

First United Presbyterian Church
1000 Douglas Avenue, Las Vegas NM 87701
April 2, 2021 7:00 p.m.

FROM SUPPER TO TOMB: JESUS' PASSION

WE GATHER AROUND THE WORD

MEDITATION – *I hear the whispering of many—terror all around!—as they scheme together against me, as they plot to take my life. But I trust in you, O Lord; I say, “You are my God.”*

–Psalm 31:13-14

WORDS OF WELCOME

Rev. Katie Palmer

CENTERING MUSIC

Em Krall

CALL TO AWARENESS

One: This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all.

Jesus, the Christ, is the light of the world.

Many: **And this is the judgment: the light has come into the world and we love the darkness rather than light.**

One: We gather to remember Jesus' passion and to look toward God's mercy as we pray:

Many: **O God, may we remember your incarnational work through Jesus. Bring your saving work to completion so that we may see the fallen lifted, the old made new, and all things brought to wholeness through Christ. Amen.**

WE JOIN JESUS IN JERUSALEM

Luke 22:1-13

Kent Reid

WE SHARE IN THE LORD'S SUPPER

Luke 22:14-21

Prayer of Repentance and Thanksgiving

Partaking in Bread and Cup

SILENT MEDITATION

What Wondrous Love is This

THE STORY OF JESUS' ARREST, TRIAL, AND CRUCIFIXION

Mara's Story

Beth Urech

Luke 23:32-47

Patrick Rucker

This is the Night

Jesus Carries Our Sins

WE JOIN THE CRIMINAL, ASKING JESUS' FORGIVENESS

Jesus Remember Me (GTG #227)

Dear FUPC Family and Friends,

I invite you to join us on zoom at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, April 2, for a Good Friday service, From Supper to Tomb: Jesus' Passion. To join, please go to <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5739200081> , go to our website, lvpresbyterian.org and click on "Join Us Live On Zoom," or call in at 312 626 6799 and enter meeting ID 573-920-0081.

Although it can be painful to witness the Scriptures in which Jesus suffers and dies, it is so important to remember how this part of Jesus' story goes—that by standing against greed and corruption in favor of love and justice, he was targeted and executed. His death was, ultimately, for us and for the truth of what saves us. Part of that truth is understanding how Jesus' story still stands for love and justice and against our greed and corruption; how God Incarnate still carries our pain. I hope you will join me for this meaningful service that reminds us what a dark place the world is when we snuff out the light of love and grace.

In addition to this service, the recorded Tenebrae service from last year will be available for viewing on our website during Holy Week.

Thank you for all who participated in this service:

Music Director: Karyl Lyne

Accompanist: Em Krall

Singers: Christie Baskett, Jan Buerskens, Mark Gillingham, Judy Long, Karyl Lyne, D.R. Palmer, Kent Reid

Readers: Kent Reid, Patrick Rucker

Storyteller: Beth Urech

Videos: Tegan Palmer

Zoom Host: D.R. Palmer

Office Managers: Linda Solyntjes and Crystal Western Ford

Pastor: Rev. Katie Palmer



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