

Note: Before this service, go outside and cut some branches to use in the place of palms for this service.

Said together, ***Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord.
Peace in heaven and glory in the highest.***

Celebrant Let us pray,
saying together

Assist us mercifully with your help, O Lord God of our salvation, that we may enter with joy upon the contemplation of those mighty acts, whereby you have given us life and immortality; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE READING OF THE GOSPEL OF THE PALMS

THE BLESSING OF THE BRANCHES *The Celebrant then says the following blessing*

The Lord be with you.

People AND ALSO WITH YOU.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People IT IS RIGHT TO GIVE HIM THANKS AND PRAISE.

It is right to God, for the acts of love by which you have redeemed us through your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. On this day he entered the holy city of Jerusalem in triumph, and was proclaimed as King of kings by those who spread their garments and branches of palm along his way. Let these branches be for us signs of his victory, and grant that we who bear them in his name may ever hail him as our King, and follow him in the way that leads to eternal life; who lives and reigns in glory with you and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. *Amen.*

Priest: Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: (yelling) Hosanna in the highest!!!!!!! (3X)

The Procession

Deacon Let us go forth in peace.

People In the name of Christ. Amen.

THE SERMON

THE CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you, in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

THE PRAYERS

For the loving-kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church
of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the
Lord..

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

For this world wide pandemic, that You, O Lord, would lead us to find a cure; that you would heal this
sick & comfort the dying; that you would protect the medical professionals on the front lines of this crisis;
that you, would bring peace and assurance to those who are afraid, we pray to you, O Lord.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

Defend us, deliver us, and in thy compassion protect us, O Lord, by thy grace.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the
Lord.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

In the communion of of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to
Christ our God.

HOSANNA TO THE KING OF KINGS

CONCLUDING SONG

**Hosanna hosanna hosanna in the Highest. Hosanna hosanna hosanna in the highest
Lord we lift up Your name, With hearts full of praise
Be exalted oh Lord my God, Hosanna in the highest**

**Glory, glory, glory to the King of Kings. Glory, glory, glory to the King of Kings
Lord we lift up Your name, With hearts full of praise
Be exalted oh Lord my God, Glory to the King of Kings**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE BLESSINGS & THE PEACE