

**GLORIA DE CRISTO LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
**"A COMMUNITY CHURCH IN THE FOOTHILLS"**

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*WE ARE A STEPHEN MINISTRY & CHRISTCARE CONGREGATION*

**Good Friday**  
**April 19, 2019**  
**6:00 p.m.**



We welcome you to the worship of this community of faith. As we sing, pray and study God's word together may we strengthen each other's faith in the saving power of Jesus Christ. It is difficult to be a Christian by yourself.

## A Tenebrae Service For Good Friday

### SILENT PROCESSION OF THE CROSS

*P In the name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.*

**C Amen.**

*P O God, for our redemption you gave your only Son to suffer death on the cross, and by his glorious resurrection you delivered us from the power of death.*

**C *Make us die every day to sin so that we may rise to live with Christ forever; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.***

### HYMN

*"Ah, Holy Jesus"*

ELW 349 vs. 1-3

### PRAYER OF THE DAY

**P** *Merciful God, your Son was lifted up on a cross to draw all people to himself. Grant that we who have been born out of his wounded side may at all times find mercy in him, Jesus Christ our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.*

**C Amen**

*P Blessed is Jesus,*

**C Righteousness, betrayed for me**

*The Good Friday Narrative*

*Verses sung to "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"*

***O sacred head now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down,  
Now scornfully surrounded with thorns thine only crown;  
O sacred head, what glory, what bliss till now was thine!  
Yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call thee mine.***

P *Blessed is Jesus*

C **Righteousness, forsaken for me.**

***The Good Friday Narrative***

*Verses sung to "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"*

***How art thou pale with anguish, with sore abuse and scorn;  
How does that visage languish which once was bright as morn,  
Thy grief and bitter passion were all for sinners' gain;  
Mine, mine was the transgression, but thine the deadly pain.***

P *Blessed is Jesus*

C **Righteousness, condemned for me.**

***The Good Friday Narrative***

**CHOIR ANTHEM**

*"He Never Said a Mumbalin Word"*

P *Blessed is Jesus,*

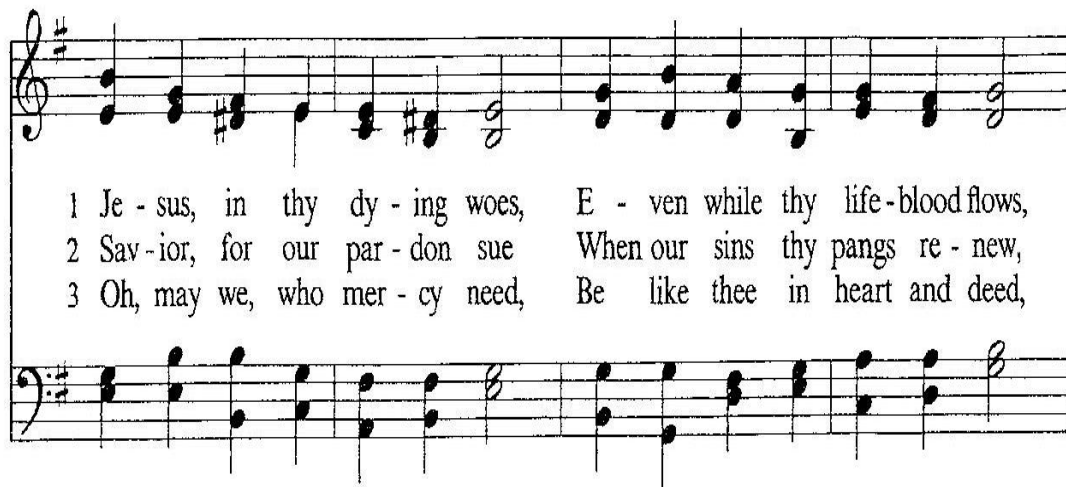
C **Righteousness, crucified for me.**

**The Good Friday Narrative**  
Verses to be sung to "Jesus, In Thy Dying Woes"

— The First Word—the first candle is extinguished (versus 1-3)

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# Jesus, in Thy Dying Woes



1 Je - sus, in thy dy - ing woes, E - ven while thy life - blood flows,  
2 Sav - ior, for our par - don sue When our sins thy pangs re - new,  
3 Oh, may we, who mer - cy need, Be like thee in heart and deed,



Crav - ing par - don for thy foes:  
For we know not what we do: Hear us, ho - ly Je - sus.  
When with wrong our spir - its bleed:

*Another setting of this tune is at 113.*

-- The Second Word—the second candle is extinguished

**Part II**

4 Jesus, pitying the sighs  
Of the thief, who near thee dies,  
Promising him paradise:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

5 May we in our guilt and shame  
Still thy love and mercy claim,  
Calling humbly on thy name:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

6 May our hearts to thee incline,  
Looking from our cross to thine.  
Cheer our souls with hope divine:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

— The Third Word—the third candle is extinguished

**Part III**

7 Jesus, loving to the end  
Her whose heart thy sorrows rend,  
And thy dearest human friend:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

