

# Corner Brook United Church

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**Office Hours:**  
**Monday – Thursday 10 am – 2 pm**  
We're able to receive bulletin info until **Wed. at 1 pm**

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**Washrooms:**  
**Upstairs:** through the door to the right of the stage  
**Downstairs:** the exit between the two coat racks

CBU strives to be a **scent free** facility.

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**April 3, 2026 – Good Friday**



**Good Friday**  
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**Witnesses to the arrest and crucifixion of our Lord**  
**From the Gospel according to Matthew**

(The service will proceed unannounced)  
(Insofar as it is possible please remain silent)

Jesus' prediction	Matthew 26: 31 – 35
Hymn: <i>O Jesus, I Have Promised</i>	VU 120
In the Garden of Gethsemane	Matthew 26: 36 – 46
The Arrest	Matthew 26: 47 – 56
Hymn: <i>Go to Dark Gethsemane</i>	VU 133
Jesus before the council	Matthew 26: 57 – 68
Peter's denial	Matthew 26: 69 – 75
Choir: <i>Bitter Was the Night</i>	VU 132
Judas' death	Matthew 27: 3 – 10
Hymn: <i>Ah, Holy Jesus</i>	VU 138, v 1,2
Jesus before Pilate	Matthew 27: 1 – 2, 11 – 14
The sentence	Matthew 27: 15 – 26
The mocking	Matthew 27: 27 – 31
Hymn: <i>Beneath the Cross of Jesus</i>	VU 135

The crucifixion	Matthew 27: 32 – 44
Hymn: <i>Were You There?</i>	VU 144 v 1,2
Death	Matthew 27: 45 – 56
Hymn: <i>Were You There?</i>	VU 144 v 3,4,5
Burial	Matthew 27: 57 – 61
Message: What we're left to contemplate	
Hymn: <i>O Sacred Head</i>	VU 145 v 1-3
Pray, then retire in silence	

**Return on Sunday, April 5**  
**to celebrate Jesus' victory over sin and death**

**Readers for the Good Friday story are:**

Carolyn Maybee	Cathy Quigley
Brenda Mosher	Randall Hobbs
Marilyn White	Betty House
Reuben Vaters	Keegan Allen
Judy Wiltshire	Barry Morgan
Susan Morgan	Mimajoan Saunders