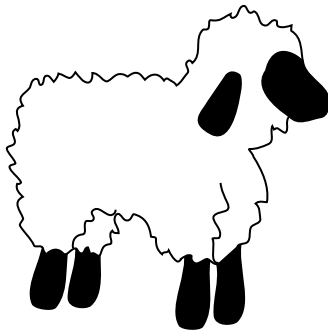


# **Church of God Big Sandy**

Commemoration of the Suffering  
and Death of Our Lord

March 31, 2026  
7:30 P.M.



Christ, our Passover, was sacrificed for us  
—1 Corinthians 5:7

## Matthew 26:26–29

**A**nd as they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to the disciples and said, “Take, eat; this is My body.” Then He took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, “Drink from it, all of you. For this is My blood of the new covenant, which is shed for many for the remission of sins. But I say to you, I will not drink of this fruit of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in My Father’s kingdom.”

## 1 Corinthians 11:23–26

**F**or I received from the Lord that which I also delivered to you: that the Lord Jesus on the same night in which He was betrayed took bread; and when He had given thanks, He broke it and said, “Take, eat; this is My body which is broken for you; do this in remembrance of Me.”

In the same manner He also took the cup after supper, saying, “This cup is the new covenant in My blood. This do, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of Me.” For as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death till He comes.

## Philippians 3:8–10

**Y**et indeed I also count all things loss for the excellence of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and count them as rubbish, that I may gain Christ and be found in Him, not having my own righteousness, which is from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is from God by faith; that I may know Him and the power of His resurrection, and the fellowship of His sufferings, being conformed to His death.

- Fellowship of His sufferings
- Being conformed to His death
- Power of His resurrection

# Order of Service

- Welcome and opening prayer . . . . . Dave Havir  
1 Corinthians 11:23–26 and John 10:25–30
- Scripture reading . . . . . Morris Foster  
John 2:13–23 and John 3:13–21
- Scripture reading . . . . . Stan West  
John 5:18–47
- Vocal solo—“If My People” . . . . . Bernice Burson
- Scripture reading . . . . . Daniel Hammons  
John 6:35–58
- Vocal solo—“His Face” . . . . . Nancy Diraison
- Scripture reading . . . . . Reg Killingley  
John 10:1–18                      John 12:1–7  
John 11:45–57                      John 12:23–28
- Hymn of praise . . . . . “There Is a Redeemer”
- Hymn of reflection . . . . . “In Thy Lovingkindness, Lord”  
Song leader . . . . . Neil McIver  
Pianist . . . . . Dixon Cartwright
- Reading of John 13:1–17 . . . . . Mark Weiss
- Dismissal to foot-washing area . . . . . Dave Havir
- Scriptures about broken bread . . . . . Anthony Kimmons  
Isaiah 53:1–12  
Matthew 26:36–44
- Video—*The Crucifixion: A Medical Perspective*  
(no gruesome images)
- Prayer about broken bread . . . . . Anthony Kimmons
- Scriptures about wine . . . . . Wynn Skelton  
Romans 5:6–11  
Hebrews 9:1–14  
Revelation 5:1–13
- Prayer about wine . . . . . Wynn Skelton
- Reading of Scriptures  
John 13:31–38 . . . . . Jake Dunnam  
John 14:1–10 . . . . . David Coleman  
John 15:1–13 . . . . . Neil McIver  
John 16:16–33 . . . . . Garland Harroff
- Vocal solo—“You’ll Never Walk Alone” . . . . . Mark Weiss  
John 17 . . . . . Jim Bald
- Hymn of praise . . . . . “To God Be the Glory”  
Song leader . . . . . Neil McIver  
Pianist . . . . . Dixon Cartwright
- Spoken blessings upon the congregation . . . . . Dave Havir  
Numbers 6:24–26  
Hebrews 13:20–21
- Closing prayer . . . . . Wynn Skelton

## Spoken blessings upon the congregation

### ■ Numbers 6:24-26

*Numbers 6:24*—“[May] the Lord bless you and keep you.”

*Numbers 6:25*—“[May] the Lord make His face shine upon you, and be gracious to you.”

*Numbers 6:26*—“[May] the Lord lift up His countenance upon you, and give you peace.”

### ■ Hebrews 13:20-21

*Hebrews 13:20-21*—“Now, may the God of peace (who brought up our Lord Jesus from the dead), that great Shepherd of the sheep (through the blood of the everlasting covenant) make you complete in every good work to do His will—working in you what is well pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.”

## Reminders

■ *On the night the Son of God was betrayed*—Tonight pictures the evening when the Son of God was betrayed—having a meal with His disciples (Luke 22:14–20) and giving them specific symbols (1 Corinthians 11:23–26).

■ *Death of the Son of God*—Tomorrow at 3:00 p.m. (Matthew 27:46) pictures the time when Christ our Passover was sacrificed for us (1 Corinthians 5:7).

■ *Resurrection of the Son of God*—Many disciples reflect on the events involving His resurrection—counting three days and three nights from His death.