

Welcome to our Worship Service, Sunday, April 14, 2019

Blessed is He who comes in the Name of the Lord!

Today begins the most Holy week in the Christian calendar - a week that saw Jesus enter Jerusalem, minister and teach in the temple, gather his disciples for the Last Supper, and then offer himself as a sacrifice for our sins. But before all of that, there was Bethany. Bethany was the place Jesus chose to stay during the Holy week. Strangely, he didn't stay in Jerusalem.

Today pastor Dan will share a message about Jesus, Bethany, and the amazing way that God works in the obscure, lesser known places of life. Today we wave our palm branches, not with the skeptics in Jerusalem, but rather with the disciples of Bethany.

"I am the resurrection and the life.

*The one who believes in me will live, even though they die;
and whoever lives by believing in me will never die.*

This week at a glance...

Choir	Tues 7:00 PM
Bible Study	Wed 7:30 PM
Community Drop-In	Thurs 10:00 AM
Home Bible Study	Thurs 7:00 PM
NO Youth	

Let us pray...

If you have a prayer need, just email or call; we would be glad to add your name to the list. **The following people have asked for Prayer:** Lorna Joseph, Enid McLaughlin; Joyce Fatona; Anne's sister, Camille; Greg and Sue's friend, Heather; Maria Brown and family, mourning the death of her father-in-law.

Making Room for the Cross...

As we approach the Easter season please consider taking extra time to allow the message of the cross to impact your life. Easter often comes and goes without preparation in the lives of many Christians, so we encourage members of HPBC to intentionally take time to focus on the gift of forgiveness given to us through Jesus Christ. Read through the Gospel of Mark or John, take extra time to reflect and give thanks, and set aside time to attend the Easter Service - you will be glad that you did.

Draw close to God and He will draw close to you. James 4:8

Upcoming Events at HPBC

Wednesday, April 17 & Thursday April 18 | 7:30 PM - Holy Week Services

Good Friday Services | 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

Thursday, April 25 | 7:00 PM - Women of Faith

Monday, May 5 | 7:00 PM - Israel Trip Meeting

Serving Today

Worship Team: Team 4 - Elouise Hedd-Williams | **Ushering:** Team 1 - Suzanne Douglas | **Nursery:** 9:30 - Yvonne Gregory / Yvonne Llewellyn | 11:30 - Charisse Yap / Leona Woodruff **Coffee Time:** Rosalie Grannum / Ceceil Beckford / Charesse Yap

Stewardship Corner - Give and it shall be given unto you!

Have you considered giving through our PAR program? If you are a regular giver at HPBC, PAR is a convenient and consistent way to stay up-to-date with your giving. Forms and information are at the back of the church. Thank you for all your support!

APRIL MISSIONS NOTE

A reminder!! It's time to make your donation for the Mother's Day gift bags we put together for Philip Aziz and Emily's House. Each bag contains gifts valued at \$50. Twenty bags are for mothers who are terminally ill, and twenty bags are for mothers of terminally ill children. Suzanne Douglas and Angie Mondesir are doing the purchasing this year.

Rommel and Ana Julia have had a good return to Nicaragua. The government did a check-up on their NGO program and were pleased with it, so are giving them access to a larger prison with more ministry opportunities. Please pray for them. They are all studying; Rommel is finishing his theological studies, Ana Julia is studying psychology, and Milady is in Grade 1.

Willy, a colleague of Kathy and Emo Yango in the Philippines, passed away very suddenly due to a ruptured artery to his brain. He was a key member of the team and his work included ministry to his community, as well as, Bible Translation. Please remember his wife and daughter in their deep loss, and pray that the work of the Kingdom would continue through those who were impacted by Willy's life.