The Seven Last Words of Jesus

Prelude "Darest Hour" arr. Joel Raney
Dorrie Kelly, pianist

Welcome The Rev. Dr. Elbert Kim

*Call to Worship

Leader: In sorrow, we gather this day.

People: Even now, we proclaim our hope in Christ.

Leader: In remembrance of his suffering, we gather to worship.

People: Even now, we find rest in the courage of Christ.

Leader: In contemplation and reflection, we gather to pray.

People: Our faith and confidence in Christ are sure.

*Opening Hymn "Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley" FWS #2112

Invocation

Merciful God, as we remember how your son Jesus bore our sins in his body on the cross, how seven times he spoke, seven words of love, we ask you to bless our hearing. Through these words, help us to understand the mystery of your love and make us a people ever more worthy of it. Amen.

The First Word

Scripture Luke 23:33-34

Extinguishing of the First Candle

Voluntary "Lenten Litany" Martin How

The Second Word

Scripture Luke 23:39-43

Extinguishing of the Second Candle

Reflection The Rev. Dr. Michael P. Anderson

Hymn "O Christ, You Hang Upon a Cross" W&S 3084

vs. 1, 4

The Third Word

Scripture John 19:25b-27

Extinguishing of the Third Candle

Call for Offering

This evening's offering is dedicated to supporting the ministry of the Spirit of Galilee, an interfaith group seeking peace in the regions surrounding Galilee.

Offertory "What Wondrous Love Is This" arr. Fave Lopez

The Fourth Word

Scripture Mark 15:33-34

Extinguishing of the Fourth Candle

Reflection The Rev. Canon Julie H. Morris

Hymn "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" UMH #286

vs. 1, 2

The Fifth Word

Scripture John 19:28

Extinguishing of the Fifth Candle

Prayers of the PeopleThe Rev. Dr. Elbert Kim

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Voluntary "Agnus Dei" Joseph M. Martin

The Sixth Word

Scripture John 19:29-30a

Extinguishing of the Sixth Candle

Hymn "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" UMH #298

vs. 1, 3, 4

The Seventh Word

Scripture Luke 23:46

Extinguishing of the Seventh Candle

Remain in silence

Voluntary "Were You There" arr. Steve Dunn

Benediction

Please exit in silence

Assisting in worship this evening

Clergy: The Rev. Dr. Elbert Kim, Camarillo United Methodist Church The Rev. Dr. Michael Anderson, St. Columba's Episcopal Church The Rev. Canon Julie Morris. Mount Cross Lutheran Church

Liturgists: Paul Amendt and Claire Johnson Director of Music: Dr. Luvi Avendano

Pianist: Dorrie Kelly

Joint Combined Choir from the participating congregations

Easter Celebrations

*Holy Saturday – March 30, 2024*7:00 PM, Easter Vigil Service at **Mount Cross Lutheran Church**102 Camino Esplendido, Camarillo, CA 93010

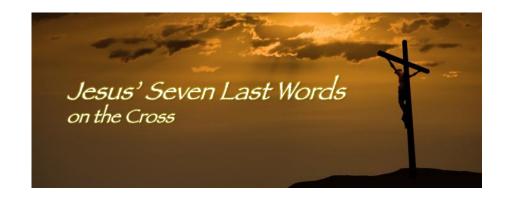
Easter Sunday – March 31, 2024
9:15 AM, Easter Celebration with Brass Ensemble at Camarillo United Methodist Church 291 Anacapa Drive, Camarillo, CA 93010
Easter Egg Hunt and Refreshments after worship

9:30 AM, Holy Eucharist at **St. Columba's Episcopal Church**1251 Las Posas Road, Camarillo, CA 93010
Festive Coffee Hour after worship

9:30 AM, Worship at **Mount Cross Lutheran Church** 102 Camino Esplendido, Camarillo, CA 93010 Pancake Breakfast 8:00-9:30 AM and 10:30 AM-Noon Easter Egg Hunt after worship

Good Friday Service

March 29, 2024 at 7:00 p.m.



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