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## Gathering for Worship

### Reading of *The Passion History of our Lord Jesus Christ* – Maundy Thursday, Part 1

Drawn from the Gospels

#### Hymn

Hail, O Once-Despised Jesus, *on page 3 of this worship guide*

### Reading of *The Passion History of our Lord Jesus Christ* – Maundy Thursday, Part 2

Drawn from the Gospels

#### Hymn

Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior, *on page 4 of this worship guide*

### Maundy Thursday Message: A Parting Gift to Treasure

Based on 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

#### Prayer

Pastor Kevin will offer the Prayer.

#### Lord's Prayer

**All:** 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.

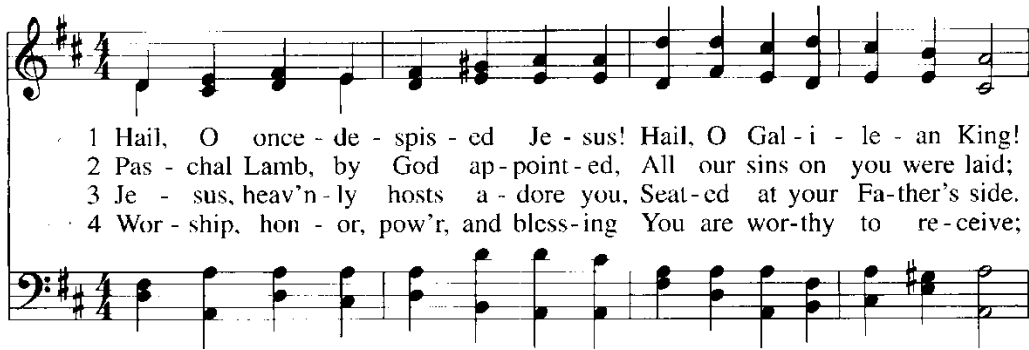
**Hymn**

God Be with You till We Meet Again, *on page 5 of this worship guide*

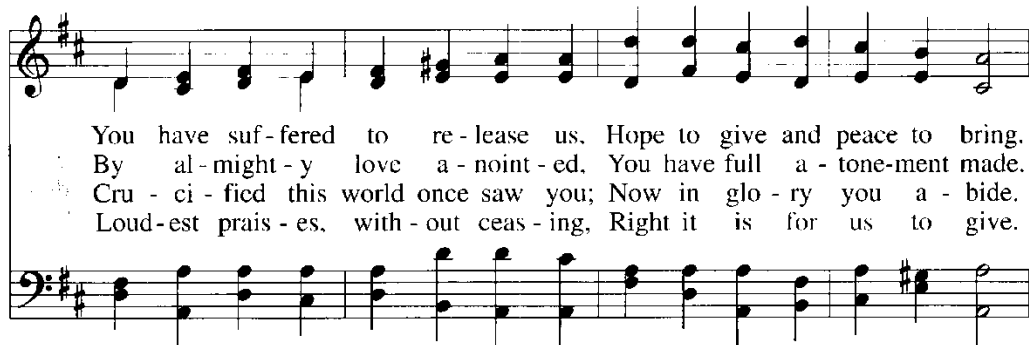
**Blessing**

## Hail, O Once-Despised Jesus

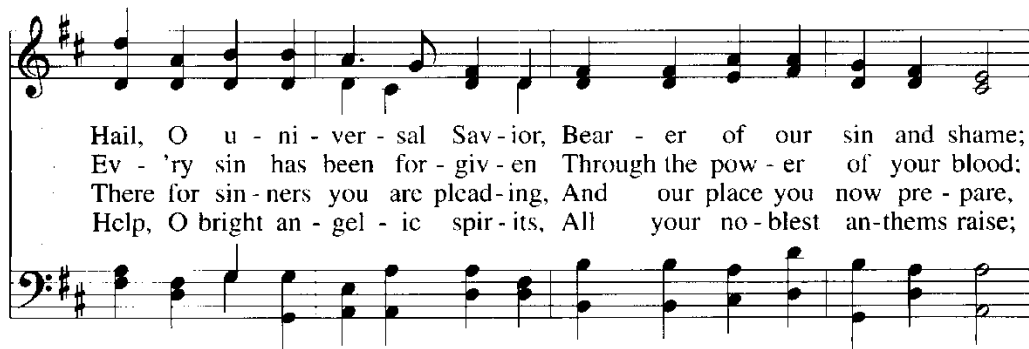
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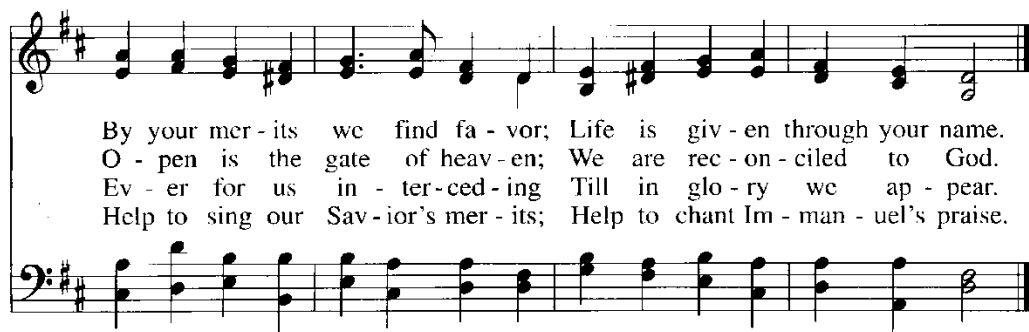
1 Hail, O once - de - spis - ed Je - sus! Hail, O Gal - i - le - an King!  
 2 Pas - chal Lamb, by God ap - point - ed, All our sins on you were laid;  
 3 Je - sus, heav'n - ly hosts a - dore you, Seat - ed at your Fa - ther's side.  
 4 Wor - ship, hon - or, pow'r, and bless - ing You are wor - thy to re - ceive;



