Organ Prelude Ringing of the Bell

*Pastoral Call to Worship

*Hymn The Old Rugged Cross https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8hHIVkUGDK4

Scripture Reading Luke 23:32, 39-43

³² Two criminals were led out to be put to death with Jesus. ³⁹ One of the criminals hanging there also insulted Jesus by saying, "Aren't you the Messiah? Save yourself and save us!"⁴⁰ But the other criminal told the first one off, "Don't you fear God? Aren't you getting the same punishment as this man? ⁴¹ We got what was coming to us, but he didn't do anything wrong." ⁴² Then he said to Jesus, "Remember me when you come into power!" ⁴³ Jesus replied, "I promise that today you will be with me in paradise."

John 29:26-27 ²⁶ When Jesus saw his mother and his favorite disciple with her, he said to his mother, "This man is now your son." ²⁷ Then he said to the disciple, "She is now your mother." From then on, that disciple took her into his own home.

John 29:30 ³⁰ When he had received the drink, Jesus said, "It is finished." With that, he bowed his head and gave up his spirit.

John 29:41-42 ⁴¹ At the place where Jesus was crucified, there was a garden, and in the garden a new tomb, in which no one had ever been laid. ⁴² Because it was the Jewish day of Preparation and since the tomb was nearby, they laid Jesus there.

Pastoral Prayer – Silent – Lord's Prayer – Cares Chorus

Offering

Invitation Doxology Prayer of Dedication As we reflect on your sacrifice for us, Lord God; let our offerings be a sacrifice of love. Amen

Hymn It Was Finished Upon the Cross https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PUGQNYm44hk

Benediction Postlude

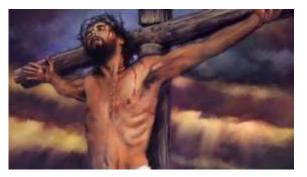
Jesus and the repentant thief



Jesus dies



Jesus' mother Mary & his disciple John





Jesus is laid in the tomb

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