



## Good Friday Worship - April 14, 2017

\*Rise in Body or in Spirit

*(Items in bold spoken by congregation)*

GATHERING MUSIC AND RINGING THE CHURCH BELL

*(Let this be a time when you prepare your heart for worship.)*

\*CALL TO REVERANCE AND REFLECTION

Leader: Almighty Lord, from Bethlehem to Nazareth, from Jordan to Jericho, from Bethany to Jerusalem, from then to now,

**People: Come, Lord Jesus, into our midst.**

L: You came to heal the sick, to comfort the disturbed, to disturb the comfortable, to cleanse the temple, to liberate us from sin and death,

**P: Come, Lord Jesus, lead us into a closer walk with You.**

L: You carried the cross, leading the way, to shoulder the sin of the world, and to take it away,

**P: Come, Lord Jesus, into this place, into our hearts, leading us to salvation. Amen.**

\*SONG OF LOVE "What Wondrous Love is This"

#292 Vs 1,3 *(The light of Christ comes into the sanctuary.)*

REFLECTION OF THE EVENTS OF JESUS LAST WEEK

John 13:1-3	Luke 22:66- 23:5
John 13: 2b-16	Luke 23: 6-12
John 13: 17-25	Matthew 27: 15- 25
John 13: 26-30	Luke 23: 26-38
John 13: 36-38	Matthew 27: 44-47
Luke 22: 39-46	Matthew 27: 51-56
Luke 22: 47-53	

SONG OF SACRIFICE AND PARDON

"Lamb of God" #2113

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION AND PARDON

Leader: Brothers and sisters in the Lord, Christ showed us his love by becoming a humble servant and dying a criminal's death on the cross. Let us draw near to God and confess our sin in the truth of His Spirit.

*A time of silent reflection to confess your sins.*

Let us pray: **Most Merciful God, as people of your church, we confess that often our spirits have not been that of Christ.**

**(Prayer continued on back...)**

**Forgive us, we pray, when we have failed to love one another as Jesus loves, and when we have betrayed, denied or deserted our Lord. Help us to be faithful in every trial through prayer. We offer all this in the name of Jesus Christ, our Redeemer and Lord. Amen.**

Leader: Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ. But Christ suffered and died for us, was raised from the dead, ascended on high for us, and continues to intercede for us. Believe the Good News: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!!

**People: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!**

**All: Thanks be to God. Amen.**

OFFERING Tonight's offering will be given to UMCOR for Spring/Summer Natural Disasters

"Come and Mourn With Me Awhile" Chancel Choir

THE LORD'S PRAYER (In Unison)

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

\*SONG OF SENDING "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" #298 Verses 1,3,4

\*BLESSING AND SENDING

Leader: Depart now, holding on to the heartache and pain of Jesus.

**People: We will remember the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross.**

L: The time in the grave separated Jesus from God. It was a dark time for the disciples.

**P: We go now in sorrow, yet we know that Sunday's coming.**

L: I invite you to sit and pray quietly or to depart now in silence. Amen.

\*DEPARTING MUSIC

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**April 15: Prayer Vigil**

6:00 am-6:00 pm

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7:30a Sunrise Worship

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