GOOD FRIDAY 7 APRIL 2023

God calls us, the people of St. Luke's,
to open wide our doors in the name of Christ:
To all who are young or old and need counsel:
To all who are strong and want a task;
To all who are lonely, weak or mourn and need comfort;
To all who are sinful and need a Savior;
To all who are weary and need rest;
To all who are left out and need acceptance;
To all who are grateful and need a place to give thanks and pray;
To all who are called by worship of the LORD into community outreach;
To all in Christ's name we say, "WELCOME."

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

ACCORDING TO THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER (BCP), THE BOOK OF OCCASIONAL SERVICES (BOS), AND ENRICHING OUR WORSHIP 1 (EOW)

On this day the ministers enter in silence.

All then kneel for silent prayer, after which the Celebrant stands and begins the liturgy with the Collect of the Day.

The Celebrant says Blessed be our God People For ever and ever. Amen.

COLLECT OF THE DAY GOOD FRIDAY BCP 276

Almighty God, we pray you graciously to behold this your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed, and given into the hands of sinners, and to suffer death upon the cross; who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

THE WORD OF GOD

(The people may be seated for the readings.)

Isaiah 52:13--53:12

THE HEBREW SCRIPTURE

See, my servant shall prosper;
he shall be exalted and lifted up
and shall be very high.

Just as there were many who were astonished at him
—so marred was his appearance, beyond human semblance,
and his form beyond that of mortals—
so he shall startle many nations;
kings shall shut their mouths because of him,
for that which had not been told them they shall see,
and that which they had not heard they shall contemplate.

Who has believed what we have heard?
And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed?
For he grew up before him like a young plant and like a root out of dry ground;
he had no form or majesty that we should look at him, nothing in his appearance that we should desire him.
He was despised and rejected by others;
a man of suffering and acquainted with infirmity, and as one from whom others hide their faces he was despised, and we held him of no account.

Surely he has borne our infirmities and carried our diseases, yet we accounted him stricken, struck down by God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the punishment that made us whole, and by his bruises we are healed.

All we like sheep have gone astray; we have all turned to our own way, and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; like a lamb that is led to the slaughter

and like a sheep that before its shearers is silent, so he did not open his mouth.

By a perversion of justice he was taken away.

Who could have imagined his future?

For he was cut off from the land of the living, stricken for the transgression of my people.

They made his grave with the wicked and his tomb with the rich,

although he had done no violence, and there was no deceit in his mouth.

Yet it was the will of the LORD to crush him with affliction. When you make his life an offering for sin, he shall see his offspring and shall prolong his days; through him the will of the LORD shall prosper.

Out of his anguish he shall see;

he shall find satisfaction through his knowledge.

The righteous one, my servant, shall make many righteous, and he shall bear their iniquities.

Therefore I will allot him a portion with the great, and he shall divide the spoil with the strong, because he poured out himself to death and was numbered with the transgressors, yet he bore the sin of many and made intercession for the transgressors.

Reader: Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

People: Thanks be to God.



- 1 My God, my God, why have you for saken me? *
 and are so far from my cry
 and from the words of my distress?
- 2 O my God, I cry in the daytime, but you'do not answer; * by night as well, but I find no rest.
- 3 Yet you are the Holy One, *
 en throned upon the praises of Israel.
- 4 Our forefathers put their trust in you; * they trusted, and you de livered them.
- 5 They cried out to you and were de livered; *
 they trusted in you and were not put to shame.
- 6 But as for me, I am a worm and no man, scorned by all and despised by the people.
- 7 All who see me laugh me to scorn; *
 they curl their lips and wag their heäds, saying,
- 8 "He trusted in the LORD; let him de liver him; * let him rescue him, if he de lights in him."
- 9 Yet you are he who took me out of the womb, * and kept me safe upon my mother's breast.
- 10 I have been entrusted to you ever since I was born; *
 you were my God when I was still in my mother's womb.



- 11 Be not far from me, for trouble is near, and there is none to help.
- 12 Many young bulls en circle me; *
 strong bulls of Bashan sur round me.
- 13 They open wide their jaws at me, *
 like a ravening and a roaring lion.
- 14 I am poured out like water; all my bones are out of joint; * my heart within my breast is melting wax.
- 15 My mouth is dried out like a pot-sherd; my tongue sticks to the roof of my mouth; * and you have laid me in the dust of the grave.
- 16 Packs of dogs close me in, and gangs of evildoers circle a round me; * they pierce my hands and my feet; I can count all my bones.
- 17 They stare and gloat over me; *
 they divide my garments among them;
 they cast löts for my clothing.
- 18 Be not far a'way, O'LORD; *
 you are my'strëngth, hasten to'help me.
- 19 Save me from the sword, *
 my life from the power of the dog.
- 20 Save me from the lion's mouth, *

 my wretched body from the horns of wild bulls.
- †21 I will declare your Name to my brethren; *
 in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.



