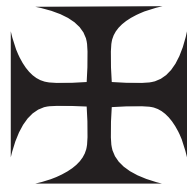


FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF  
THE LORD

GOOD FRIDAY



APRIL SECOND 2021

THE ABBEY OF SAINT MARY AND  
SAINT LOUIS

# CELEBRATION OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

*Father Abbot approaches the altar in silence. All kneel and pray silently for a while.  
The celebration of the Passion of the Lord then begins with the opening prayer.*

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### FIRST READING:


ISAIAH 52:13-53:12

*He himself was wounded for our sins. (Fourth oracle of the Servant of the Lord.)*

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM: PATER IN MANUS TUAS.

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LK 23, 46. V. PS 30, 2. 6. 12-13. 15-16. 17. 25



**F**ATHER into your hands I commend my spi- rit

### SECOND READING:

HEBREWS 4: 14-16; 5: 7-9

*Jesus learned obedience and became the source of salvation for all who obey him.*

*After the Second Reading, the monastic community will sing the Christus factus est.  
Please stand.*

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: *CHRISTUS FACTUS EST.*

*Phil. 2, 8. V. 9*

V  
C HRI-STUS \* fac-tus est pro no- bis ob- é- di- ens us- que ad  
mor-tem, mor-tem au- tem cru- cis. Prop- ter quod et  
De- us ex- al- tá- vit il- lum, et de- dit  
il- li no- men quod est su- per o- mne no- men.

*Christ became obedient for us unto death, even death on a cross.  
Therefore God has highly exalted him, and bestowed on him the name which is above every name.*

GOSPEL:

*JOHN 18: 1-19: 42*

*The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ*

*Those unable to stand during the entire length of the Passion are welcome to sit.*

## THE SOLEMN INTERCESSIONS

*After the Gospel and Homily, the Intercessions are sung at the altar.*

# THE ADORATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

## THE SHOWING OF THE HOLY CROSS

*Father Abbot carries the Cross in procession through the chapel.*

*During the procession, the Cross is lifted up three times. Each time the following versicle & response is sung, all kneel and venerate the Cross briefly in silence.*

ECCE LIGNUM CRUCIS:

VI

VI  
B E- HOLD the wood of the cross, on which hung the sal-va-tion of the world.

XXI.s

℞. Come let us a-dore.

## THE ADORATION OF THE HOLY CROSS

ANTIPHON: *PATER SI NON POTEST.*

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*MT 26, 42 ℣. Ps 21, 2.3. 5. 7. 15. 17-18. 22-24. 28. 30-32*

*Please sing the Antiphon alternating with the psalm verses sung by the cantors.*

IV

IV  
F A THER if this cup may not pass, but I must drink it, then your will be done.

## HOLY COMMUNION

*One of the priests brings the Blessed Sacrament to the altar. Father Abbot then begins the Our Father.  
Communion is distributed in the normal way.*

## CONCLUDING PRAYER

*Father Abbot recites the prayer over the people and all depart in silence.*

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