

## Good Friday

March 25, 2016 ~ 12 noon

First Reformed Church of Schenectady

*All gather in silence to continue the worship begun on Maundy Thursday.*

## SENTENCES

\*HYMN

*What Wondrous Love Is This?*

#85, stanza 1

## RESPONSIVE PRAYER OF ADORATION AND CONFESSION

O crucified Jesus, Son of the Father, conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary, eternal Word of God,  
**we worship you.**

O crucified Jesus, holy temple of God, dwelling place of the Most High, gate of  
heaven, burning flame of love,  
**we worship you.**

O crucified Jesus, ruler of hearts, in you are all the treasures of wisdom and  
knowledge, in you dwells all the fullness of the Godhead,  
**we worship you.**

Jesus, Lamb of God,  
**have mercy on us.**

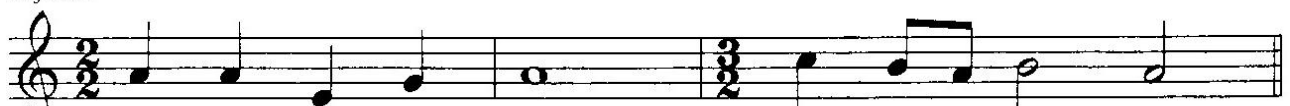
Jesus, bearer of our sins,  
**have mercy on us.**

Jesus, redeemer of the world,  
**grant us your peace. Amen.**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON *Isaiah 52:13-53:9*

PSALTER LESSON *Psalm 22 (congregation joining cantor on refrain)*

Refrain Hal H. Hopson



Lord, you are my strength, has - ten to help me.

## PROCLAMATION INTRODUCTION

### GOSPEL PROCLAMATION

*Luke 22:14-38*

Hymn

*If Thou but Trust in God to Guide Thee*

#282

*Luke 22:39-53*

Choral Refrain

*Wonder and Stare*

*Luke 22:54-23:27*

Prayerful Contemplation

*Luke 23:28-46*

Tolling of Bell (*those wishing to kneel in reverence may do so*)

*Luke 23:47-56*

Instrumental and Choral Offering

*Were You There*

### INTERCESSIONS FOR THE WORLD

#### THE 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.**

*The service concludes with the words of commitment sung in our final hymn. Worshipers are invited to remain in the sanctuary for reflection and prayer as long as desired; when departing, please do so quietly.*

*Continued contemplation on the life, death, and burial of our Lord are especially fitting today and Holy Saturday.*

*Christ's resurrection will be celebrated here at 10:00 a.m. Easter Sunday.*

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