



**ROYAL OAK
FIRST**
A United Methodist Church

**Friday, April 3, 2026
12:00 PM Worship**



**Good
Friday**



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship		Jennifer Tripoli
Opening Hymn #288*	“Were You There”	
Welcome		Jeff Nelson
Unison Prayer		
Pastoral Prayer		Bridget Nelson
Stations of the Cross		
Hymn #292*	“What Wondrous Love Is This”	
Invitation to Offering		
Musical Offering	“Via Dolorosa”	Jenni Clark
Prayer of Dedication		
Doxology #95*	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	
Scripture**	Luke 23:44-49	Dale Milford
Sermon		Jeff Nelson
Closing Hymn #504*	“The Old Rugged Cross” (verses 1,2,4)	
Benediction		
Depart in Silence		

**United Methodist Hymnal*

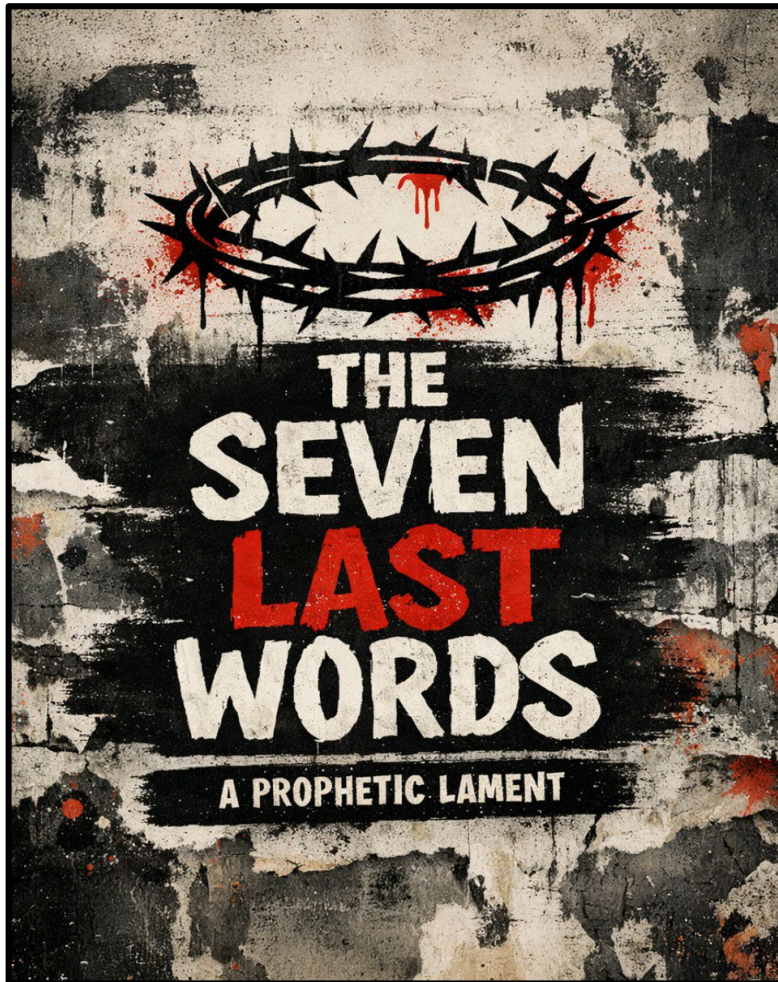
***New Revised Standard Version Updated Edition*

TONIGHT!

THE SEVEN LAST WORDS POETRY/MUSIC SLAM

Friday, April 3, 2026 | 7:00 p.m. (*in-person & online*)

Experience a powerful evening of poetry and music as we reflect on Christ's final words from the cross. Through creative expression and honest reflection, *The Seven Last Words* invites us into the depth of Jesus' humanity and divinity in his final moments. Unique, poignant, and deeply moving—this is a Holy Week experience you won't want to miss.



CHRIST IS RISEN! HALLELUJAH!

Sunday, April 5, 2026 | 9:00 & 11:00 a.m. (*in-person & online*)

Come celebrate the joy and hope of Easter morning with us. Our 9:00 a.m. service features our House Band, while the 11:00 a.m. service will be led by the Sanctus Choir, accompanied by a brass quartet. Whether you come early or later, you'll find a vibrant, spirit-filled celebration of resurrection and new life.

