

**Good Friday  
Order of Worship  
April 18, 2025**



**"Just As I Am"  
(UMH 357, vs. 1-4)**

Just as I am, without one plea,  
but that Thy blood was shed for me,  
and that Thou bidst me come to Thee,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Just as I am, and waiting not  
to rid my soul of one dark blot,  
to Thee whose blood can cleanse each spot,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Just as I am, though tossed about  
with many a conflict, many a doubt,  
fightings and fears within, without,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind;  
sight, riches, healing of the mind,  
yea, all I need in Thee to find,  
O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

**"Light of the World (Here I Am To Worship)"  
by Tim Hughes**

Light of the world  
You stepped down into darkness  
Opened my eyes  
Let me see  
Beauty that made this heart adore You  
Hope of a life spent with You

Here I am to worship  
Here I am to bow down  
Here I am to say that You're my God  
You're altogether lovely  
Altogether worthy  
Altogether wonderful to me

King of all days  
Oh, so highly exalted  
Glorious in heaven above  
Humbly You came  
To the earth You created  
All for love's sake became poor

Here I am to worship  
Here I am to bow down  
Here I am to say that You're my God  
You're altogether lovely  
Altogether worthy

Altogether wonderful to me

I'll never know how much it cost  
To see my sin upon that cross  
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## Welcome and Announcements

**"God So Loved the World"**  
**Stainer/arr. Christopher**  
**MUMC Choir**

### Call to Worship

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

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

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

**All: 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.**

One: Come, let us worship in spirit and in truth.

### "When Mercy Found Me"

**Rhett Walker**

I can't count the broken roads I've been down  
But all I know  
Something had to give  
Something had to give  
'Cause living my life so wild and free  
Finally caught up  
Oh, it left me broken, left me hopeless  
But that's where I met Jesus

And in one moment everything changed  
Who I was got washed away  
When mercy found me  
My Saviour's arms were open wide  
And I felt love for the very first time  
When mercy found me  
When mercy found me

All those days and all those doubts  
They don't seem to matter now  
His grace is all I need  
His grace is all I need

And the chains that I was in before  
They don't hold me any more  
His love has rescued me  
His love has set me free

And in one moment everything changed  
Who I was got washed away  
When mercy found me  
My Saviour's arms were open wide  
And I felt love for the very first time  
When mercy found me  
  
My mind found peace  
My soul found hope  
My heart found a home

And in one moment everything changed  
Who I was got washed away  
When mercy found My Saviour's arms were open wide  
And I felt love for the very first time  
When mercy found me  
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**John 13.1-11**  
**(Ash Urn Removed)**  
**"By His Wounds"**  
**Mac Powell**

He was pierced for our transgressions,  
He was crushed for our sins.  
The punishment that brought us peace was upon Him;  
And by His wounds, by His wounds we are healed.

He was pierced for our transgressions,  
He was crushed for our sins,  
The punishment that brought us peace was upon Him;  
And by His wounds, by His wounds we are healed.

We are healed by Your sacrifice,  
And the life that You gave.  
We are healed, for You paid the price;  
By Your grace we are saved,  
We are saved.

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He was crushed for our sins.  
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The punishment that brought us peace was upon Him;  
And by His wounds, by His wounds, we are healed.  
By His wounds, by His wounds;  
What can wash away your sins?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus

### **Communion**

*(Those worshipping with us virtually,  
please have your bread and juice close at hand before worship begins)*

The Lord be with you  
**And also with you**

Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them up to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

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**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,  
heaven and earth are full of your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

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**Christ has died; Christ is risen, Christ will come again.**

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**"Arioso"**

Bach

**MUMC Chamber Ensemble**

### **Gethsemane**

Matthew 26.36-45

(Communion Elements Removed)

**"Go to Dark Gethsemane" UMH 290, vs. 1-3**

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.

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.

Calvary's mournful mountain climb;

there, adoring at his feet,  
mark that miracle of time,  
God's own sacrifice complete.  
"It is finished!" hear him cry;  
learn of Jesus Christ to die.

