

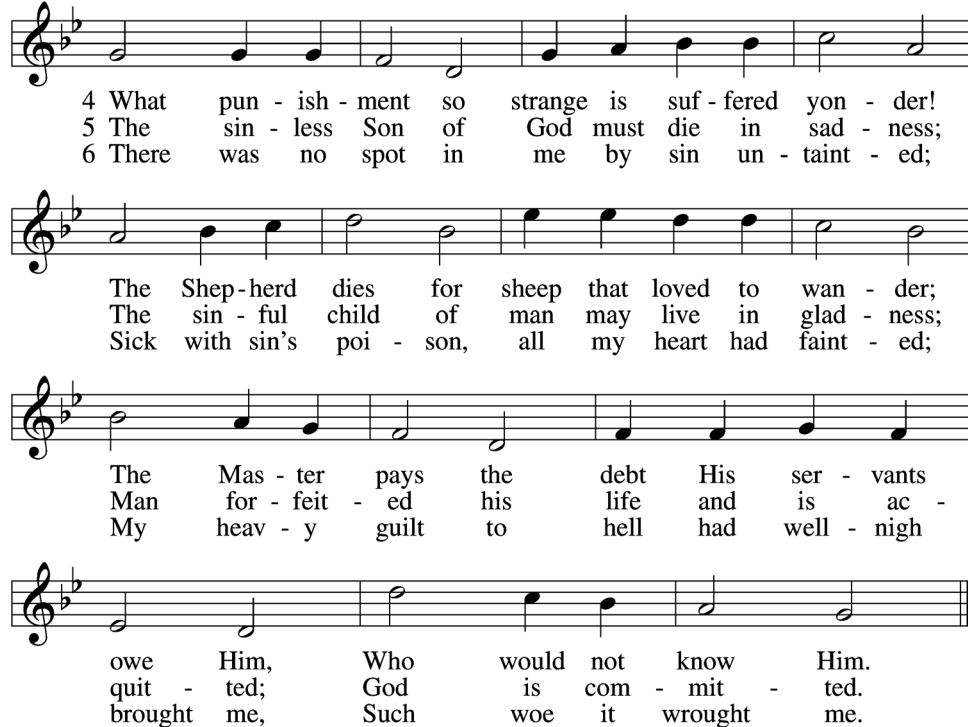
# Midweek Lent 1

March 9, 2022

7:00p

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### 439 O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken



4 What pun - ish - ment so strange is suf - fered yon - der!  
5 The sin - less Son of God must die in sad - ness;  
6 There was no spot in me by sin un - taint - ed;

The Shep - herd dies for sheep that loved to wan - der;  
The sin - ful child of man may live in glad - ness;  
Sick with sin's poi - son, all my heart had faint - ed;

The Mas - ter pays the debt His ser - vants  
Man for - feit - ed his life and is ac -  
My heav - y guilt to hell had well - nigh

owe Him, Who would not know Him.  
quit - ted; God is com - mit - ted.  
brought me, Such woe it wrought me.

### Opening Versicles

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- L** O Lord, open my lips,
  - C** and my mouth will declare Your praise.
  - L** Make haste, O God, to deliver me;
  - C** make haste to help me, O Lord.
- Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be forever. Amen.

### Psalm

Psalm 6:1-10

- L** O LORD, rebuke me not in your anger, nor discipline me in your wrath.

- C** Be gracious to me, O LORD, for I am languishing; heal me, O LORD, for my bones are troubled.
- L** My soul also is greatly troubled. But you, O LORD—how long?
- C** Turn, O LORD, deliver my life; save me for the sake of your steadfast love.
- L** For in death there is no remembrance of you; in Sheol who will give you praise?
- C** I am weary with my moaning; every night I flood my bed with tears; I drench my couch with my weeping.
- L** My eye wastes away because of grief; it grows weak because of all my foes.
- C** Depart from me, all you workers of evil, for the LORD has heard the sound of my weeping.
- L** The LORD has heard my plea; the LORD accepts my prayer.
- C** All my enemies shall be ashamed and greatly troubled; they shall turn back and be put to shame in a moment.

### Reading

Revelation 1:9–16

<sup>9</sup>I, John, your brother and partner in the tribulation and the kingdom and the patient endurance that are in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos on account of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus. <sup>10</sup>I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet <sup>11</sup>saying, "Write what you see in a book and send it to the seven churches, to Ephesus and to Smyrna and to Pergamum and to Thyatira and to Sardis and to Philadelphia and to Laodicea."

<sup>12</sup>Then I turned to see the voice that was speaking to me, and on turning I saw seven golden lampstands, <sup>13</sup>and in the midst of the lampstands one like a son of man, clothed with a long robe and with a golden sash around his chest. <sup>14</sup>The hairs of his head were white like wool, as white as snow. His eyes were like a flame of fire, <sup>15</sup>his feet were like burnished bronze, refined in a furnace, and his voice was like the roar of many waters. <sup>16</sup>In his right hand he held seven stars, from his mouth came a sharp two-edged sword, and his face was like the sun shining in full strength.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

### Reading

Matthew 27:35–42

<sup>35</sup>And when they had crucified him, they divided his garments among them by casting lots. <sup>36</sup>Then they sat down and kept watch over him there. <sup>37</sup>And over his head they put the charge against him, which read, "This is Jesus, the King of the Jews." <sup>38</sup>Then two robbers were crucified with him, one on the right and one on the left. <sup>39</sup>And those who passed by derided him, wagging their heads <sup>40</sup>and saying, "You who would destroy the temple and rebuild it in three days, save yourself! If you are the Son of God, come down from the cross." <sup>41</sup>So also the chief priests, with the scribes and elders, mocked him, saying, <sup>42</sup>"He saved others; he cannot save himself. He is the King of Israel; let him come down now from the cross, and we will believe in him.

