

Lexington Community Palm Sunday Celebration

The Olde Courthouse on the Square

April 9, 2017

Gathering Music The Alive Praise Band

Palm Sunday Procession from Lexington Area Churches

Greetings from GLAMA President Brian Rummage

Invocation

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People: Tell the City of Lexington, Christ is here!

Minister: This is the day the Lord has made!

People: We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Minister: Hosanna! Blessed is the One who comes in the name
of the Lord.

People: Hosanna in the highest!

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Palm Sunday Prayer Randy Hall

Homily "If These Stones Could Talk" Jamie Armstrong

Hymn "Amazing Grace" NEW BRITAIN

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And grace my fears relieved;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believed.
Through many dangers, toils and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.
When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.

Benediction

Minister: Now let us go forth in peace to do God's work.

People: Let us go in joy, praising Jesus our Lord.

Minister: Let us go forth in love, sharing the good news of God's love here in Lexington and beyond.

People: Thanks be to God. Amen

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