

The Passion

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Invite, Include, Inspire

**A Christian community for the realization of God's presence
through worship, relationship, and outreach.**

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Prelude:

Jesus said, "Put on my yoke, and learn from me. I'm gentle and humble. And you will find rest for yourselves." (Matthew 11:29)

Celebrant: Walk with me, Jesus, walk with me.
The way isn't always easy, you see,
But your love, it reaches up to the sky,
And carried me, so that I can try.
The way isn't always easy, you see.
Walk with me, Jesus, walk with me. Amen.

My Song is Love Unknown

Hymn 458 vss. 1,2,3



1 My song is love un - known, my Sa - vior's love to me, love
2 He came from his blest throne sal - va - tion to be - stow, but
*3 Some - times they strew his way, and his strong prais - es sing, re -



1 to the love - less shown that they might love - ly be. O
2 men made strange, and none the longed - for Christ would know. But
3 sound - ing all the day ho - san - nas to their King. Then



1 who am I that for my sake my Lord should take frail flesh, and die?
2 O my friend, my friend in - deed, who at my need his life did spend.
3 "Cru - ci - fy!" is all their breath, and for his death they thirst and cry.

Collect

Almighty God, in your tender love for the human race you sent your Son our Savior Jesus Christ to take upon him our nature, and to suffer death upon the cross, giving us the example of his great humanity. Mercifully grant that we may walk in the way of his suffering, and also share in his resurrection; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.

People: Amen.

The Hebrew Scripture

Isaiah 50: 4-9a

Lector 1: A reading from Isaiah

The Lord God has given me
the tongue of a teacher,
that I may know how to sustain
the weary with a word.

Morning by morning he wakens--
wakens my ear
to listen as those who are taught.

The Lord God has opened my ear,
and I was not rebellious,
I did not turn backward.

I gave my back to those who struck me,
and my cheeks to those who pulled out the beard;

I did not hide my face
from insult and spitting.

The Lord God helps me;
therefore I have not been disgraced;

therefore I have set my face like flint,
and I know that I shall not be put to shame;
he who vindicates me is near.

Who will contend with me?
Let us stand up together.

Who are my adversaries?
Let them confront me.

It is the Lord God who helps me;
who will declare me guilty?


Hymn:

God Himself Is With Us

H475 v 1



I God him-self is with us; let us all a - dore him,




and with awe ap - pear be - fore him. God is here with -



in us; souls in si - lence fear him, hum-bly, fer - vent -



ly draw near him. Now his own who have known



God, in wor-ship low - ly, yield their spi - rits whol - ly.

Lector 1: **Psalm 31:9-16**

- 9 Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I am in trouble; *
**my eye is consumed with sorrow,
and also my throat and my belly.**
- 10 For my life is wasted with grief,
and my years with sighing; *
**my strength fails me because of affliction,
and my bones are consumed.**
- 11 I have become a reproach to all my enemies and
even to my neighbors,
a dismay to those of my acquaintance; *
when they see me in the street they avoid me.
- 12 I am forgotten like a dead man, out of mind; *
I am as useless as a broken pot.
- 13 For I have heard the whispering of the crowd;
fear is all around; *
**they put their heads together against me;
they plot to take my life.**
- 14 But as for me, I have trusted in you, O Lord. *
I have said, "You are my God.
- 15 My times are in your hand; *
**rescue me from the hand of my enemies,
and from those who persecute me.**
- 16 Make your face to shine upon your servant, *
and in your loving-kindness save me."



Hymn

God Himself is With Us

Hymn 475 vs 2 & 4



2 Glad - ly, Lord, we of - fer thine to be for ev - er,

4 Come, a - bide with - in me; let my soul, like Ma - ry,



soul and life and each en - deav - or. Help us to sur -

be thine earth - ly sanc - tu - ar - y. Come, in - dwell - ing



rend - er earth's de - ceit - ful trea - sures, pride of life, and

Spi - rit, with trans - fi - guring splen - dor; love and hon - or



sin - ful plea - sures: thou a - lone shalt be known

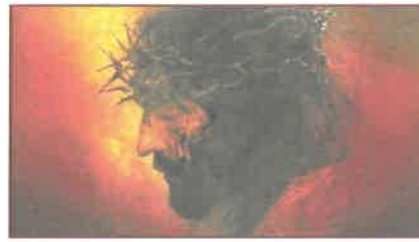
will I ren - der. Where I go here be - low,



Lord of all our be - ing, life's true way de - cree - ing.

let me bow be - fore thee. know thee, and a - dore thee.

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.



The Homily The Rev. Eileen C. O'Reilly

Hymn: *Lord of All Hopefulness* H482 vss 1, 3



1 Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,

3 Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,



whose trust, ev - er child - like, no cares could de - stroy,

your hands swift to wel - come, your arms to em - brace,



be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray,

be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray,



your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.

your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.

