

## **First United Methodist Church**

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## April 15, 2022 Good Friday



## Order of Worship

\*Please Stand if you are able

GREETING Pastor John

Christ himself bore our sins in His body on the tree.

That we might die to sin and live to righteousness.

Let us pray.

Almighty God,

Your son Jesus Christ was lifted high upon the cross so that He might draw the whole world to himself.

Grant that we, who glory in this death for our salvation, may also glory in His call to take up our cross and follow Him; Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

THE CRUCIFICTION OF JESUS	John 19: 16-18
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Pastor John

HYMN "Were You There" UMH #288

"FATHER, FORGIVE THEM Luke 23: 34

Betty Britsch

HYMN "Freely, Freely" UMH #389

SOLDIERS CAST LOTS FOR JESUS' GARMENTS John 19: 23-25

Tom Cheatham

HYMN "Above All" Praise Band

JESUS DIES ON THE CROSS

John 19: 28-34

Earl O'Connor

"Tis Finished, the Messiah Dies"

HOMILY "We Don't Deserve It" Pastor John

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**HYMN** 

Pastor John

UMH #282

Our hearts are broken, O God by the realization that we have joined the Crowd who condemn your Son, that we have denied Him, that we have hidden ourselves away and allowed your Son to die a criminal's death. Our hearts are broken by the recognition that Jesus suffered on our behalf, yet we have failed to acknowledge our sin and alienation from you that made Necessary His payment of the blood-price. Our hearts are broken. We turn to you, begging for forgiveness through our tears, for our denials and for our Shallow faith, so filled with prevarications and excuses. Have mercy upon us, we pray. Fill our hearts with true repentance; we ask in the name of your Crucified Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.** 

HYMN OF BENEDICTION

"The Old Rugged Cross"

**UMH #504** 

Go in peace and may the peace of God go with you.

