



Redeemer Lutheran Church

April 18, 2025

Good Friday

7:00 pm Worship

Welcome to Worship!

What a joy it is to come together as beloved children of God!

God invites us. God accepts us as we are. In this spirit of acceptance, we are brought together to live and grow as companions on this journey of faith. We are joined together by the river of life flowing through each of us. In our diversity we are formed into one by the love of God in Christ. Together we gather to give thanks and praise and to walk alongside each other in love.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

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Pastor: Anne Wickland

Organist: Carla Gerhardt

God's Spirit Gathers Us

Prelude

Hymn "Ah, Holy Jesus" #349

Welcome & Announcements

Service of Tenebrae Introduction

Greeting

God's Word Enlivens Us

*** The First Word – Luke 23:32-38**

Silent Prayer

Hymn "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" #803 (vs. 1&2)

*** The Second Word – Luke 23:39-43**

Silent Prayer

Hymn "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" #803 (vs. 3&4)

***The Third Word – John 19:25b-27**

Silent Prayer

Hymn "Stay With Me" #348 (3 times through)

***The Fourth Word – Matthew 27:39-46**

Silent Prayer

Hymn "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" #338 (vs. 2)

***The Fifth Word – John 19:28-29**

Silent Prayer

**Hymn "As The Deer Runs to the River - #331 (vs. 1&4, sung
to the tune of #490 Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence)**

***The Sixth Word – John 19:30**

Silent Prayer

Hymn "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" #351

Prayer of Good Friday

*** The Seventh Word – Luke 23:44-49**

A Brief Reflection

Silent Prayer

Hymn "Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed?" #337

Prayers of The People

Hymn "Were You There?" #353 (vs. 1&2)

Silent Prayer

Psalm 22:1-18

A Time of Silent Prayer and Personal Meditation

(The Christ candle is carried out. We hear the door of the tomb close as we wait in darkness.) (Longer Pause)

The Lord's Prayer – ELW Page 134

God's Spirit Sends Us

There is no blessing this evening.

The Blessing is given on Easter Morning upon resurrection.

You are invited to remain for a time of meditation.

Please depart the building in silence.

PRAYERS

We hold in prayer this week those who have immediate concerns: Stewart Pribbenow; Larry and Geri Gorman; Kim Huber Ross; and Amy Wille, (Susan Brusveen's sister).

We continue to hold in prayer those who have requested ongoing prayer: Marilyn Rowley; Donna Kearney; Jane Roberts, Wayne and Norma Nelson; Alfred and Barb Nelson; Janet Corning; Laura Johnsrud (Nancy Washington's daughter); Spencer Wescott; Jeff Hendrickson (Nancy Washington's brother); ; Carter Schultz (age 6, great grandson of Nancy Wescott's cousin, Caryn Schultz and her husband, Carl); JoAnne Husom Dilley (Cooper Husom's grandmother); Kay Meier (Susan Brusveen's sister); Knute Nelson (Susan Brusveen's brother); Stewart Pribbenow; LeRoy Zimmerman (Helen Risgaard's brother-in-law); Kathy Schliesman; Dave and Grace Hinzman; Stacie Wheeler; Nancy Drehmel; April Landphier; Bob Adams; Bev Stankiewicz; Bob Strauss; Gloria Lang; Sue Pulver; Brenda Vogeler (Harry Thompson's daughter); Virginia Olson; Betty Laper; Ken Wescott; and Raymond Endres.

Congregational Meeting – Sunday, April 27

A special Congregational Meeting will be held on ***Sunday, April 27***, following Worship. The meeting will be held to vote on calling Pastor Anne Wickland to be our next Pastor.

In addition, we may also vote at this meeting to approve a quote for the boiler replacement. This depends on if additional quotes are received and reviewed by the Council in time for the congregational meeting.

Easter Breakfast

The Sprouts and Confirmation students will be serving Easter Breakfast this year in the fellowship hall (basement). We are planning to have pancakes, sausage links, fruit, cinnamon rolls, milk, juice, and coffee.

Please join us Easter Sunday between 7:30 am and 8:45 am. A free will offering will be taken with the funds collected going towards the new boiler. The students are hoping to raise \$500. Even if you do not eat, come on down and donate to help them reach their goal.

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

<i>Sunday, April 20</i>	<i>Easter Sunday – Breakfast at 7:30 Worship with Communion at 9:00</i>
<i>Sunday, April 27</i>	<i>Worship – No Communion</i>

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