



# GOOD FRIDAY

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## † DIVINE SERVICE †

*Due to the solemn nature of the day, the opening hymn is omitted. All enter in silence.*

### **SALUTATION and COLLECT OF THE DAY**

P Let us pray. Almighty God, graciously behold this Your family for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed and delivered into the hands of sinful men to suffer death upon the cross; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C **Amen.**

### **OLD TESTAMENT**

*Isaiah 52:13-53:12*

(The Lord's servant will suffer)

*After the reading:*

L This is the Word of the Lord.

C **Thanks be to God.**

### **EPISTLE**

*Hebrews 4:14-16, 5:7-9*

(Jesus is the Great High Priest)

*After the reading:*

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C **Thanks be to God.**

### **ANTHEM**

"Lamb of God"

(Allen Pote)

*Helen Kiepke, vocalist*

## HOLY GOSPEL

*John 18:1-19:42*

- P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, chapters eighteen and nineteen.  
C **Glory to You, O Lord.**

<b>READING</b>	John 18:1-11 (The betrayal and arrest of Jesus)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 1</i> )
<b>READING</b>	John 18:12-27 (Jesus before the High Priest)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 2</i> )
<b>READING</b>	John 18:28-40 (Jesus before Pilate)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 3</i> )
<b>READING</b>	John 19:1-16a (Jesus prepared for crucifixion)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 4</i> )
<b>READING</b>	John 19:16b-24 (The crucifixion of Jesus)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 5</i> )
<b>READING</b>	John 19:25-30 (Jesus’ mother and his death)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 6</i> )
<b>READING</b>	John 19:31-42 (Jesus’ side is pierced)
<b>HYMN</b>	“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” ( <i>LSB 450, st. 7</i> )

*After the reading:*

- P This is the Gospel of the Lord.  
C **Praise to You, O Christ.**

## RESPONSE

- P Behold, the life-giving cross on which was hung the salvation of the world.  
C **O come, let us worship Him.**
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## ANTHEM

“Son of the World” (Adrian Snell, arr. Roger Emerson)  
*Helen Kiepke, vocalist*

**APOSTLES' CREED***Inside back cover of the Lutheran Service Book***BIDDING PRAYER**

- P Let us pray for the whole Christian Church, that our Lord God would defend her against all the assaults and temptations of the adversary and keep her perpetually on the true foundation, Jesus Christ:
- P Almighty and everlasting God, since You have revealed Your glory to all nations in Jesus Christ and in the Word of His truth, keep, we ask You, in safety the works of Your mercy so that Your Church, spread throughout all the nations, may be defended against the adversary and may serve You in true faith and persevere in the confession of Your name; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C **Amen.**
- P Let us pray for all the ministers of the Word, for all vocations in the Church, and for all the people of God:
- P Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified, receive the supplications and prayers which we offer before You for all Your servants in Your holy Church that every member of the same may truly serve You according to Your calling; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C **Amen.**
- P Let us pray for all in authority that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty:
- P O merciful Father in heaven, because You hold in Your hand all the might of man and because You have ordained, for the punishment of evildoers and for the praise of those who do well, all the powers that exist in all the nations of the world, we humbly pray You graciously to regard Your servants, especially Donald, our president; the Congress of the United States; Kristi, our governor; and all those who make, administer, and judge our laws; that all who receive the sword as Your ministers may bear it according to Your Word; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.
- C **Amen.**
- P Let us pray to our Lord God Almighty that He would deliver the world from all error, take away disease, ward off famine, set free those in bondage, and grant health to the sick and a safe journey to all who travel:
- P Almighty and everlasting God, the consolation of the sorrowful and the strength of the weak, may the prayers of those who in any tribulation or distress cry to You graciously come before

You, so that in all their necessities they may rejoice in Your manifold help and comfort; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

P Let us pray for all who are outside the Church, that our Lord God would be pleased to deliver them from their error, call them to faith in the true and living God and His only Son, Jesus Christ, our Lord, and gather them into His family, the Church:

P Almighty and everlasting God, because You seek not the death but the life of all, hear our prayers for all who have no right knowledge of You, free them from their error, and for the glory of Your name bring them into the fellowship of Your holy Church; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

P Let us pray for peace, that we may come to the knowledge of God's holy Word and walk before Him as is fitting for Christians:

P Almighty and everlasting God, King of Glory, and Lord of heaven and earth, by whose Spirit all things are governed, by whose providence all things are ordered, the God of peace and the author of all concord, grant us, we implore You, Your heavenly peace and concord that we may serve You in true fear, to the praise and glory of Your name; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

P Let us pray for our enemies, that God would remember them in mercy and graciously grant them such things as are both needful for them and profitable for their salvation:

P O almighty, everlasting God, through Your only Son, our blessed Lord, You have commanded us to love our enemies, to do good to those who hate us, and to pray for those who persecute us. We therefore earnestly implore You that by Your gracious visitation all our enemies may be led to true repentance and may have the same love and be of one accord and one mind and heart with us and with Your whole Christian Church; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

P Let us pray for the fruits of the earth, that God would send down His blessing upon them and graciously dispose our hearts to enjoy them according to His own good will:

P O Lord, Father Almighty, by Your Word You created and You continue to bless and uphold all things. We pray You so to reveal to us Your Word, our Lord Jesus Christ, that through His dwelling in our hearts, we may by Your grace be made ready to receive Your blessing on all the fruits of the earth and whatsoever pertains to our bodily need; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C **Amen.**

P Finally, let us pray for all things for which our Lord would have us ask, saying:

C **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; and 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.**

**HYMN**

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

(LSB 425)

*The pastors leave in silence.*

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