- 22 Praise the LORD, you that fear him; * stand in awe of him, O offspring of Israel; all you of Jacob's line, give glory.
- 23 For he does not despise nor abhor the poor in their poverty; neither does he hide his face from them; *
 but when they cry to him he hears them.
- 24 My praise is of him in the great as sembly; *

 I will perform my vows in the presence of those who worship him.
- 25 The poor shall eat and be satisfied, and those who seek the LORD shall praise him: *
 "May your heart live for ever!"
- 26 All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD, * and all the families of the nations shall bow be fore him.
- 27 For kingship be longs to the LORD; * he rüles over the nations.
- 28 To him alone all who sleep in the earth bow down in worship; * all who go down to the dist fall be fore him.
- 29 My soul shall live for him; my des'cendants shall serve him; * they shall be known as the LORD's for ever.
- †30 They shall come and make known to a people yet unborn * the saving deeds that he has done.

HEBREWS 4:14-16; 5:7-9

THE EPISTLE

Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears, to the one who was able to save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered, and having been made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him.

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People: Thanks be to God.

SEQUENCE HYMN #168

O sacred head, sore wounded (vv. 1-3)

HERZLICH TUT

THE HOLY GOSPEL

JOHN 18:1-19:42

No responses are made by the people.

Directly following the narration of the death of Jesus, it is customary for a period of silence to be kept, during which the people kneel, if able.

When the reading continues after the silence, all stand, if able.

THE HOMILY

THE REV. JOSEPH CUNDIFF

Hymn #158

Ah, holy Jesus, how hast thou offended

HERZLIEBSTER JESU

THE SOLEMN COLLECTS

BCP 277-280

Dear People of God: Our heavenly Father sent his Son into the world, not to condemn the world, but that the world through him might be saved; that all who believe in him might be delivered from the power of sin and death, and become heirs with him of everlasting life. We pray, therefore, for people everywhere according to their needs.

Let us pray for the one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church of Christ throughout the world; For its unity in witness and service

For all bishops and other ministers and the people whom they serve

For Michael, our Presiding Bishop and Primate;

For Lawrence, our Bishop; Geralyn, Assistant Bishop;

Bill and Daniel, Assisting Bishops, and for all the people of this diocese

For our clergy; for our Wardens and Vestry; for our staff

For all Christians in this community

For those about to be baptized and confirmed

That God will confirm his Church in faith, increase it in love, and preserve it in peace.

Silence

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of your faithful people is governed and sanctified: Receive our supplications and prayers which we offer before you for all members of your holy Church, that in their vocation and ministry they may truly and devoutly serve you; through our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. **Amen**.

Let us pray for all nations and peoples of the earth, and for those in authority among them;

For Joseph, the President of the United States, Kamala, the Vice President of the United States, Kathy, the Governor of New York, Peter, the Town Supervisor, and Jerry, the Mayor of this village.

For the Congress and the Supreme Court

For the Members and Representatives of the United Nations

For all who serve the common good

That by God's help they may seek justice and truth, and live in peace and concord.

Silence

Almighty God, kindle, we pray, in every heart the true love of peace, and guide with your wisdom those who take counsel for the nations of the earth; that in tranquility your dominion may increase, until the earth is filled with the knowledge of your love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

Let us pray for all who suffer and are afflicted in body or in mind;

For the hungry and the homeless, for the destitute and the oppressed

For the sick, the wounded, and the crippled, especially Walter (Robin) Maynard,

Rosemarie Goven, Carole, Bruce Ingerson, Anita, Richard Conklin,

Sue Vaughan, Clifford, Sandy Conklin, Susan, Atilla Ozturk,

Rosita Bridgewater, Tuula Ingerson, George Kneip, Thomas Corbey,

Charlie Riggi, Michele Riggi

For those in loneliness, fear, and anguish

For those who face temptation, doubt, and despair

For the sorrowful and bereaved

For prisoners and captives, and those in mortal danger

That God in his mercy will comfort and relieve them, and grant them the knowledge of his love, and stir up in us the will and patience to minister to their needs.

