

Lent – Living Hope- Week 6: Transformation
John 16:7-13

Introduction to the Confession:

God shows his love for us
in that, while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Let us then show our love for him
by confessing our sins in penitence and faith.
(cf Romans 5.8)

Collect:

True and humble king,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you
on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory.

Hymn: All Hail King Jesus

There was a moment when the lights went out,
When death had claimed it's victory.
The king of love had given up His life,
The darkest day in history.
There on the cross they made for sinners,
For every curse His blood atoned.
One final breath and it was finished,
But not the end we could have known.

For the earth began to shake, and the veil was torn,
What a sacrifice was made, as the heavens roared.

All hail, King Jesus
All hail the Lord of heaven and earth.
All hail, King Jesus,
All hail the Saviour of the world.

There was a moment when the sky lit up,
A flash of light breaking through.
When all was lost He crossed eternity,
The king of life was on the move.

For in a dark, cold tomb, where our Lord was laid,
One miraculous breath, and we're forever changed.

Chorus

Let every knee come bow before the King of Kings
Let every tongue confess that He is Lord
Lift up your shout let us join with all of heaven
singing Holy

Reading

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⁷ But very truly I tell you, it is for your good that I am going away. Unless I go away, the Advocate will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. ⁸ When he comes, he will prove the world to be in the wrong about sin and righteousness and judgment: ⁹ about sin, because people do not believe in me; ¹⁰ about righteousness, because I am going to the Father, where you can see me no longer; ¹¹ and about judgment, because the prince of this world now stands condemned.

¹² "I have much more to say to you, more than you can now bear. ¹³ But when he, the Spirit of truth, comes, he will guide you into all the truth. He will not speak on his own; he will speak only what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Sermon

Intercessions

Peace:

Once we were far off
but now in union with Christ Jesus we have been brought near
through the shedding of Christ's blood,
for he is our peace.
The peace of the Lord be always with you.
(cf Ephesians 2.13)

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All: And also with you.

Communion

Blessing:

During this Holy week, Lord God,
walk with us as we journey through its highs and
lows following in the way of Jesus.
Through the challenges and fears, comfort us.
Transform our thinking and vision.
Assure us through the hope of the resurrection on
the other side of the darkness.

And the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be among you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

NOTE: Distribution of communion.

Bread:

- We often serve bread at communion.
- Gluten free wafers are available. Please let the Welcomer or Warden know ideally before the service starts so that we can arrange this for you. Please ask for a gluten free wafer when you come forward. 000

Wine:

- We serve alcoholic wine from a shared silver cup.
- We also have non-alcoholic wine in a separate cup. If you wish to receive non-alcoholic wine please come forward with your service sheet in your hands.
- If you do not wish to receive wine please feel no compulsion to do so.

A blessing:

- If you do not wish to receive communion but would like to be prayed for, when you come forward, keep your hands by your side and we will pray for you.

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