

UNITED EVANGELICAL UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST  
East Avenue and Dillon St. Baltimore, Md.  
The Rev. W. Scott Hengen III - Pastor  
Mr. Robert Gundlach Director of Music  
Sunday, April 12, 1981

PALM SUNDAY

8:00 & 10:00 A.M.

Silence and Meditation - Pew Prayers

Prelude: "Ride On In Majesty"

\*Processional Hymn - "The Palms" (Choir and  
People)

O'er all the way, green palms and blossoms  
gay; Are strewn, this day in festal  
preparation. Where Jesus comes to wipe  
our tears away, E'en now the throng to  
welcome Him prepare.

REFRAIN: Join now and sing, His name  
declare. Let every voice resound with  
acclamation; Hosanna, Praised be the  
Lord, Bless Him who cometh to bring  
us salvation. (Amen)

His word goes forth and peoples in its  
might; Once more regain freedom from  
degradation; Humanity doth give to each  
his right, While those in darkness find  
restored the light. REFRAIN.

Sing and rejoice, O bless Jerusalem, Of  
all thy sons sing the emancipation; Thru  
boundless love the Christ of Bethlehem,  
Brings faith and hope to thee forevermore.

REFRAIN

\*Solemn Declaration, Psalm 67:4-5 (p.511)

\*Gloria Patri

Call to Confession and Confession of Sin:

Pastor: *Jesus came into the city amid shouts  
and praises to God from the people. The wav-  
ing of palm branches and the laying of gar-  
ments on the street gave evidence of His true  
royalty.*

People: *But those people were like us. Their  
joy and praise were short-lived. Their words*

*changed from "Hosanna" to "Crucify Him".  
Therefore we would lift our voices in a pray-  
er of confession.*

All: *God our Father, we have sinned. We have  
sinned against you, against your Son, Jesus  
Christ, and against the Holy Spirit. Our love  
for you and for our friends and our neighbors,  
and even our enemies is not as it should be.  
It does not nearly match your caring love for  
us. Have mercy upon us; change us into your  
faithful creatures; and help us to fulfill  
your mission and purpose for this world;  
through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen*

Kyrie (No. 518) and Assurance of Pardon:  
Pastor: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Christ, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Christ, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

People Sing: *Lord, have mercy upon us.*

Pastor: *God's good news is that Christ Jesus  
came into this world to seek and to save sin-  
ners - to forgive you and me in our failures -  
to accept us as we are - to set us free from  
the power of evil and to make us what we were  
meant to be. He gives us more than enough  
power to love others as we already love our-  
selves.*

Praise Versicle (No. 517)

Pastor: *O Lord, open our lips.*

People Sing: *And our mouths shall show forth  
Thy praise.*

Praise Hymn

Youth Choir Anthem (10:00 a.m.) - "Hosanna" 135

Collect and The Holy Scriptures:

Old Testament: Isaiah 50:4-7 (p.646)

Epistle: Phil. 2:5-11 (p.188)

\*Gloria Tibi #497

\*Gospel: Matthew 21:1-11 (p. 26)

\*Laus Tibi #497

Sermon: "He Comes For Us"

Confirmation Questions and Answers  
 Confirmation Hymn (See Insert - Tune: #323)  
 "We Thy Children Come Rejoicing" (10:00 a.m.)  
 The Rite of Confirmation (10:00 a.m.)  
 \*Apostles' Creed  
 Adult Baptism, Confirmation and Reception of  
 New Members (10:00 a.m.)  
 Announcements and Moments of Concern  
 Presentation of Tithes and Offerings  
 Offertory: "Blessed Is He That Cometh"  
 \*Dedication of Offerings and Doxology  
 Special Music:  
 8:00 a.m. - Solo - Mrs. Dolores Canoles  
 10:00 a.m. - Senior Choir - "Draw Nigh To  
 Jerusalem"  
 Morning Prayer and Choral Response  
 \*Benediction  
 \*Recessional Hymn 136  
 Silence and Meditation  
 Postlude: "With Palms Before Thee"  
 \*Congregation Standing  
 \*\*Please sign Attendance Card