The Prayers

Celebrant: The spirit indeed is willing but the flesh is weak. So, let us cry out to our Lord, saying, "Crucified King, *have mercy on us.*"

Lector 2: Have mercy on your Church, O Lord, for the times we have denied you. We have not been humble. We have been unwilling to share the gospel with our friends and families. *Silence*

Crucified King

Have mercy on us.

Have mercy on those who hold authority in the nations of the world, O Lord—especially those who are threatened by your message of love and justice. Have mercy on us for our silence and complicity. *Silence*

Crucified King

Have mercy on us.

Have mercy on those of us who are called to be stewards of your creation, O Lord. We have exploited and mistreated your masterpiece. Have mercy on us and teach us to love what you have called good. *Silence*

Crucified King

Have mercy on us.

Have mercy on us, O Lord. Teach us to value what you value. Increase in us love for our neighbors. *Silence*

Crucified King

Have mercy on us.

Have mercy on all who are sick and suffering, O Lord. Strengthen those whose strength fails them. Comfort and care for those wasted with grief. Make your face to shine upon your servants. *Silence*

Crucified King

Have mercy on us.

Merciful Lord, you know the pain of death—eve death on a cross. Have mercy on the saying and the dead. Bring them to the joy of everlasting life in you. *Silence*

Crucified King

Have mercy on us.

The Peace

Celebrant: The Peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Offertory

The Offertory Sentence

Walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself for us,
an offering and sacrifice to God.

Presentation of Bread and Wine

Offertory Music

Presentation Hymn: *The Doxology* **# 380 vs 3**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow:
Praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him, above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Be present, be present, O Jesus, our great High Priest, as you were present with your disciples, and be known to us in the breaking of bread; who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and for ever. **People: Amen.**

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

Celebrant: It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. For our sins he was lifted high upon the cross, that he might draw the whole world to himself; and, by his suffering and death, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who put their trust in him.

Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Sanctus *Holy, Holy, Holy Lord*

S-130

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of power and
might, Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord,
God of power and might, hea - ven and earth are
full, full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Ho - san - na
in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na
in the high - est. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all.

He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for all for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Celebrant and People

Christ has died.

Christ is risen.

Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts.

Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him.

Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **Amen**

The Lord's Prayer

Celebrant and People

**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 trespasses,
as we forgive those
who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.**



The Breaking of the Bread

Celebrant: Christ our Passover is Sacrificed for us;

People: **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

Invitation to Communion

Celebrant:

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION

Here in the Bread

Here in the Bread that is bro - ken,
here in the Cup that is poured, here in the Word that is
spo - ken: Je - sus Christ is Lord!
Here where the poor find their treas - ure, here where the great - est are
least, come find a love be-yond meas - ure
in this heav'n - ly feast.

Taste and See X3

WLP 764

Musical score for 'Taste and See' in 2/2 time, featuring a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: 'Taste and see. Taste and see the good - ness of the Lord. O taste and see. Taste and see the good - ness of the Lord. of the Lord.' The score includes a 'Fine' marking at the end of the piece.

Please remain standing


Take, O Take Me As I am X3

MHSO 46

Musical score for 'Take, O Take Me As I am' in 4/4 time, featuring a vocal line and a piano accompaniment. The lyrics are: 'Take, O take me as I am; sum - mon out what I shall be; set your seal up-on my heart and live in me.' The score includes a double bar line at the end of the piece.

Last Communion Hymn: *Glory Be To Jesus*

Hymn 479
Vss 1,2,3,



1 Glo - ry be to Je - sus, who in bit - ter pains
2 Grace and life e - ter - nal in that blood I find,
3 Blest through end - less a - ges be the pre - cious stream



1 poured for me the life - blood from his sa - cred veins!
2 blest be his com - pas - sion in - fi - nite - ly kind!
3 which from sin and sor - row doth the world re - deem!



The Blessing

Walk with me, Jesus, walk with me.
The way isn't always easy, you see,
But your love, it reaches up to the sky,
And carried me, so that I can try.
The way isn't always easy, you see.
Walk with me, Jesus, walk with me. Amen

And the blessing of God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit be with you
and remain with you always. **Amen.**

Recessional Hymn: *Jesus Our Mighty Lord* H478 vss 1,2,3,



1 Je - sus, our might - y Lord, our strength in sad - ness, —
2 Good shep-herd of your sheep, your own de - fend - ing, —
3 Glo - rious their life who sing, with glad thanks-giv - ing, —



the Fa - ther's con - quering Word, true source of glad - ness; —
in love your chil - dren keep to life un - end - ing. —
true hymns to Christ the King in all their liv - ing: —



your Name we glo - ri - fy, O Je - sus, throned on high;
You are your - self the Way: lead us then day by day
all who con - fess his Name, come then with hearts a - flame;



you gave your - self to die for our sal - va - tion.
in your own steps, we pray, O Lord most ho - ly.
the God of peace ac - claim as Lord and Sa - vior.

The Dismissal

Lector 2: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Please keep silence as you leave the church.