

2:10 P.M.

SIXTH WORD: *"It is finished."*

*Stand*

**HYMN** "Ah, Holy Jesus"

No. 349

PSALM 130

Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING

John 19:30-37

SERMON

The Reverend Dr. Ronald B. Brown  
Associate Conference Minister for Clergy Concerns  
CT Conference, United Church of Christ  
125 Sherman St., Hartford, CT 06105

ANTHEM

SILENT MEDITATION

2:35 P.M.

SEVENTH WORD: *"Father, into your hands I commend my Spirit."*

*Stand*

**HYMN** "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"

No. 351

PSALM 143

Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 23:44-49

SERMON

The Reverend Elisabeth Aurand  
First Lutheran Church of the Reformation  
77 Franklin Sq., New Britain, CT  
The Adult Choir of First Lutheran Church of the  
Reformation; Bill Hively, Director and Accompanist

ANTHEM

SILENT MEDITATION

PRAYERS

The Reverend Elisabeth Aurand  
First Lutheran Church of the Reformation  
*You are invited to remain in prayer or depart in silence.*

Your free-will offering, gratefully accepted at the door, benefits the New  
Britain Food Security Collaborative

READERS

Donna Lee Santana, Gail Buchholz

GREETERS AND USHERS

Don & Ina Knapp,  
Bill Veley & Mae Eisenhardt

Sincere thanks to all who prepared and participated in this service.

## Ecumenical Good Friday Worship

*The Last Words of Christ*  
*The Penitential Psalms*



12:00 to 3:00 P.M.

April 2, 2010

**First Lutheran Church of the Reformation**  
**77 Franklin Square, New Britain, Connecticut**

# Order of Service

PRELUDE Ingrid Persson, Organist, St. John's Lutheran Church, New Britain

WELCOME AND PRAYER

☞ Let us pray.

Lord Jesus, you carried our sins in your own body on the tree so that we might have life. May we and all who remember this day find new life in you now and in the world to come, where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, now and forever.

☞ Amen

12:05 P.M.

FIRST WORD: "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do"

*Stand, as able*

**HYMN "Were You There" No. 353**

*Hymn numbers refer to the cranberry Evangelical Lutheran Worship in the pew racks.*

PSALM 51 (*read responsively*) Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 23:26-34

SERMON The Reverend Pawel Lukaszewicz  
Church of the Transfiguration  
8 Concord St., New Britain, CT

ANTHEM The Adult Choir of St. John's Lutheran Church,  
New Britain; Ingrid Persson, Director and Accompanist

SILENT MEDITATION

12:30 P.M.

SECOND WORD: "Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

*Stand*

**HYMN "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" No. 803**

PSALM 6 Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 23:35-43

SERMON The Reverend John Walker  
St. James Missionary Baptist Church  
15 Wilcox St., New Britain, CT

ANTHEM The Adult Choir of St. John's Lutheran Church,  
New Britain; Ingrid Persson, Director and Accompanist

SILENT MEDITATION

12:55 P.M.

THIRD WORD: "Woman, behold your Son! Behold your mother."

*Stand*

**HYMN "Our Father, by Whose Name" No. 640**

PSALM 32 Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING John 19:17-27

SERMON Pastor Brenda Marquez  
El Shaddai Christian and Missionary Alliance Church  
53 Franklin Square, New Britain, CT

ANTHEM The Choraliers of Bethesda Apostolic Church, New  
Britain; James McCoy, Director; Kay Davis, Accompanist

SILENT MEDITATION

1:20 P.M.

FOURTH WORD: "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?"

*Stand*

**HYMN "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" No. 338**

PSALM 22 Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING Mark 15:25-35

SERMON The Reverend Will Baumgartner  
Chaplain, Hospital of Central Connecticut  
100 Grand St., New Britain, CT

ANTHEM The Choraliers of Bethesda Apostolic Church, New  
Britain; James McCoy, Director; Kay Davis, Accompanist

SILENT MEDITATION

1:45 P.M.

FIFTH WORD: "I thirst."

*Stand*

**HYMN "In the Cross of Christ I Glory" No. 324**

PSALM 102 Psalm Booklet

*Sit*

SCRIPTURE READING John 19:28-29

SERMON The Reverend Walter Simmons  
True Vine Missionary Baptist Church  
477 Ellis St., New Britain, CT

ANTHEM The Adult Choir of First Lutheran Church of the  
Reformation; Bill Hively, Director and Accompanist

SILENT MEDITATION