### **Jesus Arrested**

Matthew 26.47-54

(Altar Candles Extinguished)

#### **"Carry My Cross" by Third Day**

As long as I remember  
I've been walking through the wilderness  
Praying to the Father  
And waiting for my time  
I've come here with a mission  
And soon I'll give my life for this world

I'm praying in the garden  
And I'm looking for a miracle  
I find the journey hard but  
It's the reason I was born  
Can this cup be passed on  
Lord, I pray your will be done  
In this world

So I'll carry my cross  
And I'll carry the shame  
To the end of the road  
Through the struggle and pain  
And I'll do it for love  
No, it won't be in vain  
Yes, I'll carry my cross  
And I'll carry the shame

I feel like I'm alone here  
And I'm treated like a criminal  
The time has come for me now  
Even though I've done no wrong  
Father, please forgive them  
They know not what they've done  
In this world

So I'll carry my cross  
And I'll carry the shame  
To the end of the road  
Through the struggle and pain  
And I'll do it for love  
No, it won't be in vain  
Yes, I'll carry my cross  
And I'll carry the shame

Three more days and I'll be coming back again  
Three more days and I'll be coming back again

So I'll carry my cross  
And I'll carry the shame  
To the end of the road

Through the struggle and pain  
And I'll do it for love  
No, it won't be in vain  
Yes, I'll carry my cross  
And I'll carry the shame

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### **Trials**

Matthew 26.57-67

(One Altar Candle Removed)

**"Wayfaring Stranger" trad.**

**Babcock Bell Choir and alto flute**

### **Peter Denial**

Matthew 26.69-75

(One Altar Candle Removed)

**"Ah, Holy Jesus"**

**UMH 289, vs. 1, 2 & 5**

Ah, Holy Jesus, how hast thou offended,  
that we to judge thee have in hate pretended?  
By foe's 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.

Therefore, kind Jesus, since I cannot pay thee,  
I do adore thee, and will ever pray thee,  
think on thy pity and thy love unswerving,  
not my deserving.

### **Trials**

Matthew 26.11-26

(Cross Removed)

**"Revelation Song"**

**by Philips, Craig, and Dean**

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, Holy, holy is Thee  
Sing a new song to Him who sits on Heaven's mercy seat

Worthy is the Lamb who was slain, Holy, holy is Thee  
Sing a new song to Him who sits on Heaven's mercy seat

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come  
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings, You are my everything  
And I will adore You

Clothed in rainbows of living color, Flashes of lighting rolls of thunder  
Blessing and honor strength and glory and power be, To You the only wise King

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come  
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings, You are my everything  
And I will adore You

Filled with wonder awestruck wonder, At the mention of Your name  
Jesus Your name is power, breath and living water, Such a marvelous mystery

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, Who was and is and is to come  
With all creation I sing praise to the King of kings, You are my everything  
And I will adore You

### **Soldiers**

Matthew 27.27-31

(Lighting Removed)

**“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”**

**UMH 286 (vs. 1-3)**

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!

What thou, my Lord, has 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.

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 for thee.

## **Crucifixion**

Matthew 27.32-44  
(Christ Candle Extinguished)

**"Ah, Holy Jesus"**

arr. Childers

**Babcock Bell Choir**

## **The Death**

Matthew 27.45-54

**"O Love Divine, What Hast Thou Done"**

**UMH 287 (vs. 1-3)**

O Love divine, what has thou done!  
The immortal God hath died for me!  
The Father's coeternal Son  
bore all my sins upon the tree.  
Th' immortal God for me hath died:  
My Lord, my Love, is crucified!

Is crucified for me and you,  
to bring us rebels back to God.  
Believe, believe the record true,  
ye all are bought with Jesus' blood.  
Pardon for all flows from his side:  
My Lord, my Love, is crucified!

Behold him, all ye that pass by,  
the bleeding Prince of life and peace!  
Come, sinners, see your Savior die,  
and say, "Was ever grief like his?"  
Come, feel with me his blood applied:  
My Lord, my Love, is crucified!

## **Burial**

Matthew 27.57-61

Silent Prayer

## **Romans 5.6-8**

(Christ Candle Lit)

*This evening's worship ends in silent reflection*

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## **Assisting In Worship**

Pastor Derrick L. Doherty  
Cynthia Balme, Director of Music

**A/V**

Brian Goudsward, Channing Smith, Bill Thompson



**Babcock Bell Choir**

Connie Myhrer, Stacey Lebitz, Stephanie Lebitz, Dianne Thompson, Linda Bardell, Elizabeth Thangaraj

**MUMC Chamber Ensemble**

Connie Myhrer, Stacey Lebitz, Kerri Doherty

**MUMC Choir**

Elizabeth Thangaraj, Linda Bardell, Susana Maksuta, Sara Winchell, Nora Judd, Connie Myhrer, Dianne Thompson, Kathryn Hessinger, Bobby Shipley, Arun Thangaraj, Bill Thompson

**Praise Band**

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