

Peace United Church of Christ Worship Resources for The Fifth Sunday in Lent April 6, 2025

Welcome

Opening Hymn "O Sacred Head Now Wounded"

O sacred Head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down, Now scornfully surrounded with thorns, Thine only crown; O sacred Head, what glory, what bliss till now was Thine! Yet, though despised and gory, I joy to call Thee mine.

What Thou, my Lord, hast suffered, was all for sinners' gain; Mine, mine was the transgression, but Thine the deadly pain. Lo, here I fall, my Savior! 'Tis I deserve Thy place; Look on me with Thy favor, vouchsafe to me Thy grace.

Opening Prayer

God, the gentleness of your presence is with us today, as we focus on the journey we have taken with Jesus, and as we marvel at his quiet obedience. His love flows over us today; help us to acknowledge it in word and deed, today and always. Amen Scripture Readings

Meditation

Prayers of the People/The Prayer of Our Savior (debts and debtors)

Closing Song "Blessed Assurance"

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O what a foretaste of glory divine! Heir of salvation, purchase of God, Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood. This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior, all the day long; This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior, all the day long.

Perfect submission, all is at rest I in my Savior am happy and blest, Watching and waiting, looking above, Filled with His goodness, lost in His love. This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior, all the day long; This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior, all the day long.

Benediction & Sending Forth