



Maundy  
Thursday

## The Service of Tenebrae

### Readings and Extinguishing of Lights

#### First Reading

**Shadow of Betrayal**      Matthew 26: 20-30  
*(Candle One is Extinguished.)*

#### Second Reading

**Shadow of Desertion**      Matthew 26: 31-35  
*(Candle Two is Extinguished.)*

#### Hymn of Response

*Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley*

Jesus walked this lonesome valley,  
he had to walk it by himself;  
O, nobody else could walk it for him,  
he had to walk it by himself.

Jesus prayed for his disciples;  
he prayed alone for you and me.  
O, nobody else could bear such sorrow;  
he prayed alone for you and me.

#### Third Reading

**Agony of the Soul**      Luke 22: 41-44  
*(Candle Three is Extinguished.)*

## **Fourth Reading**

### **Unshared Vigil**

Mark 14: 34-42

*(Candle Four is Extinguished.)*

**Musical Response** *Could You Not Tarry With Me One Hour- Tim Shephard*

## **Fifth Reading**

**Arrest in the Garden** Mark 14: 43-50

*(Candle Five is Extinguished.)*

## **Sixth Reading**

**Jesus Before the Council** Mark 14: 55-64

*(Candle Six is Extinguished.)*

**Musical Response** *The Power of The Cross-Keith & Kristyn Getty*  
Ally Murphy- Solo

## **Seventh Reading**

**Jesus Before Pilate** Mark 15: 1-5, 12-15

*(Candle Seven is Extinguished.)*

## **Eighth Reading**

**Shadow of the Cross** Mark 15: 25-30, 33-37

*(Candle Eight is Extinguished.)*

## **Hymn**

Were You There?

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Oh!

Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?

Were you there when they nailed Him to the tree?

Oh!

Sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble

Were you there when they nailed Him the tree?

*(Christ's candle is extinguished; we will remain in darkness for a time.)*

**The Return of the Light**

**Final Reading**

**The Word was God** John 1, selected verses

*(Depart in Silence)*