

GOOD FRIDAY

APRIL 3, 2026

MORNING PRAYER SERVICE

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

*Call to Worship Ephesians 1:7
"In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness
of sins, according to the richness of His grace."

*Hymn #407 *Beneath the Cross of Jesus*

The Order for Morning Prayer Book of Common Prayer (BCP) p. 7

A General Confession BCP 7

An Alternate Declaration of Absolution BCP 76

The Lord's Prayer BCP 8

Congregational Response

Venite BCP 10

*Psalter Psalm 88 Pew Bible, page 603

**The Gloria Patri* BCP 10

The First Lesson Exodus 12:1-13 Pew Bible, page 68

Special Music *Remember the Lord* Chancel Choir

The Second Lesson Matthew 27:33-51 Pew Bible, page 992

*The Apostles' Creed BCP 16

Congregational Response

The Collect of the Day

O merciful God, who has made all men, and hates nothing that
You have made, nor desires the death of a sinner, but rather
that he should be converted and live; Have mercy upon all who
do not know You as You are revealed in the Gospel of Your Son.
Take from them all ignorance, hardness of heart, and contempt
of Your Word; and so bring them home, blessed Lord, to Your
fold, that they may be made one flock under one Shepherd,
Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the
Holy Spirit, one God, world without end. Amen.

A Collect for Peace BCP 17

A Collect for Grace BCP 18

The Penitential Office BCP 51

A General Thanksgiving BCP 21

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom BCP 21

The Grace Pascuzzi

Special Music *At the Cross (Love Ran Red)* Praise Team

**The Doxology*

*Presentation of the Offering

*Hymn #109 *Were You There?*

Sermon Pastor Cedric R. Benner

Sermon: "The Signs Pointing to the Meaning of Christ's Death"

Sermon Text: Matthew 27:33-51

*Hymn #116 *There is a Green Hill Far Away*

*Benediction

*Postlude
