruth Anne Burby visitation 5:00 – 7:00 Ruth Anne Burby memorial service 7:00
Tue April 4	Faith Formation team 4:30 Building & Property team 6:00 <Troop 5048> 6:00
Wed April 5	Stretching with Friends 6:00 Choir 7:30
Thu April 6	In His Presence 9:30 Maundy Thursday Communion 7:00 at ARC
Good Friday	(office closes at noon) Organ Meditations at noon
Sun April 9	EASTER



Hosanna

And the multitudes that went before, and that followed, cried, saying, Hosanna to the Son of David: Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord; Hosanna in the highest. *Matthew 21:9*



LYNNWOOD REFORMED CHURCH

PALM SUNDAY • APRIL 3, 2023

GATHERED BY GOD

Welcome		R. Garret Szantner
*Prelude		Jean La Crosse
*Song of Praise	"All Glory, Laud and Honor"	
Gospel Reading	Matthew 21:1-11	Larry Bopp
*Song of Gathering	"Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"	89
A Moment with the Children		

COMMUNION

Reflection on Communion, Meaning, and Prayer

Story of the Meal

The Bread of Life, the Cup of Salvation,
these are the gifts of God, for us, the people of God.

Sharing the Feast

Choir Anthem:	"Aire and Alleluia"	J.S. Bach
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RECEIVING GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Gospel Lesson	Luke 22:47-54, 66-71, 23:1-2	Kathy Mix
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Message	"Pontius Pilate"	Ken Klapp Pastor Szantner
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RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Choir Anthem	"The Sparrow Song" by Joseph Martin	Michael Hall, cello
Ministry Updates		
The Offering		
Prayer of Dedication		Shannon Comparetta
Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer		Mary Chew
*Song of Sending	"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"	

GOING OUT WITH GOD'S BLESSING

*Benediction

Postlude

**indicates standing for those able*

At Lynnwood Reformed Church, we affirm the great diversity of God's creation in our communities. This diversity includes persons from various economic, ethnic and cultural backgrounds, gender expressions and sexual identities, and gifted with a variety of abilities.

We also believe that God's unconditional love, as demonstrated through Jesus Christ, is intended for all. As such, all people are welcome to participate fully in the life of the church.