

Confirmation Service



United Evangelical Church

Baltimore, Maryland

Palm Sunday, April 14th, 1946

Ten O'clock

REV. T. LEHMANN, *Pastor*

MRS. C. WITTELE, *Organist and Director*

ORDER OF CONFIRMATION SERVICE

PRELUDE—"Paques Fleurles" - - - - - Maily

PROCESSIONAL—Hymn No. 292, "Onward Christian Soldiers"

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| 1. Onward, Christian Soldiers,
Marching as to war,
With the cross of Jesus
Going on before;
Christ the royal Master
Leads against the foe;
Forward into battle,
See, His banners go. | 2. Like a mighty army
Moves the Church of God;
Brothers, we are treading
Where the saints have trod;
We are not divided,
All one body we,
One in hope and doctrine,
One in charity. |
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CHORUS

Onward, Christian soldiers,
Marching as to war,
With the cross of Jesus
Going on before.

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| 3. Crowns and thrones may perish,
Kingdoms rise and wane
But the Church of Jesus
Constant will remain;
Gates of hell can never
Gainst that Church prevail;
We have Christ's own promise,
And that cannot fail. | 4. Onward, then, ye people
Join our happy throng,
Blend with ours your voices
In the triumph song;
Glory, laud, and honor
Unto Christ, the King;
This through countless ages
Men and angels sing. |
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INVOCATION

RESPONSE—"Hosanna"

CONFESSION OF SIN—ASSURANCE OF PARDON

RESPONSE No. 489, "Gloria in Excelsis"

THE INTROIT THE COLLECT THE DOXOLOGY

HYMN—No. 135, "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

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| 1. All glory, laud, and honor
To Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children
Made sweet hosannas ring:
The people of the Hebrews
With palms before Thee went;
Our praise and prayer and anthems
Before Thee we present. | 2. Thou art the King of Israel,
Thou David's royal Son,
Who in the Lord's name comest,
The King and blessed One!
To Thee, before Thy passion,
They sang their hymns of praise;
To Thee, now high exalted
Our melody we raise. |
| 3. Thou didst accept their praises;
Accept the prayers we bring,
Who in all good delightest,
Thou good and gracious King!
All glory, laud, and honor
To Thee, Redeemer, King,
To whom the lips of children
Made sweet hosannas ring! Amen. | |

THE SCRIPTURE LESSON—The Gospel for the Day, St. Matthew 21:1-9
(All stand, please)

RESPONSE—"Hallelujah"

YOUTH CHOIR—"The Palms" - - - - - Faure

CALL TO PRAYER—No. 514

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

RESPONSE—No. 504, "Hear, O Lord"

THE ANNOUNCEMENTS—THE OFFERTORY

DEDICATION OF OFFERING (Stand, please) No. 470, S. 1.

HYMN—No. 347, "Just as I Am, Thine Own to Be"

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| <p>1. Just as I am, Thine own to be,
Friend of the young, who lovest me,
To consecrate myself to Thee,
O Jesus Christ, I come.</p> | <p>3. I would live ever in the light,
I would work ever for the right,
I would serve Thee with all my
might;
Therefore, to Thee I come.</p> |
| <p>2. In the glad morning of my day,
My life to give, my vows to pay,
With no reserve, and no delay,
With all my heart I come.</p> | <p>4. Just as I am, young, strong and free;
To be the best that I can be
For truth, and righteousness, and
Thee,
Lord of my life, I come. Amen.</p> |

THE SERMON—"Confirmed in Faith"

"Since you have had Jesus the Lord brought to you, lead your life in Him, fixed and founded in Him, confirmed in the faith, as you have been taught"—Colossians 2:6-7.

THE LORD'S PRAYER—(Stand, please)

SENIOR CHOIR—"Jerusalem" - - - - - Parker

CONFIRMATION CLASS HYMN—No. 446, "Now in the Days of Youth"

