



THE EASTER TRIDUUM 2014

GOOD FRIDAY

THE LITURGY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

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In Good Friday's liturgy of the word and veneration of the cross there is great solemnity; a pondering of the "mystery of our faith," the passion, death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Fasting and praying during these days, the Catechumens and the baptized assemble on Good Friday in the afternoon or evening for a time of prayer together. This begins a time of silence.

Because the Good Friday service is a continuation of the Holy Thursday liturgy, there is no entrance rite. The service begins with the presider prostrating himself in a profound gesture of prayer. The assembly kneels.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

First Reading Isaiah 52:13 ----53:12
Psalm 31: Father, Into Your Hands I Commend My Spirit Bob Hurd

Fa-ther, in-to your hands I com-mend my spir-it. Fa-ther, in-to your hands I com-mend my spir-it.

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Second Reading Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9
Gospel John 18:1 --- 19:42

Homily

THE LITURGY OF HOLY COMMUNION

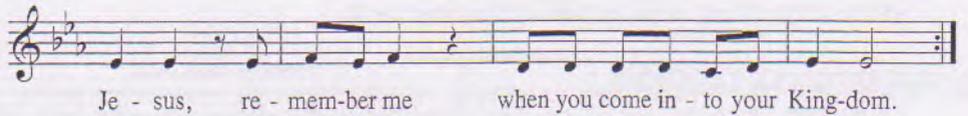
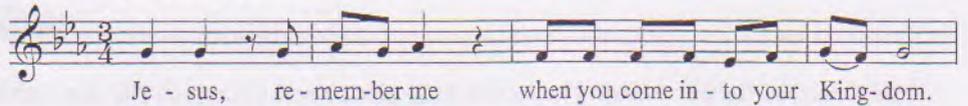
This liturgy concludes with a simple communion rite. All recite the Lord's Prayer and receive Holy Communion. There is no concluding rite or dismissal for the church continues to be at prayer throughout the Triduum.

Preparation of the Altar

Lord's Prayer

Communion

Jesus, Remember Me



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Communion Meditation

O Sacred Head Surrounded #434 Worship

Prayer over the People

All depart in unbroken silence.

If you would like, please take your program home with you.