

Message Three Trees, Three Crosses Rev. Cal VanderMey
 Luke 23:32-49

Hymn 311 Halleluiah, What a Savior! vs. 1-4

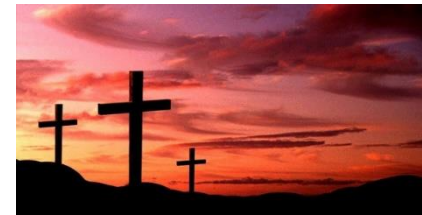
Communion

Hymn 311 Halleluiah, What a Savior! vs. 5

Benediction

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

April 6, 2023 at 6:30 PM



Looking Ahead

Easter Sunrise service 7:30 AM

Easter Breakfast 8:15-9:30 AM (Pizza Amore)

Easter Main Service 9:30 AM (with choir singing)

MINISTRY OF MISSION

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Order of Worship

Isaiah 53:2-7

²For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, and as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; and when we see Him, *there is* no beauty that we should desire Him.³ He is despised and rejected by men, A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief, and we hid, as it were, *our* faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.⁴ Surely He has borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted.⁵ But He *was* wounded for our transgressions, *He was* bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace *was* upon Him, and by His stripes 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; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, so He opened not His mouth.

Hymn 320 Beneath the Cross of Jesus vs. 3

Mark 14:32-36

³² Then they came to a place which was named Gethsemane; and He said to His disciples, “Sit here while I pray.”³³ And He took Peter, James, and John with Him, and He began to be troubled and deeply distressed.³⁴ Then He said to them, “My soul is exceedingly sorrowful, *even* to death. Stay here and watch.”³⁵ He went a little farther, and fell on the ground, and prayed that if it were possible, the hour might pass from Him.³⁶ And He said, “Abba, Father, all things *are* possible for You. Take this cup away from Me; nevertheless, not what I will, but what You *will*.”

Hymn 327 The Old Rugged Cross vs. 1 & 2

Matthew 27: 27-31

²⁷ Then the soldiers of the governor took Jesus into the Praetorium and gathered the whole garrison around Him.²⁸ And they stripped Him and put a scarlet robe on Him.²⁹ When they had twisted a crown of thorns, they put *it* on His head, and a reed in His right hand. And they bowed the knee before Him and mocked Him, saying, “Hail, King of the Jews!”³⁰ Then they spat on Him, and took the reed and struck Him on the head.³¹ And when they had mocked Him, they took the robe off Him, put His *own* clothes on Him, and led Him away to be crucified.

Hymn 316 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded vs. 1

John 19:16-17

¹⁶ Then he delivered Him to them to be crucified. Then they took Jesus and led *Him* away.¹⁷ And He, bearing His cross, went out to a place called *the Place* of a Skull, which is called in Hebrew, Golgotha.

Matthew 27:32

³² Now as they came out, they found a man of Cyrene, Simon by name. Him they compelled to bear His cross.

Hymn 317 O Mighty Cross vs. 1, 2 & 3

Matthew 27:33-36

³³ And when they had come to a place called Golgotha, that is to say, Place of a Skull,³⁴ they gave Him sour wine mingled with gall to drink. But when He had tasted *it*, He would not drink.³⁵ Then they crucified Him, and divided His garments, casting lots, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet: “They divided My garments among them, and for My clothing they cast lots.”³⁶ Sitting down, they kept watch over Him there.

John 19:28-30²⁸ After this, Jesus, knowing that all things were now accomplished, that the Scripture might be fulfilled, said, “I thirst!”²⁹ Now a vessel full of sour wine was sitting there; and they filled a sponge with sour wine, put *it* on hyssop, and put *it* to His mouth.³⁰ So when Jesus had received the sour wine, He said, “It is finished!” And bowing His head, He gave up His spirit.

Matthew 27:37-44

³⁷ And they put up over His head the accusation written against Him:

THIS IS JESUS THE KING OF THE JEWS.

³⁸ Then two robbers were crucified with Him, one on the right and another on the left.³⁹ And those who passed by blasphemed Him, wagging their heads⁴⁰ and saying, “You who destroy the temple and build *it* in three days, save Yourself! If You are the Son of God, come down from the cross.”

⁴¹ Likewise the chief priests also, mocking with the scribes and elders, said,⁴² “He saved others; Himself He cannot save. If He is the King of Israel, let Him now come down from the cross, and we will believe Him.”⁴³ He trusted in God; let Him deliver Him now if He will have Him; for He said, ‘I am the Son of God.’”⁴⁴ Even the robbers who were crucified with Him reviled Him with the same thing.

Hymn 315 Were You There? vs 1, 2 & 3