## Mt. Zion United Methodist Church Good Friday – April 18, 2025

Countdown/Prelude/Pre-Service Video Welcome/Announcement

Opening Hymn - UMH 286 - O Sacred Head, Now Wounded

Opening Prayer: Merciful God, we stand before your cross, humbled by the weight of your love and the cost of our sin. Forgive us for the ways we wander and draw us closer to your heart. In this holy silence, teach us to trust, to wait, and to carry your grace into the world. Amen.

Special Music – He Grew the Tree – The Faithful Few

## Hymn of Preparation - UMH 298 - When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

Pre-Service Video

Scripture Lesson: John 19:16-30

Message – "The Weight of the Cross" – Pastor Shawn

Special Music – Broken in Two – Leslie Gabler

## Closing Hymn – UMH 288 – 'Tis Finished, The Messiah Dies

Choral Benediction – It is Finished – The Faithful Few Benediction

On this solemn evening, we ask that you leave In silence remembering that Christ has died.