

TCC @ HOME

Friday, 10 April 2020 – GOOD FRIDAY

1. **WELCOME:** Luke G

2. **CALL TO WORSHIP:** **Mark 10:31-33** Luke G

Again he took the Twelve aside and told them what was going to happen to him.

³³ “We are going up to Jerusalem,” he said, “and the Son of Man will be delivered over to the chief priests and the teachers of the law. They will condemn him to death and will hand him over to the Gentiles, ³⁴ who will mock him and spit on him, flog him and kill him. Three days later he will rise.”

Mark 10:32-34 (New International Version, 2011)

3. **OPENING PRAYER:** Said together

Heavenly Father, on this Good Friday we remember that Jesus was crucified; that He was pierced for our transgressions; that He suffered and died for our iniquities. We remember the sacrifice of our Lord with gratitude, because His death gives us life and brings redemption into the world. Help us, we pray, to worship our Saviour, in whose name we pray. **AMEN**

4. **SONG:** Old rugged cross

On a hill far away stood an old
rugged cross
The emblem of suff'ring and shame
And I love that old cross where the
dearest and best
For a world of lost sinners was slain

**So I'll cherish the old rugged cross
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the old rugged cross
And exchange it some day for a
crown**

In the old rugged cross stained with
blood so divine
A wondrous beauty I see
For 'twas on that old cross Jesus
suffered and died
To pardon and sanctify me

CHORUS

To the old rugged cross I will ever
be true
Its shame and reproach gladly bear
Then He'll call me some day to my
home far away
Where His glory forever I'll share

CHORUS

PUBLIC DOMAIN

5. **KIDS SLOT:**

Brenda Beckett

6. **FAMILY NEWS:**

Luke G

7. **PRAYER:**

Iris Sheriffs

8. BIBLE READING: **Mark 15:16-41**

Susan Mhakure

- ¹⁶The soldiers led Jesus away into the palace (that is, the Praetorium) and called together the whole company of soldiers. ¹⁷They put a purple robe on him, then twisted together a crown of thorns and set it on him. ¹⁸And they began to call out to him, "Hail, king of the Jews!" ¹⁹Again and again they struck him on the head with a staff and spit on him. Falling on their knees, they paid homage to him. ²⁰And when they had mocked him, they took off the purple robe and put his own clothes on him. Then they led him out to crucify him.
- ²¹A certain man from Cyrene, Simon, the father of Alexander and Rufus, was passing by on his way in from the country, and they forced him to carry the cross. ²²They brought Jesus to the place called Golgotha (which means "the place of the skull"). ²³Then they offered him wine mixed with myrrh, but he did not take it. ²⁴And they crucified him. Dividing up his clothes, they cast lots to see what each would get.
- ²⁵It was nine in the morning when they crucified him. ²⁶The written notice of the charge against him read: the king of the Jews.
- ²⁷They crucified two rebels with him, one on his right and one on his left.
- ²⁹Those who passed by hurled insults at him, shaking their heads and saying, "So! You who are going to destroy the temple and build it in three days, ³⁰come down from the cross and save yourself!"
- ³¹In the same way the chief priests and the teachers of the law mocked him among themselves. "He saved others," they said, "but he can't save himself! ³²Let this Messiah, this king of Israel, come down now from the cross, that we may see and believe." Those crucified with him also heaped insults on him.
- ³³At noon, darkness came over the whole land until three in the afternoon. ³⁴And at three in the afternoon Jesus cried out in a loud voice, "Eloi, Eloi, lema sabachthani?" (which means "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?").
- ³⁵When some of those standing near heard this, they said, "Listen, he's calling Elijah."
- ³⁶Someone ran, filled a sponge with wine vinegar, put it on a staff, and offered it to Jesus to drink. "Now leave him alone. Let's see if Elijah comes to take him down," he said.
- ³⁷With a loud cry, Jesus breathed his last.
- ³⁸The curtain of the temple was torn in two from top to bottom. ³⁹And when the centurion, who stood there in front of Jesus, saw how he died, he said, "Surely this man was the Son of God!"
- ⁴⁰Some women were watching from a distance. Among them were Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James the younger and of Joseph, and Salome. ⁴¹In Galilee these women had followed him and cared for his needs. Many other women who had come up with him to Jerusalem were also there.

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

9. SERMON:

Graham V

10. PRAYER of CONFESSION:

said together

Heavenly Father, as we stand in the shadow of the cross, we confess how often we disobey what we know to be your will. We have not loved you as we ought, and we have not loved our neighbour as ourselves. Help us to see ourselves in the light of your holiness; so that we may hate our sin and turn from it. Have mercy upon us; and grant us true repentance so we might serve and please you. To the honour and glory of your name we pray. AMEN

11. COMMUNION:

Graham V

12. PRAYER of THANKSGIVING:

Luke G

Father, thank You for assuring us of Your goodness and love, through the body and blood of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Renew us by Your Holy Spirit, unite us in the body of Your Son, and bring us with all Your people into the joy of Your eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

13. SONG: Come behold the wondrous mystery

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
In the dawning of the King
He the theme of heaven's praises
Robed in frail humanity
In our longing in our darkness
Now the light of life has come
Look to Christ who condescended
Took on flesh to ransom us

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
He the perfect Son of Man
In His living in His suff'ring
Never trace nor stain of sin
See the true and better Adam
Come to save the hell-bound man
Christ the great and sure fulfillment
Of the law in Him we stand

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Christ the Lord upon the tree
In the stead of ruined sinners
Hangs the Lamb in victory
See the price of our redemption
See the Father's plan unfold
Bringing many sons to glory
Grace unmeasured love untold

Come behold the wondrous myst'ry
Slain by death the God of life
But no grave could e'er restrain Him
Praise the Lord He is alive
What a foretaste of deliv'rance
How unwavering our hope
Christ in power resurrected
As we will be when He comes

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14. CLOSING PRAYER:

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