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| <p>1. Now in the days of youth,
When life flows fresh and free,
Thou Lord of all our hearts and lives
We give ourselves to Thee;
Our fervent gift receive,
And fit us to fulfill,
Through all our days, in all our ways,
Our Heavenly Father's will.</p> | <p>3. Teach us to love the true,
The beautiful and pure,
And let us not for one short hour
An evil thought endure.
But give us grace to stand
Decided, brave and strong,
The lovers of all holy things,
The foes of all things wrong.</p> |
| <p>2. Teach us where'er we live,
To act as in Thy sight,
And do what Thou wouldst have us do
With radiant delight;
Not choosing what is great,
Nor spurning what is small,
But take us from Thy hands our tasks,
And glorify them all,</p> | <p>4. Spirit of Christ, do Thou
Our first bright days inspire,
That we may live the life of love
And loftiest desire;
And be by Thee prepared
For larger years to come,
And for the life ineffable
Within the Father's home. Amen.</p> |

THE ORDER OF CONFIRMATION

RECEPTION INTO THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CHURCH

THE BENEDICTION

THE RESPONSE—No. 560, "Sevenfold Amen" - - - - - Stainer

RECESSIONAL—No. 271, "O Jesus, I Have Promised"

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| <p>1. O Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
Be Thou forever near me,
My Master and My Friend;
I shall not fear the battle
If Thou art by my side,
Nor wander from the pathway
If Thou wilt be my Guide.</p> | <p>3. O let me hear Thee speaking
In accents clear and still,
Above the storms of passion,
The murmurs of self-will!
O speak to reassure me,
To hasten or control.
O speak, and make me listen,
Thou Guardian of my soul.</p> |
| <p>2. O let me feel Thee near me!
The world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
The tempting sounds I hear;
My foes are ever near me,
Around me and within;
But, Jesus, draw Thou nearer,
And shield my soul from sin.</p> | <p>4. O Jesus, Thou hast promised
To all who follow Thee
That where Thou art in glory
There shall Thy servant be;
And, Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
O give me grace to follow
My Master and my Friend:</p> |

CHIMES AND QUIET PRAYER

POSTLUDE—"Finale in D" - - - - - Guilmant

CONFIRMANDS—CLASS OF 1946

GIRLS

Marilyn Mae Becker
Lorraine Carrigan
Carolyn Corame
Marlene Ditschler
Catherine Dunn
Elaine Friedel
Lois Hamer
Anna Hock
Eileen Hughes
Shirley Koehler
Julia Long
Lorraine Lorden

Mildred Mack
June McHugh
Dolores Marshner
Jane Mason
Evelyn Mayer
Lorraine Myrick
Clara Nace
Jean Nemeč
Dolly Niemitz
Joan Pakulski
Gloria Perry
Elizabeth Raddatz

Irene Rice
Joan Roloff
Genevieve Sanders
Victoria Sajdak
Jo-Ann Smith
Marlyn Smith
Floryne Stange
Anna Stanton
Emma Wendelstedt
Gloria Zinn

BOYS

Howard Armstrong
Ernest Brandenburger
Robert Cummings
Norman Cushing
George Daniels
Edward Ellick
Carl Gudgeon

Henry James
Edward Kraemer
Frederick Kraemer
William Langenfelder
Robert McElwee
Ernest Miller
Richard Neumann

Nelson Oberlander
James Scheuerman
Edward Smith
Jay Schwartz
Carlton Watts
Howard Zimmerman

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Re-Union Services tonight—Palm Sunday at 7:45 P. M. Meet your classmates from former years. Respond to the Roll Call. Special music. Rev. Willis R. Ford, a fine Christian personality, is to bring the special message.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Maundy Thursday, Good Friday at 7:45 P. M. and Easter Sunday at 6 A. M. and 10 A. M. the Order for Holy Communion will be observed. German Communion on Good Friday at 9 A. M.

THREE-HOUR SERVICE on Good Friday from 12 noon to 3 P. M. The following ministers will take part in the service: Rev. C. J. Hines, Rev. Rea Martin, Rev. Charles Hein, Rev. M. Waters, Rev. L. Crouse, Rev. Luke Schmucker and Rev. W. R. Strietelmeier. The choirs will sing special numbers appropriate for this service.

Adult Confirmation Class begins its work on Friday, April 26 at 8 P. M. Confirmation Pentecost, June 9th.

Please bring **Self-Denial Envelopes** in this week. Make your contribution a liberal one for the Building Fund.

Special Services on Sundays after Easter. Pastor will begin a series of sermons on "The Church."

May 5—7:45 P. M. The Highland Chapter No. 33, O. E. S., will attend our service in a body.

May 12—"Festival of the Christian Home."

May 28-29 Chicken Supper served by Ladies' Aid Society