



# GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP

April 10, 2020

Second Presbyterian Church  
Louisville, Kentucky

## Music for Reflection

*I Saw the Cross of Jesus*  
Paula Roberts, piano

arr. Howard Helvey

*I saw the cross of Jesus, when burdened with my sin;  
I sought the cross of Jesus, to give me peace within;  
I brought my soul to Jesus, He cleansed it in His blood;  
and in the cross of Jesus I found my peace with God.*

## Silent Reflection

## Introit

*What Wondrous Love Is This?*  
Christina Recktenwald, soprano

WONDROUS LOVE

## Invitation to Worship *(based on John 18)*

Rev. Nathan Sautter and Teresa Larson

## Congregational Hymn

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

HAMBURG

**When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died,  
My richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.  
Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast save in the death of Christ, my God;  
All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood.**

## Call to Confession

Rev. Steve Jester

## Prayer of Confession

We come to you, Jesus, burdened with our own sin:  
Our own calls for revenge and violence,  
which may or may not have included the words, "Crucify, crucify!"  
Our own betrayals, with or without the thirty pieces of silver.  
Our own denials, whether or not we have heard the cock crowing.  
You know the sins we carry, secretly or openly,  
the way they crush us, the weight of them.  
We bring these to your cross asking for your forgiveness.  
Hear our prayer, Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy.  
*(Time for silent prayer.)*

## Assurance of Forgiveness

# TENEBRAE

## Garden of Gethsemane

Scripture: Mark 14:32-42  
Solo - Ricky Case, tenor

Teresa Larson  
EVENTIDE

Abide with me, fast falls the eventide. The darkness deepens: Lord, with me abide.  
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee, help of the helpless, Lord, abide with me.

Prayer in Silence

## The Betrayal

Scripture: Mark 14:43-50  
Solo - Krista Heckmann, mezzo-soprano

Jordan Akin  
LOVE UNKNOWN

My song is love unknown, my Savior's love to me,  
Love to the loveless shown that they might lovely be.  
O who am I that for my sake my Lord should take frail flesh, and die?

Prayer in Silence

## Trial Before the Religious Authorities

Scripture: Matthew 26:57-66  
**Congregational Hymn**

Rev. Steve Jester  
WONDROUS LOVE

**When I was sinking down, sinking down, sinking down;  
When I was sinking down, O my soul.  
When I was sinking down, Christ in my place was bound,  
And laid aside his crown for my soul, for my soul,  
And laid aside his crown for my soul.**

Prayer in Silence

## Condemnation Before Pilate

Scripture: Luke 23:13-25  
Solo - Russ Dunlap, baritone

Rev. Nathan Sautter  
LOVE UNKNOWN

Why, what hath my Lord done? What makes this rage and spite?  
He made the lame to run, he gave the blind their sight.  
Sweet injuries! Yet they at these themselves displease and 'gainst him rise.

Prayer in Silence

## Via Dolorosa

Scripture: Mark 15:16-21  
Solo - Kenneth Oeth, tenor

Jordan Akin  
CRUCIFIXION

*They crucified my Lord, and he never said a mumbalin' word;  
They crucified my Lord, and he never said a mumbalin' word. Not a word, not a word, not a word.*

Prayer in Silence

## Jesus Nailed to the Cross

Scripture: Mark 15:22-32  
**Congregational Hymn**

Teresa Larson  
CRUCIFIXION

**They nailed him to a tree, and he never said a mumbalin' word;  
They nailed him to a tree, and he never said a mumbalin' word.  
Not a word, not a word, not a word.**

Prayer in Silence

## The Death of Jesus

Scripture: John 19:25b-27; Mark 15:33-39  
Duet - Laura Atkinson, mezzo soprano and Jason Steigerwalt, baritone

Rev. Nathan Sautter  
PASSION CHORALE

*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 til now was thine!  
Yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call thee mine.*

*What language shall I borrow to thank thee, dearest friend,  
For this thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end?  
O make me thine forever; and should I fainting be,  
Lord, let me never, never outlive my love for thee.*

Prayer in Silence

## Jesus Is Taken Down from the Cross

Scripture: John 19:31-42  
**Congregational Hymn**

Rev. Steve Jester  
WERE YOU THERE

Jim Rittenhouse, soloist, stanza 1; Congregation sings 2, 3

*(1) 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?*

**(2) Were you there when they nailed him to the tree...  
(3) Were you there when they laid him in a tomb.**

## **Worship Personnel**

Rev. Steve Jester, Pastor/Head of Staff

Rev. Nathan Sautter, Assoc. Pastor for Community Life

Jordan Akin, Assoc. Pastor for Youth

Teresa Larson, Seminary Intern

Jim Rittenhouse, Director of Music Ministries, soloist

Paula Roberts, Organist, pianist

Octet of the Sanctuary Choir (in order): Christina Recktenwald, Ricky Case, Krista Heckmann, Russ Dunlap, Kenneth Oeth, Laura Atkinson and Jason Steigerwalt

Virginia Fortner, Worship and Music Assistant, pianist

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