

# *Tenebrae: Service of Shadows*

*April 2, 2021*

*Good Friday 7pm*

## **PRELUDE**

## **WELCOME & INTRODUCTION**

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: The people stood yelling, “Crucify!” and it breaks our hearts every time.

**ALL: Jesus’ death occurs every time someone is ignored, mistreated, exploited, abused, oppressed.**

Leader: “Crucify!” rends the fabric of God's shalom, tearing apart Christ's body.

## **FIRST OF THE SHADOWS**

John 18:1-12

*Jesus is Arrested*

*SEASIDE*

Sung Meditation

*Salvator Mundi*

*(from Taize)*

*Salvator Mundi, Salvanos; Salvator Mundi, Salvanos*

*Salvanos, Salvanos; Salvator Mundi, Salvanos*

## **SECOND OF THE SHADOWS**

John 18:13-18; 25-27

*Peter denies Jesus*

SUMH

Prayer of Reconciliation

## **THIRD OF THE SHADOWS**

John 18: 28-38

*Trial of Jesus before Pilate*

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Special Music

*Mary’s Song*

*Suzanne Burns*

## **FOURTH OF THE SHADOWS**

John 18: 38-19: 16a

*Jesus is Condemned to Death*

SUMH

## **HYMN**

*When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

When I survey the wondrous cross  
On which the Prince of glory died,  
My richest gain I count but loss,  
And pour contempt on all my pride.

*(continued...)*

See from His head, His hands, His feet,  
Sorrow and love flow mingled down!  
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,  
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?

Were the whole realm of nature mine,  
That were a present far too small;  
Love so amazing, so divine,  
Demands my soul, my life, my all.

## **FIFTH OF THE SHADOWS**

John 19:16b-27

*Jesus Calls Forth Beloved Community*

SEASIDE

## **PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY**

Lord's Prayer (*using 'sins'*)

## **SIXTH OF THE SHADOWS**

John 19: 28-30

*Jesus Dies*

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## **MEDITATION**

*Rev Rob S. Benson*

## **SPECIAL MUSIC**

*Were You There?*

Bradley Stager

## **SEVENTH OF THE SHADOWS**

John 19: 38-42

*Jesus is Laid in the Tomb*

SUMH

## **TAKING LEAVE**

*You are invited to leave into the shadows of this night.*

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