Silence

Gracious God, the comfort of all who sorrow, the strength of all who suffer: Let the cry of those in misery and need come to you, that they may find your mercy present with them in all their afflictions; and give us, we pray, the strength to serve them for the sake of him who suffered for us, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.

Let us pray for all who have not received the Gospel of Christ;

For those who have never heard the word of salvation

For those who have lost their faith

For those hardened by sin or indifference

For the contemptuous and the scornful

For those who are enemies of the cross of Christ and persecutors of his disciples

For those who in the name of Christ have persecuted others

That God will open their hearts to the truth, and lead them to faith and obedience.

Silence

Merciful God, creator of all the peoples of the earth and lover of souls: Have compassion on all who do not know you as you are revealed in your Son Jesus Christ; let your Gospel be preached with grace and power to those who have not heard it; turn the hearts of those who resist it; and bring home to your fold those who have gone astray; that there may be one flock under one shepherd, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**.d

Let us commit ourselves to our God, and pray for the grace of a holy life, that, with all who have departed this world and have died in the peace of Christ, especially Michelle Judge, and those whose faith is known to God alone, we may be accounted worthy to enter into the fullness of the joy of our Lord, and receive the crown of life in the day of resurrection.

Silence

O God of unchangeable power and eternal light: Look favorably on your whole Church, that wonderful and sacred mystery; by the effectual working of your providence, carry out in tranquility the plan of salvation; let the whole world see and know that things which were cast down are being raised up, and things which had grown old are being made new, and that all things are being brought to their perfection by him through whom all things were made, your Son Jesus Christ our Lord; who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**.

Hymn #172

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

WERE YOU THERE

VENERATION OF THE CROSS

Celebrant: Behold the wood of the Cross, on which hung the world's salvation.

People: Come, let us adore him.

ANTHEMS DURING VENERATION OF THE CROSS

Miserere mi, Deus

Comp. Gregorio Allegri

Come Sweet Death

Comp. J.S. Bach

Hymn #160

Cross of Jesus, cross of sorrow

Cross of Jesus

THE CONFESSION OF SIN

EOW 56

The Celebrant says Let us confess our sins to God.

Silence may be kept.

Minister and People God of all mercy, we confess that we have sinned against you, opposing your will in our lives. We have denied your goodness in each other, in ourselves, and in the world you have created. We repent of the evil that enslaves us, the evil we have done, and the evil done on our behalf. Forgive, restore, and strengthen us through our Savior Jesus Christ, that we may abide in your love and serve only your will. Amen.

The priest alone stands and says

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through the grace of Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BCP 364

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.

Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

COMMUNION FROM THE RESERVED SACRAMENT

As Good Friday is a solemn fast, a festal celebration of the Eucharist and consecration of the Sacrament is inconsistent with the observance of this day.

Receiving the Reserved Sacrament should be done at the believer's discretion, according to one's piety.

For some, eating the Bread and drinking the Cup proclaims the Lord's death until He returns, and is the sacrament whereby the believer, with the whole Church, is drawn into the movement of Christ's own self-offering to the Father.

For some, the focus of this day is The Cross, and today's is a liturgy tied to the Eucharist of the previous evening (thus, the silence of last night's departure and the silence of today's entry).

THE INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized Christians from any denomination may receive the Sacrament of Holy Communion. If you are not baptized or you choose not to receive Holy Communion, you may receive a blessing from the priest, signaling this by crossing your arms over your chest.

Please receive the bread only on the palm of your hand.

Please only take wine by drinking from the chalice.

PLEASE DO NOT INTINCT (Do not dip the bread into the wine)

If you choose not to take the wine, you may make a sign of reverence with a simple bow of the head.

By receiving even in one kind (either Bread or Wine), one fully receives the Real Presence of Christ.

CONCLUDING PRAYER BCP 282

Lord Jesus Christ, Son of the living God, we pray you to set your passion, cross, and death between your judgment and our souls, now and in the hour of our death. Give mercy and grace to the living; pardon and rest to the dead; to your holy Church peace and concord; and to us sinners everlasting life and glory; for with the Father and the Holy Spirit you live and reign, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**.

ALL DEPART IN SILENCE.

