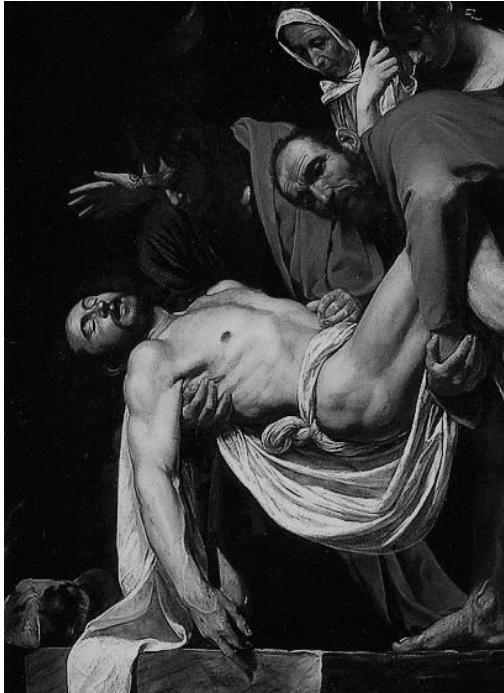


**ORDER OF SERVICE**  
**Good Friday**  
**April 7th, 2023**



**Welcome to the Church of St. John the Evangelist. Thank you for worshipping with us. Whether you are a first-time visitor, a faithful parishioner or a returning friend, please know that you always have a place at God's table. As you enter today, may the gathering of this community strengthen you to take God's compassion and peace to a world in need of both.**

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# THE LITURGY OF THE PASSION

Book of Alternative Services

*The congregation assembles in silence.*

## The Ministry of the Word

*Presider* All we like sheep have gone astray;  
we have turned every one of his own way,

*People* **And the Lord has laid on him  
the iniquity of us all.**

*Presider* Christ the Lord became obedient unto death,  
*People* **Even death on a cross.**

*Presider* Almighty God,  
*All* **our heavenly Father,  
We have sinned  
In thought and word and deed;  
we have not loved you  
with our whole heart;  
we have not loved our neighbours  
as ourselves.  
We pray you of your mercy,  
forgive us all that is past,  
and grant that we may serve you  
in newness of life  
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

## The Collect of the Day

*Presider* Let us pray.

*The community prays silently. The presider then  
says the collect.*

*People* **Amen.**

## The Proclamation of the Word

Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Hebrews 10:16-25

Psalm 22

John 18:1-19:42

# Psalm 22: 1-11

Plainsong

## The Passion of our Lord according to John

Antiphon:

Glory be to you, O God, for your love poured out for us!

The image shows a musical score for the antiphon. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The melody is written in the treble clef, and the accompaniment is in the bass clef. The lyrics are written below the treble staff. The music is in a simple, plainsong style.

## Sermon

*A silence for reflection follows.*

## Hymn

*Common Praise 202*

**There is a Green  
Hill Far Away**

## The Solemn Intercession

*The congregation is invited to sit, kneel, or stand.*

## Meditation on the Cross of Jesus

*Presider* This is the wood of the cross,  
On which hung the Saviour of the world.

*People* **Come let us worship.**

## Anthem

**Adoramus te**  
Gasparini

## Hymn

*Common Praise 400*

**What Wondrous  
Love Is This**

*Common Praise 198*

**O Sacred Head,  
Surrounded**

*Common Praise 386*

**When I Survey  
the Wondrous Cross**

## The Lord's Prayer

*Presider* As our Saviour taught us, let us pray.

*All* **Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins  
as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Save us from the time of trial,  
and deliver us from evil.  
For the kingdom, the power,  
and the glory are yours,  
now and for ever. Amen.**

## Concluding Prayer

*Presider* Let us pray.

*The community prays silently.  
The presider then prays the collect.*

*People* **Amen.**

*The congregation departs in silence.*