



# PILLAR CHURCH

## Good Friday Digital Service Guide

The digital service guide includes the order of service, key passages to read along with, and the lyrics for the songs all in the order they appear. You should be able to do one continuous scroll to follow along and participate.

### Welcome and Opening Scripture Reading

*Isaiah 52:13-53:6. [13] Behold, my servant shall act wisely; he shall be high and lifted up, and shall be exalted. [14] As many were astonished at you— his appearance was so marred, beyond human semblance, and his form beyond that of the children of mankind— [15] so shall he sprinkle many nations. Kings shall shut their mouths because of him, for that which has not been told them they see, and that which they have not heard they understand. [1] Who has believed what he has heard from us? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed? [2] For he grew up before him like a young plant, and like a root out of dry ground;*

*he had no form or majesty that we should look at him, and no beauty that we should desire him. [3] He was despised and rejected by men, a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief; and as one from whom men hide their faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not. [4] Surely he has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. [5] But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed. [6] All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned—every one—to his own way; and the LORD has laid on him the iniquity of us all. (ESV)*

### **Song: The Power of the Cross**

Oh, to see the dawn of the darkest day  
Christ on the road to Calvary  
Tried by sinful men, torn and beaten, then  
Nailed to a cross of wood

This the power of the cross  
Christ became sin for us

Took the blame, bore the wrath  
We stand forgiven at the cross

Oh, to see the pain written on Your face  
Bearing the awesome weight of sin  
Every bitter thought, every evil deed  
Crowning Your bloodstained brow

This the power of the cross  
Christ became sin for us  
Took the blame, bore the wrath  
We stand forgiven at the cross

Now the daylight flees, now the ground beneath  
Quakes as its Maker bows His head  
Curtain torn in two, dead are raised to life  
"Finished, " the victory cry

This the power of the cross  
Christ became sin for us  
Took the blame, bore the wrath  
We stand forgiven at the cross

Oh, to see my name written in the wounds

For, through Your suffering, I am free  
Death is crushed to death, life is mine to live  
Won through Your selfless love

This the power of the cross  
Son of God slain for us  
What a love, what a cost  
We stand forgiven at the cross

### **Song: At the Cross (Love ran red)**

There's a place, where mercy reigns, and never dies  
There's a place, where streams of grace,  
flow deep and wide  
Where all the love, I've ever found  
Comes like a flood, comes flowing down

At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life  
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You  
Where Your love ran red, And my sin washed white  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You Jesus

There's a place, where sin and shame, are powerless  
Where my heart, has peace with God, and forgiveness

Where all the love, I've ever found  
Comes like a flood, comes flowing down

At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life  
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You  
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You  
Here my hope is found, here on holy ground  
Here I bow down, here I bow down  
Here arms open wide, here You save my life  
Here I bow down, here I bow down

At the cross, at the cross, I surrender my life  
I'm in awe of You, I'm in awe of You  
Where Your love ran red, and my sin washed white  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You  
I owe all to You, I owe all to You, Jesus

### **Scripture Reading and Guided Prayer**

After the scripture reading, we will be led through a time of guided prayer. During the prayer time there will be times of silence where you can pray silently and reflect on the passage read.

## **John 19:16b–30**

*So they took Jesus, [17] and he went out, bearing his own cross, to the place called The Place of a Skull, which in Aramaic is called Golgotha. [18] There they crucified him, and with him two others, one on either side, and Jesus between them. [19] Pilate also wrote an inscription and put it on the cross. It read, "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews." [20] Many of the Jews read this inscription, for the place where Jesus was crucified was near the city, and it was written in Aramaic, in Latin, and in Greek. [21] So the chief priests of the Jews said to Pilate, "Do not write, 'The King of the Jews,' but rather, 'This man said, I am King of the Jews.'" [22] Pilate answered, "What I have written I have written."*

*[23] When the soldiers had crucified Jesus, they took his garments and divided them into four parts, one part for each soldier; also his tunic. But the tunic was seamless, woven in one piece from top to bottom, [24] so they said to one another, "Let us not tear it, but cast lots for it to see whose it shall be." This was to fulfill the Scripture which says, "They divided my*

garments among them, and for my clothing they cast lots."

