

# Shepherd of the Lakes Ev. Lutheran Church

Good Friday  
Service of the Seven Words  
March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2016

*Organ music is used only to support the singing.  
The minister enters in silence.*

**HYMN: #387** “Drawn to the Cross”

*STAND*

## **LESSON**

A reading from Isaiah 52:13-53:12

—*Silence for prayer and meditation*—

## **PRAYER FOR GOOD FRIDAY**

P. Let us pray.

God Most Holy, look with mercy on this your family, for whom our Lord Jesus Christ was willing to be betrayed, to be given over into the hands of the wicked, and to suffer death upon the cross. Keep us always faithful to him, our only Savior, who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

**C. Amen**

*BE SEATED*

## **THE SEVEN WORDS**

The First Word	Unlikely words	Luke 23:32-38
	<b>Hymn: #125</b>	
The Second Word	A word of comfort	Luke 23:39-43
	<b>Hymn: #114:1,4,6,7</b>	
The Third Word	A word of love	John 19:25-27
	<b>Hymn: # 129</b>	
The Fourth Word	A cry of anguish	Matthew 27:45-46
	<b>Psalm 22, page 71</b>	

The Fifth Word	A word of agony	John 19:28,29
	<b>Hymn: #127</b>	
The Sixth Word	A word of triumph	John 19:30
	<b>Hymn: #103</b>	
The Seventh Word	A word of peace	Luke 23:44-49
	<b>Hymn: #119</b>	

## **OFFERING**

### **BIDDING PRAYER**

*There will be time for silent prayer after each invitation to pray. As the pastor concludes each petition with the words, “through Christ our Lord,” the congregation responds with, “Amen.”*

**HYMN: #113** Vs.1-3 “Upon the Cross Extended”

## **THE LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven  
hallowed by 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.**

*Pastor exits the worship area. The congregation may remain for prayer and meditation before dispersing quietly. When next we join our voices here, it will be in joy of our Savior's victory!*