

April 3, 2026, 6:30 PM
Good Friday Tenebrae Service

Welcome & God's Greeting

*Song of Worship: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" R324

Congregation

Scripture Text: John 19:25-27

Meditation: "A Picture of the Church at the Cross"

*Song of Worship: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" R320

Congregation

Choir: "Thy Will Be Done"

Into the Darkness

Scripture: John 1:1-4

Joe Durant

Song: "You Are My All in All" R583

Congregation

The Growing Darkness of the Upper Room

Scripture: John 13:21-27a

Judy Groen

Song: "Behold the Lamb"

Congregation

The Last Supper

Scripture: Luke 22:14-23

Kelsey Jungers

The Service of Holy Communion

Song: "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" R316 *(sung during the passing of the bread)*

Congregation

Ministry of Music: "The Old Rugged Cross" *(played during the passing of the cups)*

The Darkness of the Garden

Scripture: Matthew 26:36-46

Adam Franken

Song: "Lead Me to Calvary" R310:1-2

Congregation

The Arrest by the Soldiers

Scripture: Luke 22:47-53

Shelley Bronkhorst

Song: "How Deep the Father's Love for Us"

Congregation

The Growing Darkness at Calvary

Scripture: Luke 23:35-43

Ethan Homan

Song: "Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed" R306

Congregation

The Darkness of Death

Scripture: Luke 23:44-49

Tyler Jansen

Song: "Where You There?"

Cara Schmitt

Darkness and Silence

Please observe the rule of silence until we leave the sanctuary

Worship Participants

Message and Worship Leader: Pastor Greg Schuringa

Accompanist: Lois Mulder

Special Music: Choir; Soloist: Norm Jansma; Accompanist: Brenda Hofman

Ministry of Music: Aubryn DeJager, Nikki and Noralynn Durni

Solo: Cara Schmitt

Worship Team: Pastor Greg; Kim Greenfield, Megan Greenfield (vocalists)

Media Team: Scott Ritzema, Cody Van Herwaarden, Mike Vander Berg

Nursery: Jenna Mulder, Jen Ritzema, Noralyn Durni

Ushers: Noah Mulder, Andy Schlieve

Thanks to all our readers tonight!

Behold The Lamb

Verse 1: Behold the Lamb who bears our sins away - Slain for us and we remember

The promise made that all who come in faith - Find forgiveness at the cross - So we share in this Bread of Life
And we drink of His sacrifice - As a sign of our bonds of peace - Around the table of the King

Verse 2: The body of our Saviour Jesus Christ - Torn for you eat and remember

The wounds that heal the death that brings us life - Paid the price to make us one - So we share in this Bread of Life
And we drink of His sacrifice - As a sign of our bonds of love - Around the table of the King

Verse 3: The blood that cleanses every stain of sin - Shed for you drink and remember

He drained death's cup that all may enter in - To receive the life of God - So we share in this Bread of Life
And we drink of His sacrifice - As a sign of our bonds of grace - Around the table of the King

Verse 4: And so with thankfulness and faith we rise - To respond and to remember

Our call to follow in the steps of Christ - As His body here on earth - As we share in His suffering
We proclaim Christ will come again - And we'll join in the feast of heaven - Around the table of the King

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How Deep the Father's Love for Us

Verse 1: How deep the Father's love for us - How vast beyond all measure

That He should give His only Son - To make a wretch His treasure
How great the pain of searing loss - The Father turns His face away
As wounds which mar the Chosen One - Bring many sons to glory

Verse 2: Behold the Man upon a cross - My sin upon His shoulders

Ashamed I hear my mocking voice - Call out among the scoffers
It was my sin that held Him there - Until it was accomplished
His dying breath has brought me life - I know that it is finished

Verse 3: I will not boast in anything - No gifts no pow'r no wisdom

But I will boast in Jesus Christ - His death and resurrection
Why should I gain from His reward - I cannot give an answer
But this I know with all my heart - His wounds have paid my ransom

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