

EVENING WORSHIP - via website or FB

March 22, 2020

Theme for Worship

Psalm 23:4

“Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil, for you are with me;
your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Prayer

*Call to Worship – Psalm 59

*Prayer of Adoration

*Hymn – “The Lord’s My Shepherd, I’ll Not Want”

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Scripture Reading – Matthew 27:27-56

*Hymn – “He Was Wounded for Our Transgressions”

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Evening Prayer

*Hymn – “What Wondrous Love Is This”

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Scripture Reading – Psalm 22:9-18

Yet you are he who took me from the womb;
you made me trust you at my mother's breasts.

¹⁰ On you was I cast from my birth,
and from my mother's womb you have been my God.

¹¹ Be not far from me,
for trouble is near,
and there is none to help.

¹² Many bulls encompass me;
strong bulls of Bashan surround me;

¹³ they open wide their mouths at me,
like a ravening and roaring lion.

¹⁴ I am poured out like water,
and all my bones are out of joint;
my heart is like wax;

it is melted within my breast;
¹⁵ my strength is dried up like a potsherd,
and my tongue sticks to my jaws;
you lay me in the dust of death.

¹⁶ For dogs encompass me;
a company of evildoers encircles me;

they have pierced my hands and feet—

¹⁷ I can count all my bones—

they stare and gloat over me;

¹⁸ they divide my garments among them,
and for my clothing they cast lots.

Sermon

The Reverend Mr. John F. Peoples, Jr.

“O LORD, BE NEAR TO ME AS I FACE MY ENEMIES”

Introduction:

-the Lord gives us a window into the thoughts of our Savior

O Lord, You Have Taken Me from the Womb

v.9-11

- you have made me trust you

-you are my God

-be near to me

O Lord, My Enemies Surround Me

v.12-13

-the bulls of Bashan

-they open their mouths

O Lord, I Am Poured Out Like Water

v.14-15

O Lord, My Enemies Have Pierced My Hands

v.16-18

-they surround me

-they have pierced my hands

-they divide my clothes

Conclusion

*Hymn – “Thou Dost Reign on High”

*Benediction

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