

COLDSTREAM PARISH CHURCH

Sunday 29 March 2026

Palm Sunday

Welcome

Call to Worship:

Christ is in our midst

He Was. He is. And always shall be.

Blessed be our God at all times.

Now and forever. Amen.

Come, let us worship God our King

Let us worship Christ among us, our King and our God.

Come, let us bow down before the Lord our King and our God.

Holy God, Holy and Strong, Holy and Immortal, have mercy

Opening Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

Hymn 378: Praise to the holiest

All-age Blether: *Happy Christmas*

Hymn 557: Oh love that wilt not let me go

Readings: Psalm 118: 1 – 2; 19 - 29

Matthew 21:1-11

Hymn 367 Hosanna, loud hosanna

Reflection: *A stone's throw...*

Hymn 365: Ride on, ride on in Majesty – we make our offering as we sing

Prayers for others

Hymn 364: All glory, laud and honour

Closing Responses:

To a troubled world

Peace from Christ.

To a searching world

Love from Christ.

To a waiting world

Hope from Christ.

We share the Grace:

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all now and for ever more. Amen

Tea and coffee will be served after the service.

The week ahead

Sunday 5 April – Easter Sunday All-age Service in the Church at 10.30 a.m. conducted by Rev Robin McHaffie.

Wednesday 1 April - Ladies@10

Thursday 2 April – Coldstream Primary School Easter service in the Church

Thursday 2 April – Maundy Thursday Communion in the Church at 7.00 p.m. conducted by Rev Robin McHaffie

Friday 3 April – Good Friday Ecumenical Walk of Witness starting from Henderson Park at 10.00 a.m., with refreshments in the Church Hall afterwards

Saturday 4 April – Men’s Prayer Breakfast 8.00-9.00 a.m. in the Church Hall

Coming Sunday Services in Coldstream at 10.30 a.m.

Sunday 12 April All-age Sunday service with the baptism of Elliot Hunter, conducted by Rev Robin McHaffie

Sunday 19 April Joint service with the congregation of Leitholm Kirk at which Rev Kerr Wintersgill will preach as sole nominee to become our minister, followed by congregational vote.

Sunday 26 April Sunday service

Sunday 3 May Sunday service

Sunday 10 May Christian Aid Sunday and lunch

Barclay Barr: Our longstanding member and former elder Barclay Barr died on 26 March, having just passed his 98th birthday. We extend our sympathy to his sons Duncan and Roy, daughter Isabel and all of the family. A thanksgiving service for Barclay’s life will be held in the Church on Thursday 8 April at 3.30 p.m. following a private cremation.

Men’s Prayer Breakfast: Saturdays 4 and 18 April and 2, 16 and 30 May, 8.00-9.00 a.m. in the Church Hall.

Sunday Sing: on alternate Sundays before the service at 9.30 a.m. in the hall. No meeting on Easter Sunday, next time is 19 April.

Ladies@10: alternate Wednesday mornings, next meetings 1, 15 and 29 April.

Services at Lennel House: Wednesday afternoons once a month at 3.00 p.m. Next service on 22 April

Services of stillness and reflection: on the fourth Sunday of the month with St Mary’s. Next service on 26 April at 5.00 p.m.

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