The Fifth Word

"I Thirst"

Scripture Reading – John 19: 28, 29 Words of reflection Hymn... *"I Need Thee Every Hour"*

Leah H

- Verse: I need Thee every hour, Most Gracious Lord, No tender voice like Thine can peace afford
- Chorus: I need Thee, O, I need Thee, every hour I need Thee! O bless me now, my Savior - I come to Thee.
- Verse: I need Thee every hour, Stay Thou near by, Temptations lose their power When Thou art nigh
- The Sixth Word

"Into thy hands I commit my spirit" Scripture Reading – Luke 23:44-49 Maple Grove Quartet..."Man of Sorrows"

Allen U

• The Seventh Word "It is finished"

Scripture reading - John 19:30 Silent reflection Final Words Benediction



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Good Friday Service Maple Grove Mennonite Church March 29, 2024

• Welcome and Prayer

Lighting of the Christ Candle Reflecting "The Past 24 Hours with Jesus"

• The Lord's Supper

Scripture Reading - Matthew 26: 20-25 Sharing the Bread & Cup Together

• The Hours After the Table

Gethsemane and Jesus' Arrest Maple Grove Quartet... "In the Garden" Jesus Before Pilot Standing of the Cross

The First Word

"Father, forgive them for they know not what they do." Scripture reading - Luke 23: 32-38 April C Silent reflection Hymn.... "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

> When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of Glory died. My richest gain I count but loss And pour contempt on all my pride. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, Save in the death of Christ my God. All the vain things that charm me most I sacrifice them to His blood.

+ The Second Word

"Today you will be with me in Paradise." Scripture Reading - Luke 23: 39-43 Hymn.... "Were You There?" 1st verse – Solo 2nd verse – Congregation

Chorus: Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?O! Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?

The Third Word

"Woman, behold your son Behold your mother." Scripture Reading - John 19: 17-27 Lois K Hymn.... "In The Cross"

Jesus, keep me near the cross there a precious fountain, Free to all, a healing stream flows from Calvary's Mountain. (Chorus) In the cross, in the cross, Be my glory ever, 'til my raptured soul shall find rest beyond the river. Near the cross I'll watch and wait, hoping, trusting ever, 'til I reach the golden strand just beyond the river.

+ The Fourth Word

"My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

Scripture Reading – Matthew 27: 45-49 Silent Reflection Alan R

Unison Prayer:

God our creator, you have sent your son to show us your love and the way to life. Help us to be sincerely thankful for this gift and for your patience with our sins and sorrow. Amen.

Judah C