

"The Great Love With Which He Loved Us"  
Luke 23:44-49

*"We will never truly understand how great God's love is until we first see how great our sin is."*

- **"There was darkness over the whole land..." (Luke 23:44)**
  - *"Then the LORD said to Moses, 'Stretch out your hand toward heaven, that there may be **darkness over the land** of Egypt, a darkness to be felt.'" (Exodus 10:21)*
  - *"For the day of the LORD is coming; it is near, **a day of darkness** and gloom, a day of clouds and **thick darkness**." (Joel 2:1-2)*
- **"My God, My God, why have You forsaken Me?" (Matthew 27:46)**
  - *"For our sake He **made Him to be sin** who knew no sin, so that in Him we might become the righteousness of God." (2 Corinthians 5:21)*
  - *"(We) are justified by His grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, whom **God put forward as a propitiation** by His blood, to be received by faith." (Romans 3:24-25a)*
  - *"In this is love, not that we have loved God but that He loved us and sent His Son to be the **propitiation for our sins**." (1 John 4:10)*
- **"I thirst." (John 19:28)**
  - *"My strength is dried up like a potsherd, and my tongue sticks to my jaws; you lay me in the dust of death." (Psalm 22:15)*
  - *"They gave me poison for food, and for my thirst they gave me sour wine to drink." (Psalm 69:21)*
- **"It is finished." (John 19:30)**
  - *"Since therefore the children share in flesh and blood, He Himself likewise partook of the same things, that through death He might destroy the one who has the power of death, that is, the devil, and deliver all those who through fear of death were subject to lifelong slavery." (Hebrews 2:14-15)*
  - *"He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world." (1 John 2:2)*
- **"Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit!" (Luke 23:46)**
  - *"No one takes (My life) from Me, but I lay it down of My own accord. I have authority to lay it down, and I have authority to take it up again. This charge I have received from My Father." (John 10:18)*
- **"And the curtain of the temple was torn in two" (Matthew 27:51)**
  - *"And behold, the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom. And the earth shook, and the rocks were split." (Matthew 27:51)*
  - *"Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter **the holy places** by the blood of Jesus, by the new and living way that He opened for us **through the curtain**, that is, through His flesh..." (Hebrews 10:19-20)*
- **"Truly this man was the Son of God!" (Mark 15:39)**
  - *"For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost." (Luke 19:10)*

**Worship:** Bless the Lord, O My Soul (Psalm 103) — *Sovereign Grace Music*

Crown Him (With Many Crowns) — *Norton Hall Band*

In Tenderness — *The Sing Team*

**Closing Song:** The Lord Almighty Reigns (Psalm 93) — *Sovereign Grace Music*

**Service Times:** Sundays: Sunday School 9am/Prayer 9:45am/Church 10:30am; Mondays: Legacy Practicum 6pm;

Tuesdays: Bible Study — Women 6:30pm/Men 7pm; Thursdays: Prayer 6:20pm/Church 7pm

**Announcements:**

★**DONATIONS: Monetary Donations for Angel Tree:** Please see the October Newsletter for more information about our monthly donation collection! ***NEXT Sunday is the LAST day for this collection!***

★**MEMBERS' MEETING:** We are having a Members' Meeting TODAY immediately following the worship service. This is our Annual Year-End Business Meeting, where we will be presenting the 2027 Church Budget. We will not be voting at this meeting, voting on the budget will take place at the November Members' Meeting. If you are a Church Member, we encourage you to please plan on staying for this meeting. This is an open meeting, meaning that even if you are not a Church Member, you are welcome to sit in as an observer for the meeting.

★**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** The Children's Ministry **AND** the Cleaning Ministry are looking for volunteers to join their ministries. If you are a Church Member and you would like to join the Children's Ministry, or have questions about volunteering in this ministry, please see Katie Sapp! If you are interested in joining the Cleaning Ministry, or have questions about volunteering for this ministry, please see Krystal.

★*For all other announcements, please see the October Newsletter!*