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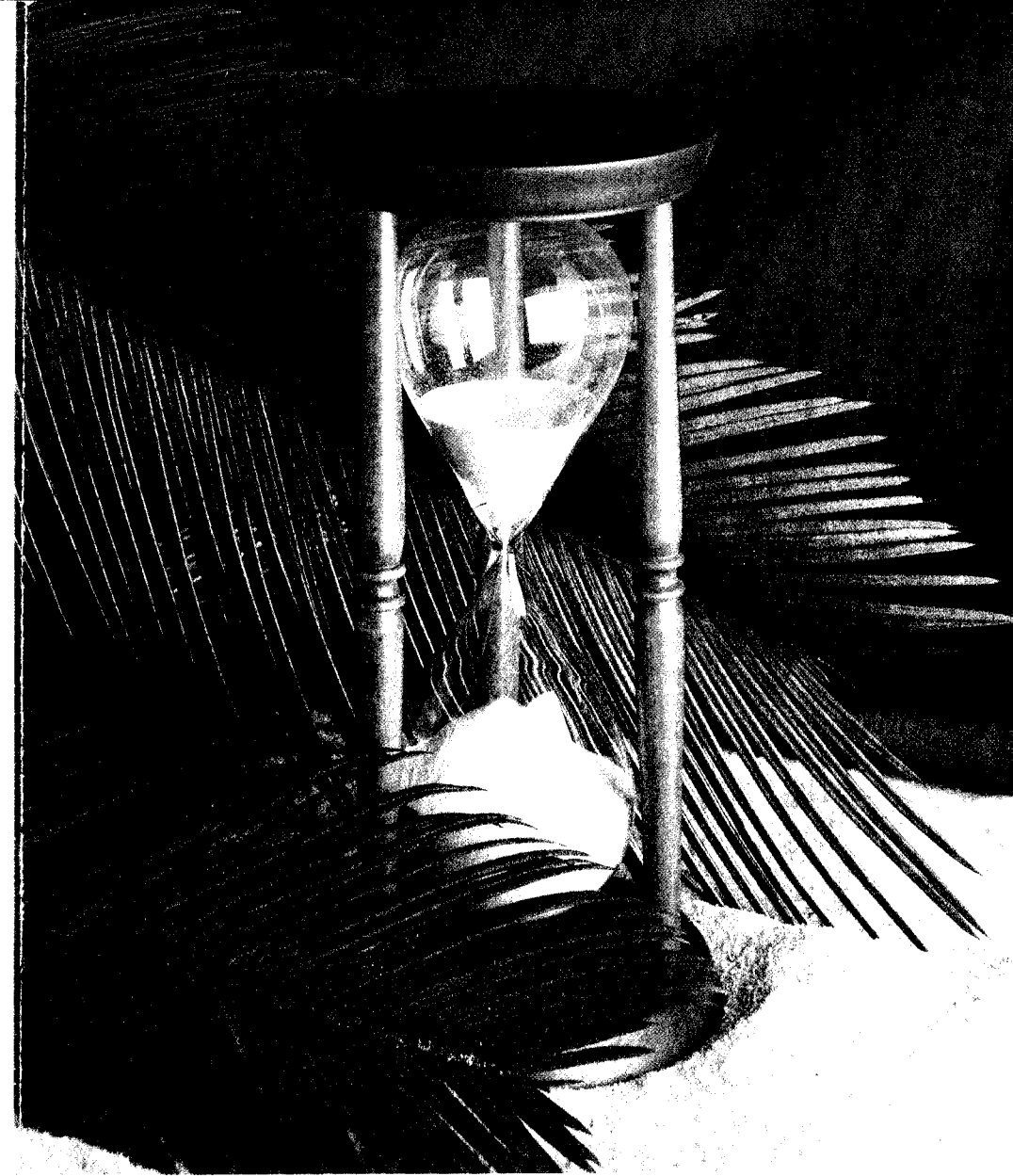
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Altar Flowers today are a "Love Gift" to the Church in honor of mother, Mrs. Mary Gluth. Presented from Mr. and Mrs. William and Myrtle Eckes.

Sunday Bulletins today are a "Love Gift" to the Church in memory of my son, Alvin William Koehler on his birthday, April 11. Presented from mother, Emma Koehler.

Our sympathy is extended to the family and friends of Mr. George J. Sauer, Jr. whose funeral was held yesterday.

The Youth Group Home Meeting scheduled for today at 2 p.m. has been cancelled.



*The King who serves cometh*