*So the soldiers did these things, [25] but standing by the cross of Jesus were his mother and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. [26] When Jesus saw his mother and the disciple whom he loved standing nearby, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son!" [27] Then he said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother!" And from that hour the disciple took her to his own home.*

*[28] After this, Jesus, knowing that all was now finished, said (to fulfill the Scripture), "I thirst." [29] A jar full of sour wine stood there, so they put a sponge full of the sour wine on a hyssop branch and held it to his mouth. [30] When Jesus had received the sour wine, he said, "It is finished," and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit. (ESV)*

**Prayer Prompt (finish this sentence):**

"Lord Jesus, You were condemned for me, and I confess the sin of \_\_\_\_\_ that You carried to the cross."

**Prayer Prompt (finish this sentence):**

“Lord Jesus, I confess that I try to rule my own life when I \_\_\_\_\_, and today I submit to You as my King.”

**Prayer Prompt (finish this sentence):**

“Lord Jesus, I will celebrate your finished work and draw near rather than thinking I earn your love by \_\_\_\_\_”

**Song: Man of Sorrows**

Man of sorrows Lamb of God,  
By His own betrayed  
The sin of man and wrath of God  
Has been on Jesus laid

Silent as He stood accused,  
Beaten mocked and scorned  
Bowing to the Father's will  
He took a crown of thorns

Oh that rugged cross my salvation  
Where Your love poured out over me  
Now my soul cries out hallelujah

Praise and honor unto Thee

Sent of heaven God's own Son  
To purchase and redeem  
And reconcile the very ones  
Who nailed Him to that tree  
Oh that rugged cross my salvation  
Where Your love poured out over me  
Now my soul cries out hallelujah  
Praise and honor unto Thee

Now my debt is paid, It is paid in full  
By the precious blood, That my Jesus spilled  
Now the curse of sin, Has no hold on me  
Whom the Son sets free, Oh is free indeed (repeat)

Oh that rugged cross my salvation  
Where Your love poured out over me  
Now my soul cries out hallelujah  
Praise and honor unto Thee

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Where Your love poured out over me  
Now my soul cries out hallelujah

Praise and honor unto Thee

## **Song: Son of Suffering**

Oh, the perfect Son of God, In all His innocence  
Here walking in the dirt with you and me,  
He knows what living is He's acquainted with our grief,  
Man of sorrows, Son of suffering

The blood and tears, How can it be?  
There's a God who weeps, There's a God who bleeds  
Oh, praise the One, Who would reach for me  
Hallelujah to the Son of suffering

Some imagine You, Are distant and removed  
But You chased us down in merciful pursuit  
To the sinner You were grace,  
And the broken You embraced  
And in the end, the proof is in Your wounds  
Yes, in the end, the proof is in Your wounds

Blood and tears, How can it be?  
There's a God who weeps, There's a God who bleeds  
Oh, praise the One, Who would reach for me

Hallelujah to the Son of suffering

Blood and tears, How can it be?

There's a God who weeps, There's a God who bleeds

Oh, praise the One, Who would reach for me

Hallelujah to the Son of suffering

Your cross, my freedom, Your stripes, my healing

All praise King Jesus, Glory to God in Heaven

Your blood, still speaking, Your love, still reaching

All praise King Jesus, Glory to God forever

Glory to God Forever, Glory to God forever (repeat)

Oh, blood and tears, How can it be?

There's a God who weeps, There's a God who bleeds

Oh, praise the One, Who would reach for me

Sing hallelujah to the Son of suffering

Hallelujah to the Son of suffering,

Hallelujah to the Son of suffering

**Good Friday Message – A Word from the Cross**

There will be a brief message from Scripture focused on reflections about the meaning of the cross and the death of Jesus.

- *Passage: 2 Corinthians 5:14–15[14] For the love of Christ controls us, because we have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died; [15] and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised. (ESV)*

### **Song: At the Foot of the Cross**

At the foot of the cross  
Where grace and suffering meet  
You have shown me Your love  
Through the judgment You received  
And You've won my heart  
Yes, You've won my heart  
Now I can

Trade these ashes in for beauty  
And wear forgiveness like a crown  
Coming to kiss the feet of mercy

I lay every burden down  
At the foot of the cross

At the foot of the cross  
Where I am made complete  
You have given me life  
Through the death You bore for me  
And You've won my heart  
Yes You've won my heart  
Now I can

Trade these ashes in for beauty  
And wear forgiveness like a crown  
Coming to kiss the feet of mercy  
I lay every burden down  
At the foot of the cross

I trade these ashes in for beauty  
And wear forgiveness like a crown  
Coming to kiss the feet of mercy  
I lay every burden down  
At the foot of the cross

**Closing Prayer**