8 May we in thy sorrows share,  
For thy sake all peril dare,  
And enjoy thy tender care:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

9 May we all thy loved ones be,  
All one holy family,  
Loving for the love of thee:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

— The Fourth Word—the fourth candle is extinguished

**Part IV**

10 Jesus, whelmed in fears unknown,  
With our evil left alone,  
While no light from heav'n is shown:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

11 When we seem in vain to pray  
And our hope seems far away,  
In the darkness be our stay:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

12 Though no Father seem to hear,  
Though no light our spirits cheer,  
May we know that God is near:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

— The Fifth Word—the fifth candle is extinguished

**Part V**

13 Jesus, in thy thirst and pain,  
While thy wounds thy lifeblood drain,  
Thirsting more our love to gain:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

14 Thirst for us in mercy still;  
All thy holy work fulfill;  
Satisfy thy loving will:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

15 May we thirst thy love to know;  
Lead us in our sin and woe  
Where the healing waters flow:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

—The Sixth Word—the sixth candle is extinguished

**Part VI**

16 Jesus, all our ransom paid,  
All thy Father's will obeyed;  
By thy sufferings perfect made:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

17 Save us in our soul's distress;  
Be our help to cheer and bless,  
While we grow in holiness:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

18 Brighten all our heav'nward way  
With an ever holier ray  
Till we pass to perfect day:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

— The Seventh Word—the Christ Candle is carried out, in hope still burning

**Part VII**

19 Jesus, all thy labor vast,  
All thy woe and conflict past;  
Yielding up thy soul at last:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

20 When the death shades round us low'r,  
Guard us from the tempter's pow'r,  
Keep us in that trial hour:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

21 May thy life and death supply  
Grace to live and grace to die,  
Grace to reach the home on high:  
Hear us, holy Jesus.

P Blessed is Jesus,  
C **Righteousness, buried for me.**

### *The Good Friday Narrative*

**THE STREPITUS IS HEARD** (closing of the tomb)

--Closing--

P *Blessed is Jesus, who was persecuted because of righteousness,*  
C **For He has obtained the kingdom of heaven for me.**

P *Blessed is Jesus, insulted for us, persecuted for us and falsely accused of  
all kinds of evil that we might be saved.*  
C **Rejoice and be glad! Because of His suffering the kingdom of  
heaven is mine!**



## CLOSING HYMN (verse 1)

### In the Hour of Trial

The musical score is written in 4/4 time on a single treble clef staff. It consists of three lines of music. The first line starts with a common time signature (C) and contains the lyrics: "In the hour of tri - al Je - sus, plead for me, lest by base de - ni - al". The second line starts with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and contains the lyrics: "I de - part from thee. When thou seest me wa - ver, with a look re -". The third line contains the lyrics: "call \_\_\_\_\_ nor from fear or fa - vor suf - fer me to fall." The music is a simple, hymn-like melody with a mix of quarter and eighth notes.

In the hour of tri - al Je - sus, plead for me, lest by base de - ni - al

7  
I de - part from thee. When thou seest me wa - ver, with a look re -

12  
call \_\_\_\_\_ nor from fear or fa - vor suf - fer me to fall.

**The Lord's Prayer is whispered**

**Silent recession of the cross**

*There is no Benediction or organ postlude. You may remain in the Sanctuary for silent prayer. Please keep silence until you have left the Narthex.*

**WORSHIP ASSISTANTS:** Ushers – Dyanne Radke & Chris Randby  
Greeters – Sandra Weidling & Joyce Hoeft  
Readers – Pastor Bill, Jerry Grill & Jeanie Volpe

There will be no Worship Services on Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup>

**Easter Sunday Worship will be: 7:00 a.m. & 9:30 a.m.**

WELCA will host an Easter Breakfast at 8:00 a.m.

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**PLEASE NO PERFUME/COLOGNE...** Perfume and cologne can trigger life-threatening breathing emergencies in persons with asthma, allergies and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)? Hospitals and schools are becoming 'scent-free' due to this increasing health hazard. **Please be sensitive to this concern when coming to church and refrain from using it.** Thank You.

**ATTENDANCE SLIPS...** Please fill out the colored attendance slips found in the pew box each Sunday you attend worship. This is the way we track attendance for the church records. Thank You for your help!

**LITTLE FOLKS..** Parents... please remember that there are 'busy bags' hanging on the coat tree in the Narthex to occupy the little ones during worship. Simply return them to the tree on your way out of church.

**NURSERY..** The nursery is available during the 9:30 a.m. worship. The nursery is located next to the office.

**BE COMFORTABLE..** There are shawls in the Narthex that you can use if chilled during worship. Just ask one of the ushers and they will get you one. Simply return to the narthex on your way out of the church.

**HEARING DEVICES..** Hearing assist devices are available at the sound booth. The wheel at the top adjusts the volume. When turned on, the light on top should be green. If it is red, please place the device on the counter in the sound booth and take another. Thank you!

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