

HOLY MONDAY

Order for the Public Worship of God

April 11, 2022 · 12:00 p.m.

PRELUDE: "Amazing Grace" Dale Wood

Jill Peak, organ

CALL TO WORSHIP Barton Kimbro

✦HYMN: No. 217 "Lift High the Cross" CRUCIFER

*Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim,
Till all the world adore His sacred Name.*

**Come, brethren, follow where our Savior trod,
Our King victorious, Christ, the Son of God.**

**Led on their way by this triumphant sign,
The hosts of God in conqu'ring ranks combine.**

**O Lord, once lifted on the glorious tree,
As Thou hast promised, draw men unto Thee.**

**Thy kingdom come, that earth's despair may cease
Beneath the shadow of its healing peace.**

**For Thy blest cross which doth for us atone,
Creation's praises rise before Thy throne.**

✦INVOCATION

GOSPEL LESSON John 15:1-17
(page 901 in pew Bible)

This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND PETITION

**God our loving Vinedresser,
we, Your people, who are but branches,
have not clung to Your Son, who is our true Vine.
Apart from Him we can do nothing,
yet we have neglected our connection to Him
through Your word and our prayers.
We have ignored Your commands as burdensome,
instead of finding our true joy in obeying them.
We have said that we loved You,
but our love for You and our neighbors
has been more in word than in deed.
We have resented Your pruning in our lives
because we have not known You as well as we should
through our scriptural and experiential knowledge of Your goodness.
Forgive us for these sins and strengthen us to live afresh for You
through Your Son, who with You and with Your Spirit
is one God in three persons forever. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF DIVINE PARDON Ephesians 2:4-5

*But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us,
even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—
by grace you have been saved.*

VOCAL MEDITATION: "Give Me Jesus" Moses Hogan

In the morning, when I rise, give me Jesus.
You may have all this world, give me Jesus.

Dark midnight was my cry, give me Jesus.
You may have all this world, give me Jesus.

Oh, when I come to die, give me Jesus, nobody but Jesus.
You may have all this world, give me Jesus.

Jauna Ellis, soloist

HOMILY: If You Only Knew David Bowen

PRAYER OF COMMITMENT

✦HYMN: No. 211 "What Wondrous Love Is This" WONDROUS LOVE

**What wondrous love is this, O my soul, O my soul,
What wondrous love is this, O my soul!
What wondrous love is this that caused the Lord of bliss
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul, for my soul,
To bear the dreadful curse for my soul.**

**To God and to the Lamb, I will sing, I will sing,
To God and to the Lamb, I will sing;
To God and to the Lamb, who is the great I AM,
While millions join the theme, I will sing, I will sing,
While millions join the theme, I will sing!**

**And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on, I'll sing on,
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing on;
And when from death I'm free, I'll sing and joyful be,
And through eternity I'll sing on, I'll sing on,
And through eternity, I'll sing on.**

✦BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE: "O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus" Anna Laura Page

✦Indicates congregation standing

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Maundy Thursday Evening: April 14
6:30 p.m. Communion Service in the Sanctuary

Good Friday: April 15
12:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

Egg Hunt: April 16
10:00 a.m. on the Poplar Field

Easter Sunday: April 17
6:30 a.m. Sunrise Service at Memphis Botanic Garden
8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m. Services in the Sanctuary

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