

Order of Worship

Good Friday - A Service of Tenebrae

March 29, 2024 7:00 PM

Welcome to this time of worship, as we gather in the name of Jesus Christ.
Please fill out the red attendance pad located at the end of each pew.

** At this sign you are invited to rise in body or spirit.*

Prelude

When Jesus Wept

Lisa Gibbs-Smith, piano

William Billings
arr. Larry Shackley

*When Jesus wept, the falling tear in mercy flowed beyond all bound;
When Jesus groaned, a trembling fear seized all the guilty world around.*

Welcome

Rev. Nilse Furtado-Gilliam

Greeting

Leader: We gather this night with hearts full of sorrow,

People: yet proclaiming our hope in Christ.

Leader: We gather in remembrance of Christ's suffering,

People: and find strength in his courage.

Leader: We gather to contemplate and reflect,

People: and our faith and confidence in Christ are made sure.

Hymn

What Wondrous Love Is This

UMH 292

Opening Prayer

Leader: God of comfort and love, be with us amidst our sorrow.
Draw us near to your love,
for we live in a world full of hate and anger.

**People: Grant us the courage, mighty God,
to endure the trials of this life.
Grant us the faith to embrace hope,
even in moments of despair.**

Leader: Sing your Spirit into our lives,
that we may sing your praises,
even on this night of deep grief.

People: Amen.

THE PASSION OF JESUS CHRIST

Reading 1		John 18:1-11
Hymn	Go to Dark Gethsemane	UMH 290
	Verse 1	
Reading 2		John 18:12-14
Reading 3		John 18:15-18
Hymn	Lord, Is It I?	W&S 3080
	Verse 1	
Reading 4		John 18:19-24
Hymn	Ah, Holy Jesus	arr. Jason W. Krug
	Fran Underwood, handbells; Lisa Gibbs-Smith, piano	HERZLIEBSTER JESU
Reading 5		John 18:25-27
Reading 6		John 18:28-32
Hymn	Lamb of God	TFWS 2113
	Verse 1	
Reading 7		John 18:33-38a
Reading 8		John 18:38b-40
Hymn	Lord, Is It I?	W&S 3080
	Verse 3	
Reading 9		John 19:1-11
Hymn	O Sacred Head, Now Wounded	UMH 286
	Verses 1 & 2	
Reading 10		John 19:12-16a
Reading 11		John 19:16b-22
Hymn	O Love Divine, What Hast Thou Done!	UMH 287
	Verses 1 & 3	
Reading 12		John 19:23-24a
Reading 13		John 19:25-27
Reading 14		John 19:28-30
Hymn	Were You There	UMH 288
	Verses 1 & 2	

Reading 15

John 19:31-37

Reading 16

John 19:38-42

Silence. The room remains darkened with only illumination necessary for safety

Dismissal

Rev. Wines

Go in peace. May Jesus Christ, who for our sake became obedient unto death, even death on a cross, keep you and strengthen you this night and forever. Amen.

Depart in silence.

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