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Reflection

Worship Together Apa

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LOVE One Another

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Prayer

Music:

Benediction

Postlude: Bitter Was the Night MUSIC & TEXT: Sydney Carter

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## Imperfect World Feeling Honoured to Exist

William Cleary

How can we make sense of a world of so much imperfection Holy Mystery, Evolutionary God Is there "a balm in Gilead" to heal our mystification an oasis of meaning amid the desert sands of absurdity and heartache A shaft of light, of enlightenment

> emerges from the evidence of a cosmos-wide evolutionary proces wherein trial and error

randomness and improvisation, are the very way of divine creativity

Open our hearts to hear this news if there is guidance for us here Your creation, God of Light

> is not so much a battleground as some myths would have it or a testing place of good against evil or of nation against nation

It is fundamentally a colossal flower opening up a single family tree blossoming and growing a cosmic symphony unfolding into meaning and elegance where variation and dissonance are necessar

to our evolving process

This is your beloved world, Enlivening Spirit and it is an honour to be an imperfect part of it

Amen

## Please stay tuned to the end of the video for a special appeal from Council Member Andrew Slonetsky!

#### **OFFERINGS:**

There are several ways to ensure that we are able to continue meeting our commitments.

#### You can mail in your offerings:

Holy Cross Lutheran Church 1035 Wayne Drive Newmarket, On. L3Y 2W9

You can sign up to our Preauthorized Remittance Program PAR contact our Treasurer Sharon Smyth who will guide you

You can go to Holy Cross' **CanadaHelps** page to donate just follow the link:

https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/131691727RR0001-holy-cross-lutheran-church/

#### **CARE TEAM:**

We are doing our best to connect with our HC Family. We are grateful that at the moment we have more volunteers than we need. This will serve us well in the coming weeks. Soon, we will be creating a phone chain to ensure that we all stay connected. If you need help, or simply a conversation, **PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE** to leave a voicemail on the church phone: 905-898-1682 – we are checking these messages 3 times a day. So, someone will get back to you ASAP.

You can also call Pastor Dawn directly on her cellphone 905-868-0897.

Please help us out: we hope to begin live broadcasts on YouTube after Easter. In order to do so, we need 100 subscribers. Pastor Dawn's channel currently has 84 subscribers.

Please go to her channel and click on "Subscribe"

Just follow this link:

https://www.youtube.com/results?search\_query=pastor+dawn+hutchings

### **Good Friday**



Video will be posted at 10:00am Friday April 10

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#### Stations of the Cross: A Way of Sorrows

On this Good Friday, we are surrounded by sorrows. However, like every Good Friday, even in the midst of sorrow we meet compassion. It is in this compassion that we experience the LOVE who is God embodied in compassionate flesh. It is in this flesh that our hope lies. Following Jesus, we walk the Way of Sorrows trusting that nothing can separate us from the LOVE that IS God.



## **Easter Sunday**



# CHRIST Is Risen! CHRIST Is Risen Indeed!

#### VIRTUAL EASTER BREAKFAST

Zoom in to join us. Bring along your favourite beverage, and Zoom into our Easter Video gathering.

The best thing about our traditional Easter Breakfast is the conversation. So, let's not let physical distancing rob us of our celebration. Just grab you phone, tablet or computer, **click on the link at 9:30am on Easter morning** and you will be taken to our gathering.

https://zoom.us/j/517600732?pwd=L2NpbDqvbGpZQTQ0WXIoYVRQbmFvUT09

Worship Video will be posted at 10:45am
Sunday April 12

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CHRIST Is Risen In Us!
Alleluia!!!

Our Global Justice Team at Holy Cross Lutheran Church has been working closely with the York Region Outreach Van for many years. At the moment our volunteers have been asked to stay home and the limited staff working from the outreach Van is working 'flat out' in their attempt to serve the expanding number of clients. Requests for food, particularly, account for the greater number of clients being seen by Van staff.

We all know that there are folks in distress during this period of diminishing resources and fear over the pandemic. Contributing food items to the Van may be a way you would feel you could help with.

Items most needed are:

Peanut Butter
Tuna
Baked Beans
Canned Pasta Sauce (no glass)
Canned Soup



If you go shopping for yourself, or send someone shopping on your behalf, please consider buying some extra for the Van. Since there are no volunteers to go shopping for the Van, we appreciate food donations over monetary gifts.

Your donations will be picked up from your porch or we can arrange a drop off for you if you email <a href="mailto:holycrosslutheran@rogers.com">holycrosslutheran@rogers.com</a>



To arrange pick-up or drop-off of your donation: Email

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