

L: You led us on our way in a pillar of cloud and fire, but we led you to the judgment hall of Pilate; You guided us by the light of the Holy Spirit,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You planted us as your fairest vineyard, but we brought forth bitter fruit; you made us branches of the vine and never left our side,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You poured out saving water from the rock, but we gave you vinegar to drink; you poured out your life and gave us the new covenant in your blood,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You gave us a royal scepter, but we gave me a crown of thorns; you gave us the kingdom and crowned us with eternal life,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You struck down our enemies, but we struck your head with a reed; you gave us your peace, but we draw the sword in your name,

P: and we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You opened the waters to lead us to the promised land, but we opened your side with a spear; you washed our feet as a sign of your love,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You lifted us up to the heights, but we lifted you high on the cross; you raised us from death and prepared for us the tree of life,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You grafted us into your people Israel, but we made them scapegoats for our own guilt,

P: and we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: You were hungry and we gave you no food, thirsty and we gave you no drink, a stranger and we did not welcome you, naked and we did not clothe you, sick and in prison and we did not visit you,

P: and we have made a cross for our Savior.

ALL: GOD HAVE MERCY UPON US.

Anthem

"They Crucified My Lord"
Handbell Choir & Chancel Choir
Christopher Arceo, soloist & Brady Wassom, timpani

Michael Burkhardt



By Osnat Tzadok

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Good Friday

March 29, 2024

* The congregation is invited to rise.

Prelude
Welcome Paul Mortimore

* Responsive Reading (Isaiah 53:1-6) Ken Manno

Leader: Who has believed what we have heard? And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?

People: 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, nothing in his appearance that we should desire him.

L: He was despised and rejected by others; a man of suffering and acquainted with infirmity, and as one from whom others hide their faces he was despised, and we held him of no account.

P: Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases, yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted.

L: But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed.

P: All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Anthem "Give Me Jesus" Tom Fettke
Chanel Choir
Christopher Arceo, soloist

Opening Prayer

Scripture Reading John 18:1-12 Jane Butler

Hymn No. 220 "Go to Dark Gethsemane" v.1

Scripture Reading John 18:15-27 Katherine Allen

Hymn No. 220 "Go to Dark Gethsemane" v.2

Scripture Reading John 18:28-19:16a Richard Page

Hymn No. 220 "Go to Dark Gethsemane" v.3

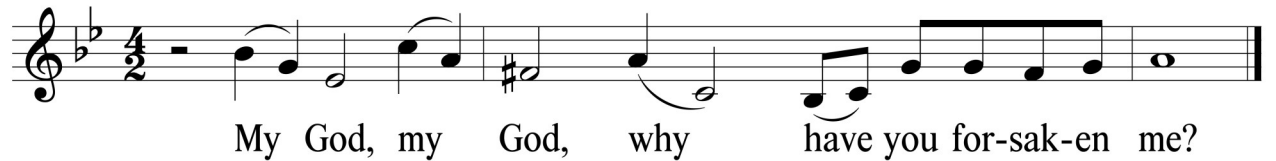
Scripture Reading John 19:16b-30 Sharon Manno

Hymn No. 220 "Go to Dark Gethsemane" v.4

Scripture Reading John 19:31-42 Richard Bryant

Psalm Psalm 22:1-11; 23-28 Mark Mummert
(The congregation sings the refrain and the choir sings the verses.)

Refrain



Offering

Prayer of Dedication Paul Mortimore

Prayer of Intercession Paul Mortimore

*Lord's Prayer

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Hymn No. 218 "Ah, Holy Jesus"

*Solemn Reproaches of the Cross Paul Mortimore

Leader: O my people, O my church, what more could I have done for you? Answer me! You led us out of slavery into freedom, and delivered us through the waters of rebirth,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.

L: Forty years you led us through the desert, feeding us with manna on the way; You saved us from the time of trial and gave us your body, the bread of heaven,

P: but we have made a cross for our Savior. God have mercy upon us.