
The Order of Worship

April 3 2026

GOOD FRIDAY

Please begin quiet meditation in preparation for worship as the Tolling begins.

TOLLING

PRELUDE

What Wondrous Love Is This?
Walker's Southern Harmony, 1835, arr. Marvin Gaspard

CALL TO WORSHIP

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 197)

Philippians 2:5-11

UPPER ROOM

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 29-30)

Matthew 26:14-30

HYMN 505

ST. FLAVIAN

Be Known to Us in Breaking Bread

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts!

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The prayer continues...

The congregation sings...

GETHSEMANE

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 30-31)

Matthew 26:31-56

HYMN 97

REDHEAD

Go to Dark Gethsemane

Verses 1 & 2

TRIAL

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 31-32)

Matthew 26:57-27:23

VOLUNTARY

O Divine Redeemer
Charles Gounod (1819-1893)

CRUCIFIXION

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 32-33)

Matthew 27:24-54

ANTHEM

My Lord, My Love, Is Crucified
Anna Laura Page

TOMB

SCRIPTURE READING (NT p. 32-33)

Matthew 27:55-66

HYMN 102

WERE YOU THERE

Were You There?

THE RECESSIONAL

O Sacred Head Now Wounded
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
Arr. Marvin Gaspard

As the bell banner is taken from the sanctuary,
please leave in silent meditation.

Tonight's Worship Leaders

Rev. W. Scott Harbison, Pastor
Marvin Gaspard, Director of Music
St. Luke's Chancel Choir
Lauren Sanders, flute
Micah Sanders, cello



Welcome to St. Luke's Presbyterian Church! If you are looking for a church home in Houston, we invite you to unite with St. Luke's. If you have any questions about membership, please speak with Rev. Harbison after worship or call the church office (713.667.6531) for more information.

A gift to One Great Hour of Sharing enables the church to share God's love with our neighbors-in-need around the world by providing relief to those affected by natural disasters, providing food to the hungry, and helping to empower the poor and oppressed. The collection will be taken on Easter Sunday. Please make your checks payable to St. Luke's and note OGH on the memo line or contribute online at our website, www.stlukespres.org.

Worship services on YouTube: Our Sunday worship services are live-streamed, recorded, and stored on our YouTube channel (St. Luke's Presbyterian Church, Houston). You can view the published videos on YouTube and on our website. Subscribe to our channel to be notified of new video postings as they become available.

Holy Week & Easter

Easter Egg Hunt
April 4, 10:30am

Bring the family to this annual Spring tradition Egg Hunt, Petting Zoo, Crafts and more!
For kids 10 and under

Easter Sunday
April 5, 10:00am

Celebrate the Risen Lord!
Attend in person or watch on our YouTube channel.

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