Eucharistic Minister: Brian Craig Old Testament: Dianne Benson New Testament: Mary Busch Altar Guild: Gail Parker, Roy Parker, Diane Russo

THE ARRANGEMENTS ON THE ALTAR TODAY ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Rev. & Mrs. Samuel Davis by their family

BLESS THOSE WHO CELEBRATE BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Anne Schumacher, Anne Mittendorf, Lauren Mansley, Diane Tutino, Cecelia Blanchard, Alexander Laughlin, Liana Morales, Stephen Sullens

Save the Date! Sunday, May 7, 2023 11am in Hoie Hall

Join us to welcome Fr. Ben Shambaugh, our new Rector of St Luke's



NOTICES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

IF A VISIT BY CLERGY IS DESIRED OR NEEDED, please notify the office.

DIGITAL GIVING TO SUPPORT OUR MINISTRIES

Your time, talent, and treasure are vital for St. Luke's to bring the Good News of Christ Jesus to the people of East Hampton and the world. And, the good news is you can financially support with a couple of clicks or taps!

We accept credit cards at the kiosks near the two entrances. You can also contribute via Venmo (@StLukesEHNY) and via the QR code. And, you can support our ministries by giving via our parish website: www.stlukeseasthampton.org. Call the office with any questions.



LIVING LEGACY SOCIETY

It is the duty of all Christians to make wills, while they are in health, arranging for the disposal of their temporal goods, not neglecting, if they are able, to leave bequests for religious and charitable uses. (BCP 445)

St. Luke's has a simple bequest program to St. Luke's East Hampton as a beneficiary in your will, trust or estate with this sample language that may be given to "I give, devise, and bequeath to St. Luke's Episcopal Church (*insert amount, percentage of estate, nature of gift, or remainder of estate*) to be used at the discretion of the Rector and the Vestry (or for a designated purpose)." Those who choose to notify the Church that they have done so will be gratefully recognized for their commitment as members of the Living Legacy Society.

JOIN ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH FOR A TOUR OF

JHE CAJHEDRAL OF SJ. JOHN JHE DIVINE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12TH 8:30 AM JITNEY DEPARTS 11:30 AM LUNCH 1:00 PM TOUR

NEW YORK, NY

TOUR TICKETS MAY PURCHASED BY
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You may also RSVP by emailing Lucy Kazickas at lucykazickas@gmail.com

The tour includes many highlights of the Cathedral's history, architecture, and artwork, from the Great Bronze Doors to the seven Chapels of the Tongues. We will also learn about the daily services, events, and programs that welcome and inspire visitors from around the world.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

AT ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

All Services take place in the church and will be livestreamed on our website, Facebook and YouTube www.stlukeseasthampton.org/worship-service-schedules

MON, TUES & WED APRIL 3, 4 & 5

Evening Prayer | 7:30 PM

THURSDAY, APRIL 6

Holy Eucharist/Washing of Feet | 7:30 PM All Night Prayer Vigil | 8:30 PM - 8:30 AM

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 7

Good Friday Liturgy | 12:00 Noon Meditation before the Cross | 1:00 - 3:00 PM Stations of the Cross | 3:00 PM

HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 8

Holy Saturday Liturgy | 12:00 Noon Great Vigil of Easter | 5:00 PM - Christ Church, Sag Harbor

RESURRECTION OF THE LORD: EASTER SUNDAY - APRIL 9

Holy Eucharist and Hymns | 8.00 AM Sung Holy Eucharist & Holy Baptism | 10.00 AM



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REGULAR SCHEDULE OF WORSHIP

Sunday - 8 a.m. (Rite I) & 10 a.m. (Rite II)

Wednesday - 10 a.m. (Morning Prayer)

Saturday at St. Peter's Chapel (Memorial Day-Labor Day) - 5:30 p.m. (Rite II)

The Most Rev. Justin Welby, Archbishop of Canterbury
The Most Rev. Michael B. Curry, Presiding Bishop & Primate
The Rt. Rev. Lawrence Provenzano, Bishop Diocesan
The Rt. Rev. Geralyn Wolf, Assistant Bishop
The Rt. Rev. Bill Franklin, The Rt. Rev. Daniel Allotey, Assisting Bishops

The Rev. Joseph L. Cundiff, IV, Interim Priest-in-Charge

VESTRY

Tina Giles, Charles Riggi, Church Wardens Mary Busch, Lucy Kazickas (2023) John Hadden (Treasurer) Mark Nelson, Roy Parker (2024) Caroline Dean, Robert DeLaMater, Jeffrey Sussman (2025)

Robert Peterson, Music Director | Tara Brinka, Parish Administrator | Colleen Stonemetz, Christian Ed. Director | Oscar Giles, Verger

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