

Greenbank Parish Church, Edinburgh

Friday 3rd April 2026

Good Friday

In-Person and Livestreamed Worship, 7.30pm

Worship Leader: Very Rev Dr Derek Browning

Preacher: Rev Ian Gilmour

Director of Music: Alberto Massimo

Organist: Morley Whitehead

Order of Service

(Hymns are from CH4 and readings are from NRSV)

Organ

Call to Worship

Hymn 382: *O Sacred Head! sore wounded* [Tune: *Passion Chorale*]

Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Reading: Isaiah 52:13 – 53:12 (OT p694)

Messiah excerpts – Joint Choirs:

Behold the Lamb of God

He was despised

Surely he hath borne our griefs

And with his stripes we are healed

All we like sheep have gone astray

Reading: Psalm 22: 1–15 (OT pp511–512)

Reflection: Rev Ian Gilmour

Hymn 380: *There is a green hill far away* [Tune: *Horsley*]

Messiah excerpts – Joint Choirs:

*Thy rebuke hath broken his heart
Behold, and see if there be any sorrow
He was cut off out of the land of the living
But Thou didst not leave his soul in Hell
All they that see him laugh him to scorn
He trusted in God*

Prayer

Hymn 392: *When I survey the wondrous cross* [Tune: *Rockingham (Communion)*]

Reading: John 19: 16–30 (NT pp110–111)

The Service finishes in silence with no benediction and no music for exit