

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**WELCOME:** Welcome to this service of worship at Bainbridge First Methodist Church. Please be sure to sign the attendance pads or register with the QR code on the front of the Order of Worship so we can keep a record of your attendance.

**PARENT BREAK ROOM:** Our Welcome Space has a Parent Break Room for you and your little one if you need to take a “break” during Sunday Worship Service.

**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER:** There will be no Wednesday Night Supper during Holy Week.

### UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS:

#### Holy Week

Monday, March 30	Bainbridge First Methodist	11:45 am
Tuesday, March 31	Food Bank Crew	9:00 am
	First Baptist Bainbridge	11:45 am
Wednesday, April 1	First Presbyterian Bainbridge	11:45 am
Thursday, April 2	Grace Church	11:45 am
	Maundy Thursday	6:00 pm
Friday, April 3	Bainbridge Church of God	11:45 am

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**COFFEE WITH THE REV:** Rev. Lehman invites you to join him in the Welcome Room on Sunday Mornings from 9:30—10:00 am for coffee. He plans to use this time to meet with you or answer any questions you might have about our church.

Note: Today’s closing voluntary directs us to the coming week. The text tells us that the triumphant work of Christ is finished. Salvation will be available for all. This music is in B minor calling us to reflection and introspection during this coming week.

### MEMBERS WHO MINISTER

**Ushers:** Charles Bowles, Simpson Bowles, Greg Burch, and Mike Kraft

**Greeters:** Emmett and Amy Dollar, and Melodee Loeffler **Acolyte:** Henry Hamilton

**Video Technician:** Matt Reynolds **Liturgist:** Kevin Lewis

**Organist:** Douglas West, MD **Pianist:** Sheila Lane **Flowers:** Flower Committee

**Video Disclaimer:** This service is being live streamed on YouTube. Your image may appear in certain views of the video. The video will be available for replay on our YouTube channel.

Contact the Church Office if you have any questions regarding this.

<https://www.youtube.com/@bainbridgefirst4146>

**Hearing Assistive Devices:** are available on the back table or ask an usher for help.

Senior Pastor: Rev. Nate Lehman  
Children’s Director: Patty Hamilton

Music Director: Nina Yim  
Youth Director: Lisa Enfinger

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# BAINBRIDGE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH



Please Register

## PALM SUNDAY

10:30 AM Service of Worship

March 29, 2026

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Nate Lehman

### CHORALE PRELUDE

“A Hosanna Flourish”  
Children’s and Chancel Choir

Jim Ailor  
Sheila Lane, pianist

### LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

Henry Hamilton, Acolyte

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Kevin Lewis

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good;  
His steadfast love endures forever.

**People: Blessed is He who comes in  
the name of the Lord!**

Leader: Hosanna to the Son of David!  
Hosanna in the highest heaven!

**People: We come to worship the King  
who brings salvation.**

Leader: Come, let us lift our voices in praise  
to the Lord of lords.

**All: Hosanna! Blessed is He who  
comes in the name of the Lord!**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE 228**      “All Glory, Laud, and Honor”      St. Theodulph

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**      “The Apostles Creed”      Kevin Lewis

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:

who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried;  
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**CALL TO PRAYER**      “Kyrie Eleison”      Children’s Choir  
(Lord, Have Mercy)

**THE MORNING PRAYER**      Rev. Nate Lehman

**THE LORD’S PRAYER 733**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

**\*OFFERTORY HYMN 159**      “Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”      Stories of Jesus  
verses 1-3

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**      Kevin Lewis

**PIANO OFFERTORY**      “Crown Him With Many Crowns”      George Job Elvey  
Nina Yim, pianist

**PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**      “Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**CHILDREN’S MOMENT**      Patty Hamilton

(Children are invited to return to their seats with their parents. Nursery is available should you need it.)

### PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

**ANTHEM**      “In the Name of the Lord”      Gaither, McHugh, Patty  
Jenna Chambless, solo      Nina Yim, pianist

**SCRIPTURE**      Matthew 21:1-11 (ESV)      Rev. Nate Lehman

**SERMON**      “Who Is This?”      Rev. Nate Lehman

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD

**\*HYMN OF DISMISAL 240**      “Lead Me to Calvary”      Duncannon  
verses 1 & 4

### SENDING FORTH

**\*BENEDICTION**      Rev. Nate Lehman

**CLOSING VOLUNTARY**      “It Is Finished” Transcribed by Joyce Jones (1933-2022) for organ  
from *St. John Passion* J.S. Bach  
text *It is accomplished!*  
*The One from the lineage of Judah triumphs with power  
And brings the battle to a close.  
It is accomplished!*

*The rosebud on the Altar is placed in thanksgiving for the birth of  
Reynolds Knight Merritt born March 17, 2026.  
He is the son of Olivia Reynolds and Troy ‘Bobby Ray’ Merritt,  
and the grandson of Janie and Bill Reynolds.*



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