

The Order of Vespers for Holy Monday

*with the History of the Suffering & Death of our Lord Jesus Christ
from the Gospel according to St. Mark*

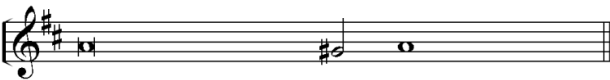
Stand

P O Lord, open Thou my lips.



R And my mouth shall show forth Thy praise.

P Make haste, O God, to deliver me.



R Make haste to help me, O Lord.

Sit

THE PASSION HISTORY, PART 1

HYMN TLH #143 – O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken (st. 1-5)

THE PASSION HISTORY, PART 2

HYMN TLH #143 – O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken (st. 6-10)

THE PASSION HISTORY, PART 3

HYMN TLH #143 – O Dearest Jesus, What Law Hast Thou Broken (st. 11-15)

Stand

THE PASSION HISTORY, PART 4

Sit

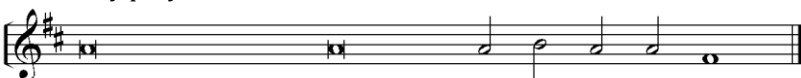
HYMN Our Blessed Savior Seven Times Spoke (back page)

BRIEF SERMON

HYMN TLH #141 – Enslaved by Sin and Bound in Chains

Stand

P Let my prayer be set forth before Thee as incense.



R And the lifting up of my hands as the eve - ning sac - ri - fice.

THE SUFFRAGES

O Lord,

Have mercy upon us.

O Christ,

Have mercy upon us.

O Lord,

Have mercy upon us.

Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom
come. Thy will be done on earth as it
is in heaven. Give us this day our daily
bread. And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass
against us. And lead us not into
temptation,

But deliver us from evil.

I said, "LORD, be merciful to me;

**Heal my soul, for I have sinned
against You."**

Return, O LORD! How long?

**And have compassion on Your
servants.**

Let Your mercy, O LORD, be upon us,

Just as we hope in You.

Let Your priests be clothed with
righteousness,

And let Your saints shout for joy.

Save, LORD!

**May the King answer us when we
call.**

Save Your people, And bless Your
inheritance;

**Shepherd them also, And bear
them up forever.**

Remember Your congregation,

which You have purchased of old.

Peace be within your walls,

Prosperity within your palaces.

Let us pray for our absent brethren.

**O God, our God, save Your
servants who trust in You!**

Let us pray for the brokenhearted and
the captives.

**Redeem Israel, O God, out of all
his troubles.**

Send them help from the Sanctuary

And strengthen them out of Zion.

Hear my prayer, O Lord;

And let my cry come to You.

Have mercy upon me, O God,
According to Your lovingkindness;

**According to the multitude of
Your tender mercies, Blot out my
transgressions.**

Wash me thoroughly from my
iniquity,

And cleanse me from my sin.

For I acknowledge my transgressions,

And my sin is always before me.

Against You, You only, have I sinned,
And done this evil in Your sight—

**That You may be found just when
You speak, And blameless when
You judge.**

Behold, I was brought forth in
iniquity,

**And in sin my mother conceived
me.**

Behold, You desire truth in the inward
parts,

**And in the hidden part You will
make me to know wisdom.**

Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be
clean;

**Wash me, and I shall be whiter
than snow.**

Make me hear joy and gladness,

**That the bones You have broken
may rejoice.**

Hide Your face from my sins,

And blot out all my iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God,

**And renew a steadfast spirit
within me.**

Do not cast me away from Your
presence,

**And do not take Your Holy Spirit
from me.**

Restore to me the joy of Your
salvation,

**And uphold me by Your generous
Spirit.**

Then I will teach transgressors Your ways,

And sinners shall be converted to You.

Deliver me from the guilt of bloodshed, O God, The God of my salvation,

And my tongue shall sing aloud of Your righteousness.

O Lord, open my lips,

And my mouth shall show forth Your praise.

For You do not desire sacrifice, or else I would give it;

You do not delight in burnt offering.

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit,

**A broken and a contrite heart—
These, O God, You will not despise.**

Do good in Your good pleasure to Zion;

Build the walls of Jerusalem.

Then You shall be pleased with the sacrifices of righteousness, With burnt offering and whole burnt offering;

Then they shall offer bulls on Your altar.

Restore us, O God of hosts;

Cause Your face to shine, And we shall be saved!

Arise, O Christ, for our help,

And redeem us for Your mercies' sake.

Hear my prayer, O Lord;

And let my cry come to You.

THE SALUTATION

P The Lord be with you.



R And with thy spir - it.

THE COLLECTS

The Pastor prays the first Collect, after which the congregation sings:



R A - men.

The Pastor prays the second Collect, after which the congregation sings:



R A - men.

P Give peace in our days, O Lord:

C **For there is none other who fights for us except You, our God.**

P O Lord, let there be peace in Your strength:

C **And abundance in your towers.**

The Pastor prays the third Collect, after which the congregation sings:



R A - men.

THE BENEDICAMUS and BENEDICTION

P Bless we the Lord.



R Thanks be to God.

P The grace of our Lord ✠ Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Ghost be with you all.



R A - men.

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1 Our bless-ed Sav - ior sev'n times spoke When on the cross our
2 "Fa - ther, for - give these men; for, see, They tru - ly know not
3 Now to the con - trite thief He cries: "Thou, ver - i - ly, in



sins He took And died lest man should per - ish. Let
what they do." So far His love ex - tend - ed. For -
Par - a - dise Shalt meet Me ere to - mor - row." Lord,



us His last and dy - ing words In our re - mem - brance cher - ish.
give us, Lord, for we, too, have Thro' ig - no - rance of - fend - ed.
take us to Thy king - dom soon Who lin - ger here in sor - row.