



Trinity United Methodist Church
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April 18, 2025
7 p.m.

* Please stand as you are able.

Welcome

Neil Hough

Prelude

In the Cross of Christ (Mozart)

Chancel Choir

* Call to Worship

Neil Hough

And this is the judgment, that the light has come into the world, and we loved darkness rather than light.

God is light, in whom there is no darkness at all.

For God sent the Son into the world, not to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him.

Every one who does evil hates the light, and does not come to the light. But all who do what is true come to the light.

Come, let us worship in spirit and truth.

* Hymn

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

UMH 298

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| 1. When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of Glory died, my richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride. | 3. See, from his head, his hands, his feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down. Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown? |
| 2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the death of Christ, my God; all the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood. | 4. Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were an offering far too small; love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all. |

Opening Prayer

Taehwan Roh

Christ himself bore our sin in his body on the tree.

That we might die to sin and live to righteousness.

Let us pray.

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ was lifted high upon the cross so that he might draw the whole world to himself. Grant that we, who glory in his death for our salvation, may also glory in his call to take up our cross and follow him; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Evening Prayer

Taehwan Roh

The Lord's Prayer

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. Amen.

The Passion of Jesus Christ

Jesus is betrayed

Anne Hough

Jesus is arrested and brought before Annas

Jim Wilson

Hymn

Go to Dark Gethsemane (stanza 1)

UMH 290

Go to dark Gethsemane,
ye that feel the tempter's power;
your Redeemer's conflict see,
watch with him one bitter hour.
Turn not from his griefs away;
learn of Jesus Christ to pray.

Peter denies Jesus in the courtyard

Peet van Biljon

Ah, Holy Jesus (stanzas 1 & 2)
 Ah, holy Jesus, how hast thou offended,
 that we to judge thee have in hate pretended?
 By foes derided, by thine own rejected,
 O most afflicted!

Who was the guilty? Who brought this upon thee?
 Alas, my treason, Jesus, hath undone thee!
 'Twas I, Lord Jesus, I it was denied thee;
 I crucified thee.

Annas questions Jesus

Sopanha Anderson

Special Music

None Other Lamb (Courtney)

Caleb Caldwell and Philip Keirstead

Peter denies Jesus again

Taehwan Roh

Hymn

What Wondrous Love Is This (stanzas 1 & 2)

UMH 292

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| 1. What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul, what wondrous love is this, O my soul! What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul, to bear the dreadful curse for my soul. | 2. What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul, what wondrous love is this, O my soul! What wondrous love is this, that caused the Lord of life to lay aside his crown for my soul, for my soul, to lay aside his crown for my soul. |
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Jesus is brought before Pilate

Lizzy Conroy

Pilate questions Jesus

Howard Chatham

Hymn

Go to Dark Gethsemane (stanza 2)

UMH 290

See him at the judgment hall,
 beaten, bound, reviled, arraigned;
 O the wormwood and the gall!
 O the pangs his soul sustained!
 Shun not suffering, shame, or loss;
 learn of Christ to bear the cross.

The crowd chooses Barabbas

John David

Jesus is mocked and scourged

Anne Hough

Hymn

O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

UMH 286

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| 1. O sacred Head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down, now scornfully surrounded with thorns, thine only crown: how pale thou art with anguish, with sore abuse and scorn! How does that visage languish which once was bright as morn! | 3. What language shall I borrow to thank thee, dearest friend, for this thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end? O make me thine forever; and should I fainting be, Lord, let me never, never outlive my love to thee. |
| 2. What thou, my Lord, hast suffered was all for sinners' gain; mine, mine was the transgression, but thine the deadly pain. Lo, here I fall, my Savior! 'Tis I deserve thy place; look on me with thy favor, vouchsafe to me thy grace. | |

Pilate hands Jesus over to be crucified

Amy Miller

Anthem

How Beautiful (Paris)

Catherine Wethington, Nadine Wethington

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| Jesus is crucified | | Neil Hough |
| Hymn | <i>Were You There</i> (stanzas 1 & 2) Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Oh! sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they crucified my Lord? Were you there when they nailed him to the tree? Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree? Oh! sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they nailed him to the tree? | UMH 288 |
| The soldiers cast lots for Jesus’ garments | | Taehwan Roh |
| Jesus’ mother is entrusted to the beloved disciple | | Laurie Strollo |
| Jesus dies | | Neil Hough |
| Special Music | <i>Drop, Drop, Slow Tears</i> (Gibbons) | Chancel Choir |
| Jesus’ side is pierced | | Peggy Fox |
| Hymn | <i>Were You There</i> (stanza 3) Were you there when they pierced him in the side? Were you there when they pierced him in the side? Oh! sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they pierced him in the side? | UMH 288 |
| The Christ Candle is Extinguished | | Neil Hough |
| Hymn | <i>Were You There</i> (stanza 4) Were you there when the sun refused to shine? Were you there when the sun refused to shine? Oh, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when the sun refused to shine? | UMH 288 |
| Jesus is buried | | Nadine Wethington |
| Hymn | <i>Were You There</i> (stanza 5) Were you there when they laid him in the tomb? Were you there when they laid him in the tomb? Oh! sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble. Were you there when they laid him in the tomb? | UMH 288 |
| Final Words: <i>Song of the Suffering Servant</i> | | Isaiah 53:4-9 |
| Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases; yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted. But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. | | He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter, and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth. By a perversion of justice he was taken away. Who could have imagined his future? For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people. They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich, although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth. |
| Dismissal with Blessing | | Neil Hough |

Easter Sunday, April 20

7 a.m.

Plaza

Sunrise Service

8:30 a.m.

Sanctuary

Worship

10:30 a.m.

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Worship