**A** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## 567 Not What These Hands Have Done



1 Not what these hands have done Can save this guilt - y soul;  
 2 Not what I feel or do Can give me peace with God;  
 3 Thy work a - lone, O Christ, Can ease this weight of sin;  
 4 Thy love to me, O God, Not mine, O Lord, to Thee,



Not what this toil - ing flesh has borne Can make my spir - it whole.  
 Not all my prayers and sighs and tears Can bear my aw - ful load.  
 Thy blood a - lone, O Lamb of God, Can give me peace with - in.  
 Can rid me of this dark un - rest And set my spir - it free.

- 5 Thy grace alone, O God,  
 To me can pardon speak;  
 Thy pow'r alone, O Son of God,  
 Can this sore bondage break.
- 6 I bless the Christ of God,  
 I rest on love divine,  
 And with unfalt'ring lip and heart  
 I call this Savior mine.

## Sermon

Sermon Theme: His Holy Hands

Text: Matthew 27:35-42

## Kyrie

**L** O Lord,  
**C** have mercy.  
**L** O Christ,  
**C** have mercy.  
**L** O Lord,  
**C** have mercy.

## Lord's Prayer

**C** Our Father who art in heaven,  
 hallowed be Thy name,  
 Thy kingdom come,  
 Thy will be done on earth

as it is in heaven;  
 give us this day our daily bread;  
 and forgive us our trespasses  
 as we forgive those  
 who trespass against us;  
 and lead us not into temptation,  
 but deliver us from evil.  
 For Thine is the kingdom  
 and the power and the glory  
 forever and ever. Amen.

## Apostles' Creed

**C** I believe in God, the Father Almighty,  
 maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,  
 who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
 born of the virgin Mary,  
 suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
 was crucified, died and was buried.  
 He descended into hell.  
 The third day He rose again from the dead.  
 He ascended into heaven  
 and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.  
 From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
 the holy Christian Church,  
 the communion of saints,  
 the forgiveness of sins,  
 the resurrection of the body,  
 and the life  $\dagger$  everlasting. Amen.

## Versicles

**L** Hear my prayer, O Lord;  
**C** let my cry come to You.  
**L** In the day of my trouble I call upon You,  
**C** for You answer me.  
**L** Hide Your face from my sins,  
**C** and blot out all my iniquities.  
**L** Create in me a clean heart, O God,  
**C** and renew a right spirit within me.  
**L** Cast me not away from Your presence,  
**C** and take not Your Holy Spirit from me.  
**L** Restore to me the joy of Your salvation,

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- C** and uphold me with a willing spirit.  
**L** Because Your steadfast love is better than life,  
**C** my lips will praise You.  
**L** For You have been my help,  
**C** and in the shadow of Your wings I will sing for joy.  
**L** Teach me Your way, O Lord, that I may walk in Your truth;  
**C** unite my heart to fear Your name.  
**L** I give thanks to You, O Lord my God, with my whole heart,  
**C** and I will glorify Your name forever.  
**L** May all who seek You rejoice and be glad in You.  
**C** May those who love Your salvation say evermore, “God is great!”  
**L** Save Your people and bless Your heritage!  
**C** Be their shepherd and carry them forever.  
**L** Give ear, O Lord, to my prayer;  
**C** listen to my plea for grace.

### Collect of the Day

- L** Let us pray.  
 O Lord God, You led Your ancient people through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide the people of Your Church that following our Savior we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.  
**C** Amen.  
**C** I thank You, my heavenly Father, through Jesus Christ, Your dear Son, that You have graciously kept me this day; and I pray that You would forgive me all my sins where I have done wrong, and graciously keep me this night. For into Your hands I commend myself, my body and soul, and all things. Let Your holy angel be with me, that the evil foe may have no power over me. Amen.

### Benedicamus

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- L** Let us bless the Lord.  
**C** Thanks be to God.

### Blessing

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- L** The Lord bless us, defend us from all evil, and bring us to everlasting life.  
**C** Amen.

### 440 Jesus, I Will Ponder Now



1 Je - sus, I will pon - der now On Your ho - ly pas - sion;  
 2 Make me see Your great dis - tress, An - guish, and af - flic - tion;  
 3 Yet, O Lord, not thus a - lone Make me see Your pas - sion,  
 4 Grant that I Your pas - sion view With re - pen - tant griev - ing.

With Your Spir - it me en - dow For such med - i - ta - tion.  
 Bonds and stripes and wretch - ed - ness And Your cru - ci - fix - ion;  
 But its cause to me make known And its ter - mi - na - tion.  
 Let me not bring shame to You By un - ho - ly liv - ing.

Grant that I in love and faith May the im - age cher - ish  
 Make me see how scourge and rod, Spear and nails did wound You,  
 Ah! I al - so and my sin Wrought Your deep af - flic - tion;  
 How could I re - fuse to shun Ev - 'ry sin - ful plea - sure

Of Your suf - f'ring, pain, and death That I may not per - ish.  
 How for them You died, O God, Who with thorns had crowned You.  
 This in - deed the cause has been Of Your cru - ci - fix - ion.  
 Since for me God's on - ly Son Suf - fered with - out mea - sure?

Please place your offering in an offering plate as you depart.

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