

# Pinetops Presbyterian Church

## The Service for the Lord's Day

April 9, 2017

Ten O'clock

### The Church Gathers

Prayer for Preparation (from the Heidelberg Catechism, Q&A 43)

*Through Christ's death our old selves are crucified, put to death, and buried with him, so that the evil desires of the flesh may no longer rule us, but instead we may dedicate ourselves as an offering of gratitude to him. May it be so, Amen.*

Prelude

*Ave Verum*

W. A. Mozart

Introit

*Surely the Presence of the Lord*

Lanny Smith

### Welcome and Announcements

Lenten Journey to the Resurrection

(Caroline will do this part!!!)

Luke 19: 36-41

† Opening Hymn

*All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

# 196

(Please come forward during the hymn and place palms on and in front of the communion table)

### Litany for Christ's passion

*Liturgist, Barbara Pitt*

One: Today we celebrate with the people that welcomed Jesus as he entered Jerusalem.

All: **Their hosannas rang out; they called him a savior, a mighty king.**

One: They hoped he could cast the oppressors out of their land and bring them glory and honor as did King David before him.

All: **But we know that Jesus walked a different path to glory.**

One: They did not understand this way- and when Jesus was betrayed in the hands of the authorities and did not fight, they turned on him, seeing him as a failure.

All: **Even as he sacrificed his life for them, those closest to him fled in fear.**

One: Christ our Salvation, you gave your life out of love for us.

All: **Have mercy on us, we pray; help us to love one another. Enable us to die with you so that we might rise with you in glory. Amen.**

† **The Passing of the Peace**

One: As Christ Jesus has shared his peace with each of us, let us know share that peace with each other. The Peace of Christ be with you all.

All: **And also with you.**

† Congregational Response

*"Gloria Patri"*

# 581

*(The children may go to the Fellowship Hall at this time for Children's Church)*

**You are finished and may return to your seat. Thank you for your willingness to serve as liturgist.**