

6:30 WORSHIP
GOOD FRIDAY
APRIL 3, 2026

Prelude
Welcome
Please Stand

Brief Order for Confession and Forgiveness

P: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

P: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God who is faithful and just will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness.

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are in bondage to sin and cannot free ourselves. We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us. Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen

P: In the mercy of almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for you, and for his sake God forgives you all your sins. To those who believe in Jesus Christ he gives the power to become the children of God and bestows on them the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen

Opening Hymn **“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”** LBW 117

We will nail our sins to the cross at this time.

Prayer of the Day *“Almighty God, we ask you to look with mercy on your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed and to be given over to the hands of sinners and to suffer death on the cross; who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.”*
Amen

Special Music **“Sunday is Coming”** by Phil Wickham

The Passion of Jesus Christ—Scriptural Basis John 18:1-19,42

Reading 1: Jackie Olson

Reading 2: Kyle Schwandt

Reading 3: Kris Vietmeier

Reading 4: Roger Christensen

Hymn **“In the Hour of Trial”**

LBW 106

Reading 5: Jackie Olson

Reading 6: Kyle Schwandt

Reading 7: Kris Vietmeier

Reading 8: Roger Christensen

Please Stand

Hymn **“The Power Of The Cross”**

Reading 9: Jackie Olson

Reading 10: Kyle Schwandt

Reading 11: Kris Vietmeier

Reading 12: Roger Christensen

Hymn **“Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed”** vs. 1,2,3,5 LBW 98

Reading 13: Jackie Olson

Reading 14: Kyle Schwandt

Reading 15: Kris Vietmeier

Hymn **“Were You There”** vs. 1,2,3 LBW 92

******The Christ candle is taken away. A loud noise is made by a cymbal or other means. The last section is read in darkness.*

READING 16: Roger Christensen

******Silence.*

The room remains darkened with only illumination necessary for safety. The room now remains barren until the Easter Vigil.

HYMN **“In Christ Alone”** vs. 1,2,4

DISMISSAL
GO FORTH IN SILENCE

Pianist: Kristi Seehafer

Easter Sunday

No Sunday School

8:30 a.m. Easter Breakfast served by the youth

10:00 a.m. Worship Service with Communion

“Sunday is Coming”

A great light dawns in Galilee
Some say madman, some say King
Wonder-workin' rebel priest
Jesus Christ the Nazarene

He knew well what it would take
To free us all from sin and grave
A perfect man would have to die
And only He could pay that price

[Chorus]
Friday's good 'cause Sunday is comin'
Don't lose hope, 'cause Sunday is
comin'
Devil, you're done, you better start
runnin'
Friday's good 'cause Sunday is comin'

So, He let those soldiers take Him in
As His friend betrayed Him with a
kiss

There before the mocking crowd
Like a Lamb to the slaughter, didn't
make a sound

Then He carried that cross to Calvary
And He shed His blood to set us free
As the nails went in and the sky went
dark
The redemption of the world was on
His heart

[Chorus]

[Bridge]
Then He breathed His last and bowed
His head
The Son of God and Man was dead
With bloody hands, tears on their face
They laid Him down inside that grave



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