## the: word

#### Matthew 21:1-17

<sup>1</sup>As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, <sup>2</sup>saying to them, "Go to the village ahead of you, and at once you will find a donkey tied there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me. <sup>3</sup>If anyone says anything to you, tell him that the Lord needs them, and he will send them right away."

<sup>4</sup>This took place to fulfil what was spoken through the prophet:

"Say to the Daughter of Zion,

'See, your king comes to you, gentle and riding on a donkey,

on a colt, the foal of a donkey."

<sup>6</sup>The disciples went and did as Jesus had instructed them. <sup>7</sup>They brought the donkey and the colt, placed their cloaks on them, and Jesus sat on them. <sup>8</sup>A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. <sup>9</sup>The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted,

"Hosanna to the Son of David!"

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

"Hosanna in the highest!"

<sup>10</sup>When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, "Who is this?"

<sup>11</sup>The crowds answered, "This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee."

<sup>12</sup>Jesus entered the temple area and drove out all who were buying and selling there. He overturned the tables of the money changers and the benches of those selling doves. <sup>13</sup>"It is written", he said to them, "'My house will be called a house of prayer,' but you are making it a 'den of robbers.'"

<sup>14</sup>The blind and the lame came to him at the temple, and he healed them. <sup>15</sup>But when the chief priests and the teachers of the law saw the wonderful things he did and the children shouting in the temple area, "Hosanna to the Son of David", they were indignant.

<sup>16</sup>"Do you hear what these children are saying?" they asked him.

"Yes," replied Jesus, "have you never read,

"From the lips of children and infants you have ordained praise'?"

<sup>17</sup>And he left them and went out of the city to Bethany, where he spent the night.

# tabernacle: penarth

purpose: to reflect God's love in our church, community and world

## sunday 28th march 2010

### today's services

10.30 am - The road to Jerusalem Matthew 21:1-17

6.00 pm - A warning from history 1 Corinthians 8:1-13

#### mid -week

Monday
7.30 pm: Prayer meeting
Wednesday
9.30 am: Communion

## thought for the week

Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!

Matthew 21:9

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#### Sermon Recording/CD

Sermons are downloadable from the web site. If you would prefer to purchase a CD, see Graham at the AV desk.

## what's: on

#### **SUNDAY**

#### **Palm Sunday**

10.30 am Pastor Roger and Helen Douglas

3.00 pm Bethel House, Hebron Hall. Ann Niblett would value your support.

6.00 pm Pastor Roger and Gemma Humphreys Why not join us for tea/coffee after the services? 8.00 pm The House Thing

#### **MONDAY**

9.00 am Maintenance team meet

2.45 pm Women's Hour - Val Shields

7.30 pm Prayer Meeting

#### **TUESDAY**

9.15 am Centre Prayers

9.30 am TWAM team at TWAM HQ in Bute Lane

2.00 pm 'Dorcas' Group.

7.30 pm Small Groups meet

#### **WEDNESDAY**

9.30 am Communion led by Pete Everitt followed by coffee

7.30 pm Ladies' Choir Practice

#### **THURSDAY**

7.30 pm Maundy Thursday service at Grangetown BC

#### **FRIDAY**

10.00 am Cytûn Silent March of Witness from

Triangle, Arcot Street

11.30 am Service of Meditation

11.30 am Children's programme

#### SATURDAY

7.30 pm Easter Vigil Candlelight Service

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

#### **Easter Day**

6.30 am Cytûn 'Sonrise' service on Cliff Top

10.30 am Pastor Roger and Helen Douglas

6.00 pm Baptismal Service with Pastor Roger and Will Roberts - Communion will be

celebrated

#### **ADVANCE NOTICES:**

Maundy Thursday Service. The Cardiff Bay Baptist cluster of churches are holding their joint Maundy Thursday service at Grangetown Baptist Church in Clive Street, Grangetown at 7.30 pm. Please try to attend this service and represent Tabs if you can

#### **Baptism Services**

Please pray for those being baptised next Sunday evening: Stephanie Leach and Gareth Humphreys. We have 4 more candidates who will be ready for baptism next month. Please pray for them in their final preparations too.

#### **The Tent Mission**

Teams Meeting **TODAY** from 3-4 pm at the church.

#### Digital Video Camera.

Does anyone own a digital video camera that they are willing to use or lend to us to film the baptisms next weekend please? Please speak to Gemma Humphreys.

#### **AGM**

This will be held on 26<sup>th</sup> April and the next Church Meeting will be on the same evening. Please put this

important diary in your diary NOW, and ensure that you can attend if you are a member. An additional deacon is needed on the Leadership Council. Please pray about whether you, or someone you know in the church, should stand in these elections. Nominations to be with Mary Dyas by 11<sup>th</sup> April at the latest.

#### Calling all computer techies!!

We are in need of people to help with projection for Sunday services. If you would like to find out more please speak to Barry Makepeace or Gemma Humphreys.

#### St David's Praise 2010

A Christian celebration with Cambrensis and the St David's Praise Choir & Orchestra at St David's Hall on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 pm. Tickets now available from box office 2087 8444 £10 & £11

# family: news

**Sharon Geere** is home and doing much better. She thanks the church for its prayers and gives thanks to God for his answers.

**Helen Ford** is in Llandough hospital. She has a couple of hours unaccompanied home leave each day, but would still appreciate visitors. She is on Gorwal Ward of the Llanfair unit.

Joy James and Sarah Davies both continue to recover following their surgeries. Sarah is particularly grateful for the prayers of the church: she received the 'all clear' after she got the biopsy results on the tumour that was removed from her stomach, and has been discharged from the hospital's care. Hallelujah! Sarah Taylor's Father, Doug had an operation this week to put in a 'shunt'. He continues to improve from the brain injury he suffered, but has had a chest infection over the last few days.

**Earl Angove** remains in hospital at Llandough. Please pray for Earl and Gwendolyn.

**Beryl Murray Dixon** – is recovering after breaking her foot.

**Bruce Emmerson** will be having an operation this Wednesday (31<sup>st</sup>), to remove a lump in his mouth. Please pray that the biopsy will show no cancer.

Please also remember these people in your prayers and those in the fellowship who are largely confined to their homes or continue to be in need of prayer and those who lovingly care for them. We remember especially *Marion Jones, Cynthia Price, Sylvia Sadler, Denis Parry, Ron Soper and Earl Angove* 

#### **Preaching Engagements:**

John Weaver is at Knaphill BC Woking – Anniversary Jonathan Bugg is at Sully Christian Fellowship

#### Easter Eggs for Romania

Cadbury Cream eggs to be sent to Romania should be placed in the box at the top of the main stairs **TODAY** (28<sup>th</sup>) at the latest.

#### tabernacle: penarth hoodies and sweatshirts.

You may have seen Pastor Roger wearing a sweatshirt with the church name and purpose statement on during the last few weeks. If you would like one of these (available in various colours), please speak to Roger who is compiling an order. Cost £20.00 each