

Clear Lake United Methodist Church

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Rev. Sylvester Holima, Pastor

Friday, March 29, 2024

7:00 p.m.

Good Friday



Offering Plates are located at the front of the sanctuary tonight.

(=Please stand as able)*

GATHERING *Seven Words Amid His Pain He Spoke; Lamb of God – J.S. Bach*
What Wondrous Love Is This – American Folk Hymn

PROCESSION *Go to Dark Gethsemane – Montgomery/Redhead*
Colton Ironside, soloist

WELCOME

RESPONSIVE READING

Christ himself bore our sins in his body on the tree.

That we might die to sin and live to righteousness.

***OPENING HYMN** *Beneath the Cross of Jesus*

UMH #297

***OPENING PRAYER**

Almighty God, your Son Jesus Christ was lifted high upon the cross so that he might draw the whole world to himself. Grant that we, who glory in this death for our salvation, may also glory in his call to take up our cross and follow him; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING: Isaiah 52:13-15; 53:3-10, 12

SCRIPTURE READINGS: Psalm 22:1-5; 27-31; Hebrews 10:16-18. 22-25

HYMN *Were You There? – Verses 1 & 2*

UMH #288

*As you come to receive communion, you may deposit your offering
in the plates located at the front of the Sanctuary.*

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

LORD'S PRAYER

UMH #895

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

***THE DOXOLOGY** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH #95
(Sung to tune UMH#298 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*)

***OFFERING PRAYER**

HYMN *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* UMH #286

MESSAGE "The Seven Last Words of Jesus" Pastor Sylvester
Assisted by: Jody Applegate, Donna Brady, Randy Brager, Colton Ironside, Mike Watson

***CLOSING HYMN** *My Jesus, I Love Thee – Verses 1 & 2* UMH #172

***BENEDICTION**

(You may leave quietly or remain seated for silent reflection)

Worship Leaders

Pastor – Sylvester Holima
Choir Director – Colton Ironside
Accompanist – Mary Jane Crail
Liturgist – Gary Harris
Communion Steward – Tracy Peterson
Communion Server – Pat Hansen, Gary Harris

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