

Good Friday Standard Liturgy, v1.2

Slide 1 - Title Screen

Slide 2 - Intro Screen

- Once the service starts, please keep your microphones on mute
- Please join in for the responses in bold (muted)
- There will be a period of silence at various points during the service
- With it being Good Friday, we ask that we leave in silence at the end of the service.

Slide 3 - The Gathering (Picture - no text on screen)

The ministers enter in silence.

All may kneel for a time of silent prayer.

Slide 4 - The Collect

All stand and the president says the Collect

Almighty Father,
look with mercy on this your family
for which our Lord Jesus Christ was content to be betrayed
and given up into the hands of sinners
and to suffer death upon the cross;
who is alive and glorified with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

All Amen

The Liturgy of the Word

Slide 5 - Old Testament Reading

Isaiah 52.13–end of 53

At the end the reader may say

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Silence is kept.

Slide 6 - Psalm

Psalm 22.1-11

Slide 7 - New Testament Reading

Hebrews 4.14-16

At the end the reader may say

This is the word of the Lord.

All Thanks be to God.

Silence is kept.

Slide 8 - The Passion Reading

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

John 18.1–end of 19

At the end the reader says

This is the Passion of the Lord.

Silence is kept.

Slide 9 - How Deep The Father's Love

Slide 10 to 23 - The Proclamation of the Cross

- 10** Is it nothing to you, all you who pass by?
Look and see if there is any sorrow like my sorrow
which was brought upon me,
which the Lord inflicted on the day of his fierce anger.
- 11** **Holy God,**
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.
- 12** O my people, O my Church,
what have I done to you,
or in what have I offended you?
Testify against me.
I led you forth from the land of Egypt,
and delivered you by the waters of baptism,
but you have prepared a cross for your Saviour.
- 13** **Holy God,**
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.
- 14** I led you through the desert forty years,
and fed you with manna.
I brought you through tribulation and penitence,
and gave you my body, the bread of heaven,
but you prepared a cross for your Saviour.
- 15** **Holy God,**
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.

16 What more could I have done for you
that I have not done?
I planted you, my chosen and fairest vineyard,
I made you the branches of my vine;
but when I was thirsty, you gave me vinegar to drink,
and pierced with a spear the side of your Saviour.

17 **Holy God,**
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.

18 I went before you in a pillar of cloud,
and you have led me to the judgement hall of Pilate.
I scourged your enemies and brought you
to a land of freedom,
but you have scourged, mocked and beaten me.
I gave you the water of salvation from the rock,
but you have given me gall and left me to thirst.

19 **Holy God,**
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.

20 I gave you a royal sceptre,
and bestowed the keys of the kingdom,
but you have given me a crown of thorns.
I raised you on high with great power,
but you have hanged me on the cross.

21 **Holy God,**
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.

22 My peace I gave, which the world cannot give,
and washed your feet as a sign of my love,
but you draw the sword to strike in my name,
and seek high places in my kingdom.
I offered you my body and blood,
but you scatter and deny and abandon me.

23 Holy God,
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.

Slide 24 to 29 - The Prayers of Intercession

The president introduces the prayers

24 God sent his Son into the world, not to condemn the world,
but that the world might be saved through him.
Therefore we pray to our heavenly Father
for people everywhere according to their needs.

A minister continues with these biddings, the president saying the Collect at the end of each section.

Minister

25 Let us pray for the Church of God throughout the world:
for unity in faith, in witness and in service,
for bishops and other ministers, and those whom they serve,
for N, our bishop, and the people of this diocese,
for all Christians in this place,
for those to be baptised,
for those who are mocked and persecuted for their faith,
that God will confirm his Church in faith,
increase it in love, and preserve it in peace.

Silence is kept.

Lord, hear us.

All Lord, graciously hear us.

Minister

26 Let us pray for all those who suffer:
for those who are deprived and oppressed,
for all who are sick,
for those in darkness, in doubt and in despair, in loneliness and in fear,
for prisoners, captives and refugees,
for the victims of false accusations and violence,
for all at the point of death and those who watch beside them,
that God in his mercy will sustain them
with the knowledge of his love.

Silence is kept.

Lord, hear us.

All Lord, graciously hear us.

Minister

27 Let us commend ourselves and all God's children to his unfailing love,
and pray for the grace of a holy life,
that, with all who have died in the peace of Christ,
we may come to the fullness of eternal life
and the joy of the resurrection.

Silence is kept.

Lord, hear us.

All Lord, graciously hear us.

President

- 28** O God of unchangeable power and eternal light,
look favourably on your whole Church,
that wonderful and sacred mystery,
and by the tranquil operation of your perpetual providence
carry out the work of our salvation:
and let the whole world feel and see
that things which were cast down are being raised up
and things which had grown old are being made new
and that all things are returning to perfection
- 29** through him from whom they took their origin,
even Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

Slide 30 & 31 - Conclusion

- 29** Most merciful God,
who by the death and resurrection of your Son Jesus Christ
delivered and saved the world:
grant that by faith in him who suffered on the cross
we may triumph in the power of his victory;
- 30** through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

All Amen.

Slide 32 - Closing Screen