

Order for the Public Worship of God

The Sixth Day of April, Two Thousand and Nine

Holy Monday

Noon ♦ The Sanctuary

*As you enter the Sanctuary, please assume a quiet and respectful attitude of worship.
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PRELUDE: “O Mensch, Bewein der Sunde Große” J. S. Bach
Lenora Morrow, Organist

INTROIT: “I Lay My Sins on Jesus” AURELIA
Trio: Leigh Barker, Marjorie Bowman and John Hodges

CALL TO WORSHIP Ronald G. Sadlow

✦HYMN OF PRAISE No. 520: “Jesus, Thy Blood and Righteousness” GERMANY
stanzas 1 & 4

✦PRAYER OF ADORATION

EPISTLE LESSON..... Ephesians 1:7, 8
(page 1156 in pew Bible)

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE GERMANY
**Bold shall I stand in Thy great day; for who ought to my charge shall lay?
Fully absolved through these I am from sin and fear, from guilt and shame.**

GOSPEL LESSON..... John 19:31-34
(page 1074 in pew Bible)

ANTHEM: “Gilead” arr. J. M. Hodges

PRAYER OF SUPPLICATION

**Dear Wounded Savior, through the power of Your Spirit
teach us about Your forgiveness.
Use Your Word to heal our wounds
that we may bring healing to others in Your Wonderful Name. Amen.**

HOMILY *The Cross-Centered Life: Forgiven* Andrew P. Wells

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN OF SUPPLICATION No. 499: “Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me” TOPLADY

✦BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: “Solemn Processional” B. Marcello

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PRELUDE: “Ah, Holy Jesus, How Hast Thou Offended” H. Walcha
Lenora Morrow, Organist

INTROIT: “O Love of God Most Full” J. Purifoy
Ensemble: Robert Sutton, Jerry Bowman, John Beckham, Josh Tyra, John Hodges

CALL TO WORSHIP Andrew P. Wells

✦HYMN OF GOD’S LOVE No. 535: “O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus” EBENEZER

✦PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE EPISTLE LESSON I John 4:7-11
(page 1209 in pew Bible)

PRAYER OF SUPPLICATION

**Great and generous Father,
thank You for not sparing Your own Son,
and for giving Him up for us all.
And Lord Jesus Christ,
Who though rich beyond all measure,
thank You for becoming poor that we might become rich.
As we remember how You first loved us,
help us to love You fervently from the heart,
and have You as our soul’s greatest delight,
as we offer ourselves to the glory of Your name. Amen.**

ANTHEM: “And This Is Love” B. Kauflin

HOMILY *The Cross-Centered Life: Loved* Ronald G. Sadlow

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN OF DEVOTION No. 529: “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” BEECHER

✦BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: “Ah, Holy Jesus” J. Brahms

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The Eighth Day of April, Two Thousand and Nine

Holy Wednesday

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PRELUDE: “Adagio in A Minor” J. S. Bach
Lenora Morrow, Organist

INTROIT: “By Grace I Am an Heir of Heaven” J. M. Hodges
Trio: Annie Petzinger, Leigh Barker and John Hodges

CALL TO WORSHIP D. Todd Erickson

✦HYMN OF FAITH No. 524: “Thy Works, Not Mine, O Christ” DARWALL

✦PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE EPISTLE READING Romans 3:21-26
(page 1114 in pew Bible)

PRAYER OF SUPPLICATION

**Almighty God and Merciful Father,
Who sent Your only Son Jesus Christ into the world
to conquer sin and death
for us and for our salvation:
may we, who are full of sin,
experience the depth of Your love and mercy
known in the sacrifice of Your Son.
Allow us, together with all Your saints,
to be rooted and grounded in this love.
Enable us to live with a confidence
born solely out of our relationship with You.
This we pray in the name of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.**

ANTHEM: “Only In God” J. M. Talbot

HOMILY *The Cross-Centered Life: Justified* Wesley H. Simmons

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

HYMN OF CONFIDENCE No. 521: “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less” SOLID ROCK

✦BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: “Processional in G Major ” J. Stanley

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Maundy Thursday

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PRELUDE: “O Sacred Head Now Wounded” D. Buxtehude
Lenora Morrow, Organist

INTROIT: “All the Way My Savior Leads Me” ALL THE WAY
Robert Sutton, soloist

CALL TO WORSHIP Jonathan R. Becker

✦HYMN OF SUPPLICATION No. 254: “Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed” . . . MARTYRDOM

✦PRAYER OF ADORATION

THE EPISTLE LESSON Galatians 6:14
(page 1155 in pew Bible)

PRAYER OF SUPPLICATION

**Faithful Savior,
we are eternally in Your care.
Your sorrowful death and triumphant resurrection
gives our weak faith a joyful assurance
that Your sacrifice on the cross
cancels the debt and penalty of sin.
Lord Jesus, we seek to be holy even as You are holy.
To You be praise and honor forevermore. Amen.**

ANTHEM: “I Want Jesus to Walk with Me” G. Lynn

HOMILY *The Cross-Centered Life: Sanctified* Timothy L. Russell

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN OF SUBMISSION No. 562: “All to Jesus I Surrender” SURRENDER

✦BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: “O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” J. S. Bach

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