

TREORE SERVICE
THE SEVEN LAST WORDS OF CHRIST

Good Friday, March 29, 2024

12:00 - 3:00pm

✠ In Nomine Jesu ✠

Stand

P In the Name of the Father and of the ✠ Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C Amen.

P Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your unfailing love; according to Your great compassion blot out my transgressions.

C Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.

P For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.

C Against You, You only, have I sinned and done what is evil in Your sight, so that You are proved right when You speak and justified when You judge.

P Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

C Do not cast me from Your presence or take Your Holy Spirit from me.

P Restore to me the joy of Your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

C Then I will teach transgressors Your ways, and sinners will turn back to You.

Sit

12:00 pm—The First Word

“Father, forgive them”

Hymn LSB 440 “Jesus, I Will Ponder Now”

Psalm 6 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *John 19:14-16a; Mark 15:21; Luke 23:27-34*

Meditation on First Word Rev. Mark Maas

Hymn LSB 447 (v.1-3) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

Sit

For your meditation during the break.

Isaiah 52:13–15 (ESV)

¹³ Behold, my servant shall act wisely; he shall be high and lifted up, and shall be exalted. ¹⁴ As many were astonished at you— his appearance was so marred, beyond human semblance, and his form beyond that of the children of mankind— ¹⁵ so shall he sprinkle many nations. Kings shall shut their mouths because of him, for that which has not been told them they see, and that which they have not heard they understand.

12:25 pm—The Second Word

“Today you will be with Me in Paradise”

Hymn LSB 453 “Upon the Cross Extended”

Psalm 32 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *John 19:19-24; Matthew 27:36; Luke 23:35-43*

Meditation on Second Word Rev. Marcus Baikie

Hymn LSB 447 (v.4-6) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

Sit

For your meditation during the break.

Isaiah 53:1–4 (ESV)

¹ Who has believed what he has heard from us? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed? ² For he grew up before him like a young plant, and like a root out of dry ground; he had no form or majesty that we should look at him, and no beauty that we should desire him. ³ He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not. ⁴ Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.

12:50 pm—The Third Word

“Woman, behold your son”

Hymn LSB 439 (v. 1-5) “O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken”

Psalm 38 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *John 19:25-27*

Meditation on Third Word Rev. Joshua Scheer

Hymn LSB 447 (v. 7-9) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

Sit

For your meditation during the break.

Isaiah 53:5–9 (ESV)

⁵ But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed. ⁶ All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. ⁷ He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he opened not his mouth. ⁸ By oppression and judgment he was taken away; and as for his generation, who considered that he was cut off out of the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people? ⁹ And they made his grave with the wicked and with a rich man in his death, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.

1:15 pm—The Fourth Word

“My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?”

Hymn LSB 450 “O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”

Psalm 22:1-11 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *Matthew 27:45-47*

Meditation on Fourth Word Rev. Marcus Baikie

Hymn LSB 447 (v.10-12) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

Sit

For your meditation during the break.

Isaiah 53:10–12 (ESV)

¹⁰ Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him; he has put him to grief; when his soul makes an offering for guilt, he shall see his offspring; he shall prolong his days; the will of the LORD shall prosper in his hand. ¹¹

Out of the anguish of his soul he shall see and be satisfied; by his knowledge shall the righteous one, my servant, make many to be accounted righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities. ¹² Therefore I will divide him a portion with the many, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong, because he poured out his soul to death and was numbered with the transgressors; yet he bore the sin of many, and makes intercession for the transgressors.

1:40 pm—The Fifth Word

“I thirst”

Hymn LSB 451 “Stricken, Smitten, and Afflicted”

Psalm 102:1-13 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *John 19:28-29*

Meditation on Fifth Word Rev. Joshua Scheer

Hymn LSB 447 (v.13-15) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

Sit

For your meditation during the break.

Romans 3:21–26 (ESV)

²¹ But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— ²² the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: ²³ for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, ²⁴ and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, ²⁵ whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God’s righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. ²⁶ It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

2:05 pm—The Sixth Word

“It is finished.”

Hymn LSB 452 “O Perfect Life of Love ”

Psalm 130 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *John 19:30*

Meditation on Sixth Word Rev. Harold Hintzman

Hymn LSB 447 (v.16-18) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

Sit

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John 1:29 (ESV)

²⁹ The next day he [John the Baptizer] saw Jesus coming toward him, and said, “Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!

1 Peter 2:19–25 (ESV)

This is a gracious thing, when, mindful of God, one endures sorrows while suffering unjustly. For what credit is it if, when you sin and are beaten for it, you endure? But if when you do good and suffer for it you endure, this is a gracious thing in the sight of God. For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in his steps. He committed no sin, neither was deceit found in his mouth. When he was reviled, he did not revile in return; when he suffered, he did not threaten, but continued entrusting himself to him who judges justly. He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, that we might die to sin and live to righteousness. By his wounds you have been healed. For you were straying like sheep, but have now returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

2:30 pm—The Seventh Word

“Father, into Your hands I commit My Spirit”

Hymn LSB 420 “Christ, the Life of All the Living”

Psalm 143 (responsively by whole verse, omitting the Gloria Patri)

Lesson *Luke 23:46; Matthew 27:51-54*

Meditation on Seventh Word Rev. Marcus Baikie

Hymn LSB 447 (v.19-21) “Jesus, in Your Dying Woes”

Stand

Collect

THE LORD’S PRAYER

ALL: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be 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; lead
us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and
the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.

Depart in peace