

Order of Worship Good Friday Service

April 2, 2021

Prelude "The Cross Medley" arr. Melody Bober

Greeting and Introduction to the Service

Opening Hymn *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded*

*O sacred head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down;
now scornfully surrounded with thorns, Thine only crown; O sacred head,
what glory, what bliss till now was Thine! Yet, though despised and gory,
I joy to call Thee mine.*

First Lesson

Scripture Lesson - John 11:45 - 53

The First Light is Extinguished

Prayer

Song of Response *Ah, Holy Jesus*

*Ah, Holy Jesus, how hast Thou offended, that we to judge Thee have in hate
pretended? By foes derided, by Thine own rejected,
O most afflicted!*

Second Lesson

Scripture Lesson - Matthew 26:1-16

The Second Light is Extinguished

Prayer

Song of Response *What Wondrous Love Is This*

*What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,
what wondrous love is this, O my soul! What wondrous love is this that
caused the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,
to bear the dreadful curse for my soul!*

Third Lesson

Scripture Lesson - Matthew 26:36-56

The Third Light is Extinguished

Prayer

Song of Response *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*
*When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died,
my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt
on all my pride.*

Fourth Lesson

Scripture Lesson - Matthew 26:57 - 75

The Fourth Light is Extinguished

Prayer

Anthem "Were You There?" arr. Brian L. Hanson

Daphne Trent, Becky Massie, Robin Daniels, Millie McNeil,
Brad Veselick, Tim Pollard, Tom Wise

Fifth Lesson

Scripture Lesson - John 18:28 - 40

The Fifth Light is Extinguished

Prayer

Song of Response *Beneath the Cross of Jesus*

*Beneath the cross of Jesus I fain would take my stand,
the shadow of a mighty rock within a weary land; a home within the
wilderness, a rest upon the way, from the burning of the noon-tide heat,
and the burden of the day.*

Sixth Lesson

Scripture Lesson - John 19:1 - 16

The Sixth Light is Extinguished

Prayer

Song of Response *Were You There?*

*Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Were you there when they
crucified my Lord? O! Sometimes it causes me to tremble,
tremble, tremble. Were you there when they crucified my Lord?*

Seventh Lesson

Scripture Lesson - John 19:17-30

The Christ Light is Extinguished — Please Leave Silence