

Good Friday Service

April 22, 2011

7:00 p.m.

SILENT PROCESSIONAL

The liturgy begins in silence after all have been seated.
The ministers enter in silence.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Merciful God, your Son was lifted up on the cross to draw all people to himself. Grant that we who have been born out of his wounded side may at all times find mercy in him, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen**

HYMN

Were You There

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THE STORY

Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet
Jesus Foretells His Betrayal
The New Commandment
Jesus Foretells Peter's Denial
Jesus the Way to the Father
Jesus the True Vine
Sorrow Will Turn into Joy
Peace for the Disciples
Jesus Prays for His Disciples

LUX AETERNA

Morton Lauridsen

THE STORY

The Betrayal and Arrest of Jesus
Jesus before the High Priest

INTROITUS

Rest eternal grant to them. O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. A hymn befits thee, O god in Zion, and to thee a vow shall be fulfilled in Jerusalem. Hear my prayer, for unto thee all flesh

shall come. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

THE STORY

Peter Denies Jesus

The High Priest Questions Jesus

Peter Denies Jesus Again

IN TE DOMINE, SPERAVI

To deliver us, you became human, and did not disdain the Virgin's womb. Having blunted the sting of death, you opened the kingdom of heaven to all believers. A light has risen in the darkness for the upright. Have mercy upon us, O Lord, have mercy upon us. Let thy mercy be upon us, O Lord, as we have trusted in thee. In thee, O Lord, I have trusted; let me never be confounded.

THE STORY

Jesus before Pilate

Jesus Sentenced to Death

O NATA LUX

O born light of light, Jesus, redeemer of the world, mercifully deem worthy and accept the praises and prayers of your supplicants. Thou who once deigned to be clothed in flesh for the sake of the lost ones, grant us to be made members of your holy body.

THE STORY

Jesus Is Tortured

VENI, SANCTE SPIRITUS

Come Holy Spirit, send forth from heaven the ray of thy light. Come Father of the poor, come giver of gifts, come light of hearts. Thou best of consolers, sweet guest of the soul, sweet refreshment. In labor thou art rest, in heat the tempering, in grief, the consolation. O light most blessed, fill the inmost heart of all thy faithful. Without your grace, there is nothing in us, nothing that is not harmful. Cleanse what is sordid, moisten what is arid, heal what is hurt. Flex what is rigid, fire what is frigid, correct what goes astray. Grant to thy faithful, those trusting in thee, thy sacred seven-fold gifts.
Grant the reward of virtue, grant the deliverance of salvation, grant

everlasting joy.

THE STORY

The Crucifixion of Jesus

AGNUS DEI - LUX AETERNA

Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest.
Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest.
Lamb of God, who takest away the sins of the world, grant them rest everlasting. May light eternal shine upon them, O Lord, in the company of thy saints forever and ever; for thou art merciful. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

PROCESSION OF THE CROSS

Behold the Life-Giving Cross

Leader Assembly

Behold, the life-giving cross, on which was hung the Savior of the world. Oh, come, let us wor-ship him.

We Adore You, O Christ

Leader Assembly

We adore you, O Christ, and we bless you. By your holy cross you re-deemed the world.

HYMN

What Wondrous Love is This

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THE STORY

Jesus' Side Is Pierced

The Burial of Jesus

Silent Recessional

After the participants leave the church, you are asked to depart in silence. There is no benediction as this service continues the Triduum, the Three Days of Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Vigil. Together, they are one continuous worship service; each retelling the central events of the last days of Jesus' life and the mystery of God's salvation through Christ.

Offering baskets will be available at the door.

Preacher
Assisting Ministers

Rev. Dr. Dennis Dewey, Storyteller
Pastor Ruth Ann Loughry
Pastor Ron Glusenkamp
Jessica Daum, Intern
Director: Dan Grace
Rick Seaton
Rob Kelly

Bethany Chancel Choir
Organ
Sound

EASTER VIGIL - Saturday, Apr. 23, 7:00 p.m., Epiphany Lutheran
Church, 790 S. Corona St. Denver, CO 80209

EASTER WORSHIP - Sunday, Apr. 24, 6:00, 7:30, 9:00 &
10:30 a.m. - HE IS RISEN!