You have suf - fered to re - lease us, Hope to give and peace to bring.  
 By al - might - y love a - noint - ed, You have full a - tone - ment made.  
 Cru - ci - fied this world once saw you; Now in glo - ry you a - bide.  
 Loud - est prais - es, with - out ceas - ing, Right it is for us to give.



Hail, O u - ni - ver - sal Sav - ior, Bear - er of our sin and shame;  
 Ev - 'ry sin has been for - giv - en Through the pow - er of your blood;  
 There for sin - ners you are plead - ing, And our place you now pre - pare,  
 Help, O bright an - gel - ic spir - its, All your no - blest an - thems raise;



By your mer - its we find fa - vor; Life is giv - en through your name.  
 O - pen is the gate of heav - en; We are rec - on - ciled to God.  
 Ev - er for us in - ter - ced - ing Till in glo - ry we ap - pear.  
 Help to sing our Sav - ior's mer - its; Help to chant Im - man - uel's praise.

Text: *A Collection of Hymns*, London, c. 1757, alt.  
 Tune: Freylinghausen, *Geist-reiches Gesang-Buch*, Halle, 1704, alt.

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Jesus Christ, Our Blessed Savior

1 Je - sus Christ, our bless - ed Sav - ior, Turned a - way  
 2 As his pledge of love un - dy - ing, He, this pre -  
 3 Je - sus here him - self is shar - ing; Take heed how  
 4 Use - less would be Je - sus' pas - sion If sal - va -

God's wrath for - ev - er; By his bit - ter grief and woe  
 cious food sup - ply - ing, Gives his bod - y with the bread  
 you are pre - par - ing, For if you do not be - lieve,  
 tion you could fash - ion. Do not come if you sup - pose

He saved us from the e - vil foe.  
 And with the wine the blood he shed.  
 Judg - ment in - stead you shall re - ceive.  
 You need not him who died and rose.

5 Christ says, "Come, all you that labor, 7 Praise the Father, who from heaven  
 And receive my grace and favor; Unto us such food has given  
 Those who feel no pain or ill And, to mend what we have done,  
 Need no physician's help or skill." Gave into death his only Son.

6 Then hold fast with faith unshaken 8 If your heart this truth professes  
 That this food is to be taken And your mouth your sin confesses,  
 By the souls who are distressed, Surely you will be his guest  
 By hearts that long for peace and rest. And at his banquet ever blest.

Text: John Hus, c. 1369-1415; German version,  
 Martin Luther, 1483-1546, abr.; tr. composite  
 Tune: Klug, *Geistliche Lieder aufs new gebessert*, Wittenberg, 1535, alt.

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God Be with You till We Meet Again

1 God be with you till we meet a-gain, By his coun-sels guide, up-hold you,  
 2 God be with you till we meet a-gain, 'Neath his wings pro-TECT-ing hide you,

With his sheep se-cre-ly fold you — God be with you till we meet a-gain.  
 Dai - ly man-na still pro - vide you — God be with you till we meet a-gain.

*Refrain*

Till we meet, Till we meet, Till we meet at Je - sus' feet.

Till we meet, Till we meet — God be with you till we meet a - gain.

Text: Jeremiah E. Rankin, 1828-1904, abr., alt.  
 Tune: William G. Tomer, 1833-96

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