

Holy Week Services:

Maundy Thursday: Thursday, March 28 @ 6:00pm

Good Friday: Friday, March 29 @ 6:00pm

Annual Easter Egg Hunt: Saturday, March 30 @ 10:00am

Easter Sunday: Sunday, March 31:

1st Easter Service at 9:00am, 2nd Easter Service at 10:30am

THANK YOU FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US TODAY!

Faith Lutheran Church of Spicer is delighted to have you join us for today's worship service. We are a congregation of the Southwest Minnesota Synod of the ELCA. Faith Lutheran seeks to live out this mission:

God gathers us as a family of Faith to nurture, inspire, and share the love of Jesus with all people.

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Good Friday Worship



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All gather in silence.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

Let us pray. Almighty God, **look with loving mercy on your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed, to be given over to the hands of sinners, and to suffer death on the cross; who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.**

SPECIAL MUSIC *Come Ye Disconsolate* Faith Chancel Choir

FIRST READING: Isaiah 52:13-53:12

SECOND READING: Hebrews 10:16-25

LENTEN VERSE *ELW pg. 151 "Return to the Lord your God..."*

GOSPEL: John 18:1-19:42

SERMON Pastor Tim Routh

HYMN *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* ELW 351

BIDDING PRAYER

Let us pray, brothers and sisters, for the holy church throughout the world.

...through Christ our Lord, **Amen.**

Finally, let us pray for all those things for which our Lord would have us ask: **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 forever. Amen.**

HYMN *Were You There* ELW 353

PROCESSION OF THE CROSS

Behold the life-giving cross, on which was hung the Savior of the whole world. **Oh, come, let us worship him.** (spoken 3x)

We glory in your cross, O Lord, and we praise your holy resurrection, for by your cross joy has come into the world.

May God be merciful and bless us; may the light of God's face shine upon us. Let your way be known upon earth, your saving health among all nations.

We glory in your cross, O Lord, and we praise your holy resurrection, for by your cross joy has come into the world.

Let the people praise you, O God; let all the peoples praise you. May God give us blessing, and may all the ends of the earth stand in awe.

We glory in your cross, O Lord, and we praise your holy resurrection, for by your cross joy has come into the world.

We adore you, O Christ, and we bless you.
By your holy cross you have redeemed the world.

We leave the sanctuary in silence.

Please leave your offering in the plate at the back of the Sanctuary when you leave.

Thank you to our accompanist, Sharon Willen and violinist, Henry Vetsch.