



Good Friday

Prelude

Welcome & Prayer

Opening song – “Jesus Messiah”

Scripture – John 13:1-5

<sup>1</sup> It was just before the Passover Festival. Jesus knew that the hour had come for Him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end. <sup>2</sup> The evening meal was in progress, and the devil had already prompted Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. <sup>3</sup> Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under His power, and that He had come from God and was returning to God; <sup>4</sup> so He got up from the meal, took off His outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around His waist. <sup>5</sup> After that, He poured water into a basin and began to wash His disciples’ feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around Him.

Drama – “Thomas and Peter”

Evan Storley & Justin Spieker

Song – “What Wondrous Love is This”

Scripture: Isaiah 53:3-6

<sup>3</sup> He was despised and rejected by mankind, a man of suffering, and familiar with pain. Like one from whom people hide their faces He was despised, and we held Him in low esteem. <sup>4</sup> Surely He took up our pain and bore our suffering, yet we considered Him punished by God, stricken by Him, and afflicted. <sup>5</sup> But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on Him, and by His wounds we are healed. <sup>6</sup> We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

Drama – “John and Judas”

Gary Klett & Kevin Swancutt

Scripture – Mark 15:6-15

<sup>6</sup> Now it was the custom at the festival to release a prisoner whom the people requested. <sup>7</sup> A man called Barabbas was in prison with the insurrectionists who had committed murder in the uprising. <sup>8</sup> The crowd came up and asked Pilate to do for them what he usually did. <sup>9</sup> “Do you want me to release to you the King of the Jews?” asked Pilate, <sup>10</sup> knowing it was out of self-interest that the chief priests had handed Jesus over to him. <sup>11</sup> But the chief priests stirred up the crowd to have Pilate release Barabbas instead. <sup>12</sup> “What shall I do, then, with the One you call the King of the Jews?” Pilate asked them. <sup>13</sup> “Crucify Him!” they shouted. <sup>14</sup> “Why? What crime has He committed?” asked Pilate. But they shouted all the louder, “Crucify Him!” <sup>15</sup> Wanting to satisfy the crowd, Pilate released Barabbas to them. He had Jesus flogged, and handed Him over to be crucified.

Song – “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”

Scripture – Mark 15:33-39

<sup>33</sup> At noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon.

<sup>34</sup> And at three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, “*Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?*” (which means “My God, My God, why have you forsaken Me?”).

<sup>35</sup> When some of those standing near heard this, they said, “Listen, He’s calling Elijah.” <sup>36</sup> Someone ran, filled a sponge with wine vinegar, put it on a staff, and offered it to Jesus to drink. “Now leave Him alone. Let’s see if Elijah comes to take Him down,” he said. <sup>37</sup> With a loud cry, Jesus breathed His last. <sup>38</sup> The curtain of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom. <sup>39</sup> And when the centurion, who stood there in front of Jesus, saw how He died, he said, “Surely this Man was the Son of God!”

Drama – “Soldier and Barabbas”

Nathan McKenney & Levi Simington

Song – “Man of Sorrows”

Meditation

Pastor Ben Unseth

The Lord’s Prayer (*whispered*)

Pastor Ben Unseth

Stripping of the Altar

Special Music – “Rise Again”

Troy Rosendahl

***Please exit the building in silence.***

\*Please stand if you are able



***Thank you our Worship partners for tonight ...***

Altar Prep: Lora Johnson, Linda Conlon | Greeters: Paul & Kris Behrens

Instrumentalists: Elliana Antoine, Gloria McKenney, Jared Hansen

Scripture Reader: Justin Spieker | Camera: Cindy Tigges | Computer: Katie Eilts

Sound: Brett Eilts | Lead Tech: Jacob Weeks | Worship Leader: Pastor Ben Unseth

Vocalists: Rachel & Annabelle Simington, Jolynne Eilts

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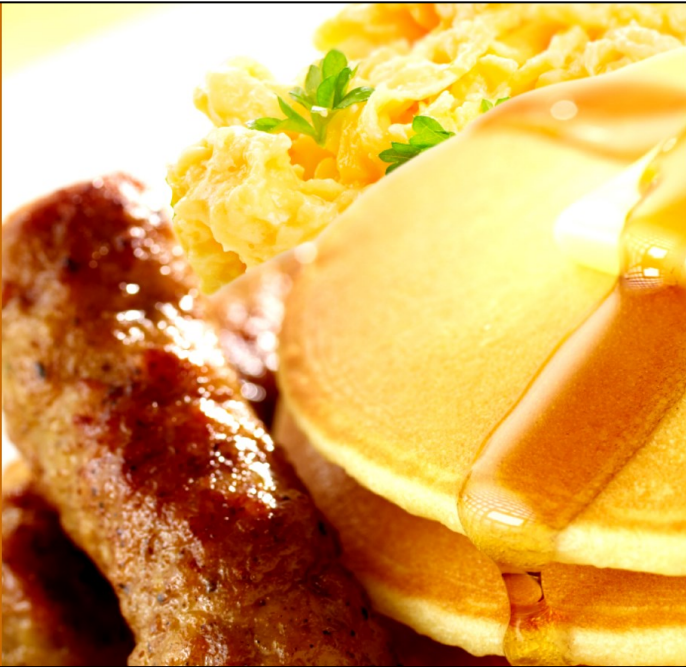
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Come back Sunday to hear the hope of Easter!***



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DONATION  
**EASTER**  
MARCH 31 2024  
**BREAKFAST**  
7:45-8:45 AM  
**FUNDRAISER**  
PANCAKES  
SCRAMBLED  
EGGS AND  
SAUSAGE



**Easter**  
SUNDAY  
MARCH 31

Easter Breakfast 7:45-8:45am (pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs)  
Easter Worship 9:00am  
Kids Scavenger Hunt and Photo Booth