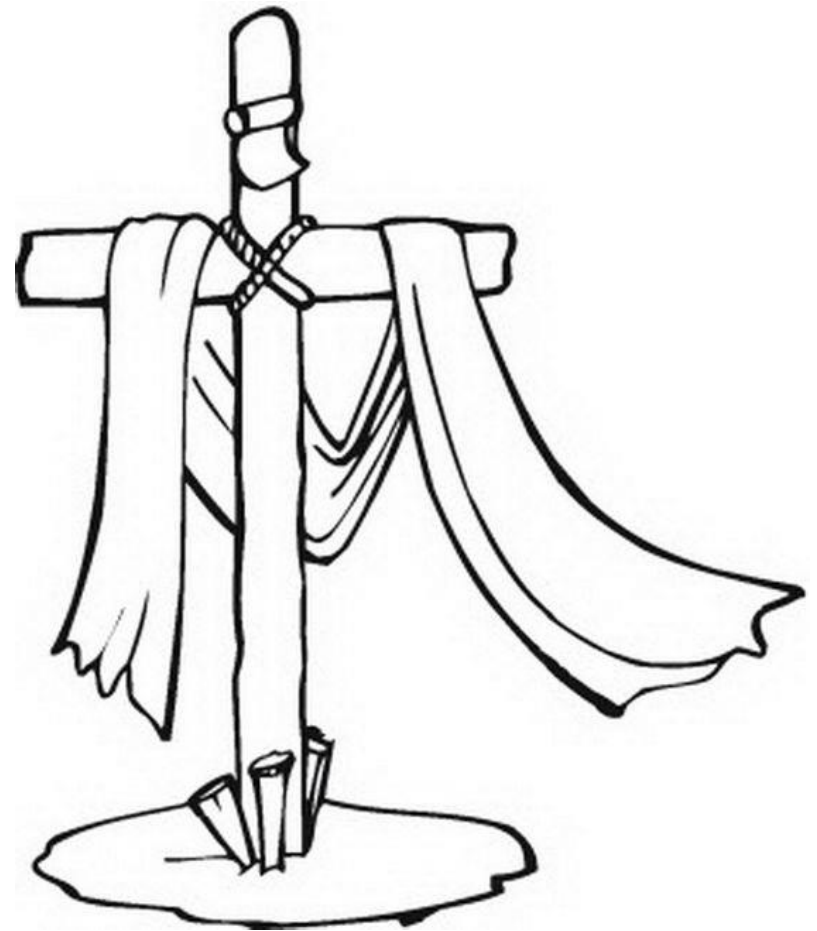


From the depths we cry out to God.  
From our deep, disturbing thoughts  
we look for Christ.  
Christ, in our lives, around us, Spirit,  
breathing.  
The longest three days – Friday to  
Sunday we hold our breath; we sigh;  
we pray.

God, Christ, will not forsake us.

Be of good cheer. Easter is coming.



Good Friday Service  
Linden Park United Community Church  
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\*Indicates an invitation to stand if you'd like.  
Bold type indicates responses to be said or sung  
by all.

WE GATHER TO REMEMBER

Musical Prelude Welcome - Lighting of the Christ  
Candle

Moment for Reflection Centering Prayer

**\*We sing: What wondrous love is this 147**

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD FOR US

Gospel: Mark 15: 21-39

Choir: Take me to the cross

Message: Heart of Worship

Mourning and Lament Litany:

Hungry: **"take, eat, this is my body"**

Thirsty: **"they offered him bitter vinegar"**

Stranger: **"I do not know the man"**

Naked: **"they stripped him"**

Sick: **"he cried with a loud voice, "Eli, Eli, lema  
sabachthani?" that is, "My God, my God, why  
have you forsaken me?""**

Imprisoned: **"they bound him"**

We acknowledge our separation from God. We  
pray....

**We sing: Beneath the cross of Jesus 135**

It is finished.

**O my people, O my church, what have I done to  
you, or in what have I offended you? I came to  
you as the least of your brothers and sisters; I  
was hungry and you gave me no food, I was  
thirsty and you gave me no drink, I was a  
stranger and you did not welcome me, naked  
and you did not clothe me, and in prison and  
you did not visit me, I raised you from death  
and prepared for you the tree of life, but you  
have prepared a cross for your Savior. Holy God,  
holy and mighty, holy and immortal, have mercy  
on us.**

**\*Hymn: Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross 142**

WE GO FORTH in Silence