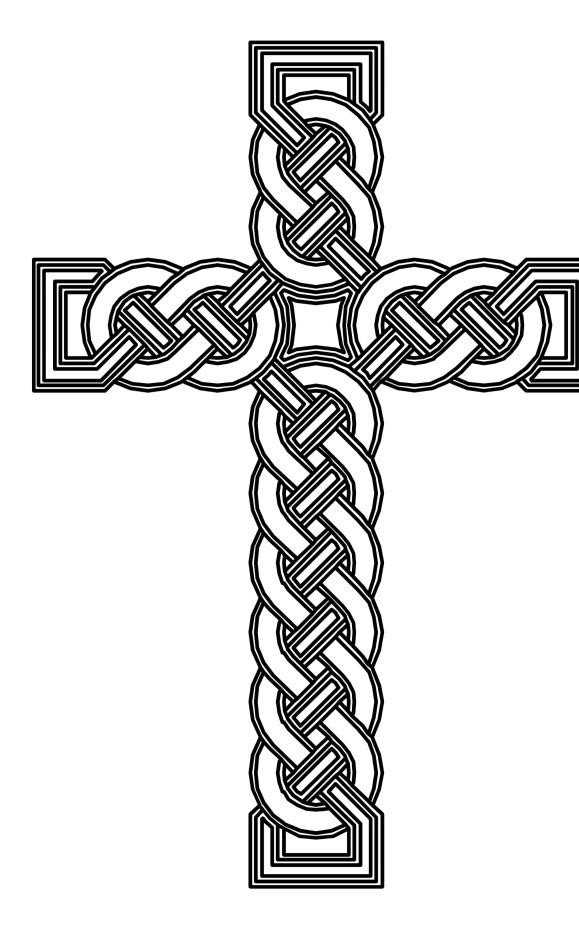


GOOD FRIDAY





Good Friday | Service of Tenebrae

The music and text for hymns follow the Order of Worship.

Prelude Ah, Holy Jesus Herzliebster Jesu

Welcome and Opening Prayer Rev. Lauren Efird

Hymn (vv. 1, 3, and 4) When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Meditation on the Cross Rev. Wesley Spears-Newsome

Leader: ... you have prepared a cross for your Savior

People: Holy God, holy and strong, holy immortal one, have mercy on us.

Hymn How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Celebration of Communion Rev. Efird

Prayer of Confession: Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be obedient disciples. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we've not loved our neighbors, and we've not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us for what we have done and for what we've left undone, and free us for joyful obedience through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Mystery of Faith: Christ has died, Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

The Stripping of the Altar O Sorrow Deep

O sorrow deep!
Who would not weep
with heartfelt pain and sighing!
God the Father's only Son
in the tomb is lying.

The Paschal Lamb,
like Isaac's ram,
in blood was offered for us,
pouring out his life
that he might to life restore us.

Blest shall they be eternally who ponder in their weeping that the glorious prince of life should in death be sleeping,

David Hurd

O Jesus blest, my help and rest, with tears I pray thee, hear me: now, and even unto death, dearest Lord, be near me.

Lesson I Hymn (v. 1)	The Arrest	Rev. Efird What Wondrous Love Is This
Lesson II Hymn (v. 1)	The Denial	Rev. Spears-Newsome O Sacred Head, Now Wounded
Lesson III Hymn (v. 2)	The Trial	Rev. Efird What Wondrous Love Is This
Lesson IV Hymn (v. 2)	The Sentencing	Rev. Spears-Newsome O Sacred Head, Now Wounded
Lesson V Hymn (v. 3)	The Crucifixion	Rev. Efird What Wondrous Love Is This
Lesson VI Hymn (v. 3)	The Death	Rev. Spears-Newsome O Sacred Head, Now Wounded
Lesson VII	The Burial	Rev. Efird
Response	Were You There Soloist: BJ Facemire	arr. Alice Parker/Robert Shaw

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?
Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?
Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they nailed him to the tree?

Were you there when they pierced him in the side?
Were you there when they pierced him in the side?
Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they pierced him in the side?

Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?



