

Good Friday Last Hour Meditation

All the music in this Meditation is performed by the
New English Orchestra and Singers.

Artistic Director and Conductor Nigel Swinford (RIP).

Introit. *There is a green hill far away* C.F. Alexander.

Welcome and Introduction.

How Great Thou Art Norman J. Clayton, Stuart Hine et.al.

The Collect for Good Friday.

The First Anthem of Good Friday:

Matthew We adore you, O Christ, for you were slain;
 For by your blood you ransomed men for God;
 From every race and language, from every people and nation,
 To make them a kingdom of priests, to stand and serve before our God.

**All We adore you O Christ and we bless you,
 Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.**

Miserere Mei Deus. Gregorio Allegri.

The Absolution:

Matthew Almighty God have mercy upon us,
 pardon and deliver us from all our sins;
 Confirm and strengthen us in all goodness,
 through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

I know a fount. Oliver Cooke.

The Second Anthem of Good Friday:

Matthew Christ was manifested in the body, vindicated in the spirit,
 Witnessed by the angels, proclaimed among the nations,
 Believed in throughout the world, glorified in high heaven.

**All: We adore you O Christ and we bless you,
 Because by your holy cross you have redeemed the world.**

Bible Reading: Isaiah chapter 53.

Mangersta Beach (O for a thousand tongues) Aidan O'Rourke.

Bible Reading: Acts chapter 8.

What can separate us from the love of Christ?

Janice Hobday.

The Prayers.

The Lord's Prayer.

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.
For thine is the kingdom,
the power and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Ein Tad yr hwn wyt yn y nefoedd
Sancteiddier dy enw,
Deled dy dernas
gwneler dy ewyllys,
 megis yn y nef, felly ar y ddaear hefyd.
Dyro i ni heddiw ein bara beunyddiol
a maddau i ni ein dyledion,
fel y maddeuwn ninnau i'n dyledwyr.

Ac nac arwain ni i brofedigaeth;
eithr gwared ni rhag drwg.
Canys eiddot ti yw'r deyrnas,
a'r gallu a'r gogoniant,
yn oes oesoedd. Amen.

Balm in Gilead.

Traditional.

Bible Reading: John chapter 18.

Agnus Dei.

Nigel Swinford.

Bible Reading: Philippians 2.

At the Name of Jesus.

Christopher Walker

Bible Reading: Matthew 27.

Behold the Lamb of God.

G.F. Handel.

Benediction.

Be still and know that I am God.

Anon.