

**Nith Valley Mennonite Church
Good Friday Service of Tenebrae
Friday, March 25, 2016**

Scripture Reader: Dan Cressman
Pianist: Susan Cressman Chorister: Terry Keller
Speaker: Matthew Isert Bender

“What Shall I Do with Jesus Who is Called Christ?”

Welcome
Call to worship – Special Music ...I Walked today where Jesus walked
Invocation
Hymn #450Here in the upper room

Scripture ReadingMatthew 26:17-29
Communion
Hymn #250Beneath the cross of Jesus

Scripture ReadingMatthew 26:69-74
First meditation
Hymn #240Go to dark Gethsemane

Scripture ReadingMatthew 26:14-16
Second Meditation
Hymn #252(v. 1,3,4).....O Sacred Head, now Wounded

Scripture ReadingMatthew 26:65-68
Third meditation
Instrumental Reflection

Scripture ReadingMatthew 27:24
Fourth Meditation
Hymn #254Ah Holy Jesus

Scripture ReadingLuke 23:8
Fifth meditation
Hymn #516 (vs 1, 5,6)Just as I am, without one plea

Scripture ReadingLuke 23:39-43
Sixth Meditation
Special MusicThe Old Rugged Cross

Scripture ReadingIsaiah 53:4-6
Seventh Meditation
Hymn #259 (vs 1,3,4)When I survey the wondrous cross

Final scripture ReadingIsaiah 53:7-9
(Slamming of the Bible symbolizes Fulfillment of the prophecy)

Hymn (video)Were you there

Pounding of the nails

When ready, you are invited to leave in silence