

Good Friday Worship

April 15, 2022

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship [Isaiah 52:13-53:6]

Pastor: Behold, My servant will prosper, He will be high and lifted up and greatly exalted. Just as many were astonished at you, My people, so His appearance was marred more than any man.

People: **And His form more than the sons of men. Thus He will sprinkle many nations, kings will shut their mouths on account of Him;**

Pastor: For what had not been told them they will see, and what they had not heard they will understand.

People: **Who has believed our message? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed? For He grew up before Him like a tender shoot, and like a root out of parched ground;**

Pastor: He has no stately form or majesty that we should look upon Him, nor appearance that we should be attracted to Him.

People: **He was despised and forsaken of men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; and like one from whom men hide their face**

Pastor: He was despised, and we did not esteem Him. Surely our griefs He Himself bore, and our sorrows He carried; yet we ourselves esteemed Him stricken, smitten of God and afflicted.

People: **But He was pierced through for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the chastening for our well-being fell upon Him, and by His scourging we are healed.**

Pastor: All of us like sheep have gone astray, each of us has turned to his own way;

People: **But the LORD has caused the iniquity of us all to fall on Him.**

***Hymn of Adoration # 127**

“Hallelujah, What A Savior”

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Scripture Reading: Matthew 27:33-56

Hymn of Confession #118

“When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Message from Scripture

Text: Matthew 27:51

“And behold, “the veil of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom; and the earth shook and the rocks were split.”

Hymn of Commitment: # 113

“The Old Rugged Cross”

Benediction

I take, O cross, thy shadow
For my abiding place
I ask no other sunshine than
The sunshine of His face;
Content to let the world go by,
To know no gain nor loss,
My sinful self my only shame,
My glory all the cross.

Elizabeth C. Clephane, 1830-1869

It's Friday, but Sunday's coming!

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Easter Joy

Jesus came to earth,
To show us how to live,
How to put others first,
How to love and how to give.
Then He set about His work,
That God sent Him to do;
He took our punishment on Himself;
He made us clean and new.
He could have saved Himself,
Calling angels from above,
But He chose to pay our price for sin;
He paid it out of love.
Our Lord died on Good Friday,
But the cross did not destroy
His resurrection on Easter morn
That fills our hearts with joy.
Now we know our earthly death,
Like His, is just a rest.
We'll be forever with Him
In heaven, where life is best.
So we live our lives for Jesus,
Think of Him in all we do.
Thank you Savior; Thank you Lord.
Help us love like you!

By Joanna Fuchs

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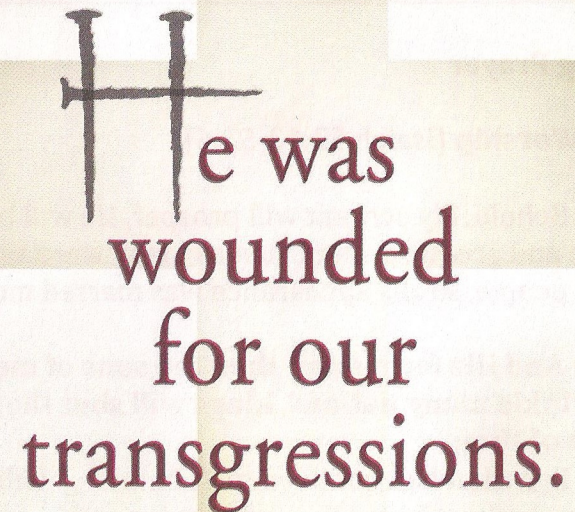
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We Laugh, Pray and Love



He was
wounded
for our
transgressions.

Isaiah 53:5

