

Good Friday

April 19, 2019 ~ 12 noon

First Reformed Church of Schenectady

We 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

#282

Luke 22:39-53

Hymn

Ah, Holy Jesus

#93, stanzas 1&3

Luke 22:54-23:27

Choral Refrain

Wonder and Stare

Luke 23:28-46

Tolling of Bell and Silence

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. You are welcome to remain in the sanctuary for reflection and/or 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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