

April 3, 2026

Good Friday

7:00 PM

Tenebrae is a service of darkness & shadows. Candles are gradually extinguished to symbolize the fading light of the world, ending in complete darkness as we mourn Christ's light being snuffed out.

Prelude O World I Now Must Leave You Brahms

Welcome Rev. Dr. Gina Hendrickson

Call to Worship Pastor Gina

In the shadow of our suffering

Is the suffering of Jesus.

In the shadow of our weakness

Is the vulnerability of the Christ.

In the shadow of our pain

Is the God who cried out.

We are never rejected,

We are never left alone.

Hymn #287 O Love Divine, What Hast Thou Done

Opening Prayer Jeremiah Appleton

Holy God, on this sacred night we walk with you into the darkest places of our world and our lives. Bearing your cross you lead us to discover that even in these darkest places your love is ever present. As we gather and linger at the foot of the cross, may we know your presence, even amidst all our brokenness. Tonight we remember the length and depth of God's love given to us at such great cost. Amen.

~ The Passion of Christ ~

Scripture, Light & Sacred Music

The Betrayal and Arrest of Jesus

Hymn #290 Go To Dark Gethsemane (vv 1-2)

The Denial and Judgement of Jesus

Hymn #292 What Wondrous Love is This (vv 1-2)

Jesus Before Pilate and the Chief Priests

Hymn #298 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

The Crucifixion and Death of Jesus

Hymn #286 O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

The Burial of Jesus

Hymn #288 Were You There (vv 1-4)

Sending Forth

Pastor Gina

Go tonight in peace, leaving in silence. May Jesus Christ, who for our sake became obedient unto death, even death on a cross, keep you and strengthen you this night and forever. Amen.

**REMAIN IN PRAYER AS LONG AS NEEDED,
THEN DEPART IN SILENCE**



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***A Basket is in the rear for an offering to support Christ's ministries here at FMC. God bless you tonight.**

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9:00 A.M. Contemporary Worship

11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship

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