



Good Friday

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NOON PRAYER (SEXT)

PSALMODY

PSALM 3

- P** LORD, how they have increased who trouble me!
Many are they who rise up against me.
- C** Many are they who say of me,
"There is no help for him in God."
- P** But You, O LORD, are a shield for me,
my glory and the One who lifts up my head.
- C** I cried to the LORD with my voice,
and He heard me from His holy hill.
- P** I lay down and slept;
I awoke, for the LORD sustained me.
- C** I will not be afraid of ten thousands of people
who have set themselves against me all around.
- P** Arise, O LORD; save me, O my God!
For You have struck all my enemies on the cheekbone; You have broken the teeth of the ungodly.
- C** Salvation belongs to the LORD.
Your blessing is upon Your people.

LECTION

READING

Isaiah 52:13 – 53:12

Behold, My Servant shall deal prudently; He shall be exalted and extolled and be very high. Just as many were astonished at you, so His visage was marred more than any man, and His form more than the sons of men; so shall He sprinkle many nations. Kings shall shut their mouths at Him; for what had not been told them they shall see, and what they had not heard they shall consider.

Who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the LORD been revealed? For He shall grow up before Him as a tender plant, and as a root out of dry ground. He has no form or comeliness; and when we see Him, there is no beauty that we should desire Him. He is despised and rejected by men, a Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief. And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him; He was despised, and we did not esteem Him. Surely He has borne our griefs and carried our sorrows; yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; the chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned, every one, to his own way; and the LORD has laid on Him the iniquity of us all.

He was oppressed and He was afflicted, yet He opened not His mouth; He was led as a lamb to the slaughter, and as a sheep before its shearers is silent, so He opened not His mouth. He was taken from prison and from judgment, and who will declare His generation? For He was cut off from the land of the living; for the

transgressions of My people He was stricken. And they made His grave with the wicked – but with the rich at His death, because He had done no violence, nor was any deceit in His mouth.

Yet it pleased the LORD to bruise Him; He has put Him to grief. When You make His soul an offering for sin, He shall see His seed, He shall prolong His days, and the pleasure of the LORD shall prosper in His hand. He shall see the labor of His soul, and be satisfied. By His knowledge My righteous Servant shall justify many, for He shall bear their iniquities. Therefore I will divide Him a portion with the great, and He shall divide the spoil with the strong, because He poured out His soul unto death, and He was numbered with the transgressors, and He bore the sin of many, and made intercession for the transgressors.

P O Lord, have mercy upon us.

C Thanks be to God.

P God spared not His own Son:

C But delivered Him up for us all.

PRAYERS

PSALM 51

P Christ, for our sake, became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.

P Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness;
according to the multitude of Your tender mercies, blot out my transgressions.

C Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity,
and cleanse me from my sin.

P For I acknowledge my transgressions,
and my sin is always before me.

C Against You, You only, have I sinned, and done this evil in Your sight –
that You may be found just when You speak, and blameless when You judge.

P Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,
and in sin my mother conceived me.

C Behold, You desire truth in the inward parts,
and in the hidden part You will make me to know wisdom.

P Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean;
wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

C Make me hear joy and gladness,
that the bones You have broken may rejoice.

P Hide Your face from my sins,
and blot out all my iniquities.

C Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

P Do not cast me away from Your presence,
and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

C Restore to me the joy of Your salvation,
and uphold me by Your generous Spirit.

P Then I will teach transgressors Your ways,
and sinners shall be converted to You.

C Deliver me from the guilt of bloodshed, O God, the God of my salvation,
and my tongue shall sing aloud of Your righteousness.

P O Lord, open my lips,
and my mouth shall show forth Your praise.

C For You do not desire sacrifice, or else I would give it;
You do not delight in burnt offering.

P The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit, a broken and a contrite heart –
these, O God, You will not despise.

C Do good in Your good pleasure to Zion;
build the walls of Jerusalem.

P Then You shall be pleased with the sacrifices of righteousness, with burnt offering and whole burnt offering;

then they shall offer bulls on Your altar.

P Christ, for our sake, became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.

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P O Lord,

C have mercy upon us.

P O Christ,

C have mercy upon us.

P O Lord,

C have mercy upon us.

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.

COLLECT OF THE DAY

P Almighty and everlasting God, who has willed that Your Son should bear for us the pains of the cross that You might remove from us the power of the adversary, help us so to remember and give thanks for Our Lord's Passion, that we may obtain remission of sins and redemption from everlasting death; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, Our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

C Amen.

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