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Opening prayer:

Vulnerable God,
you are with us when we suffer sorrow and pain, our loving companion:
today we keep vigil with your Son
in the last hours of His earthly life;
in our small way we share his grief and loss,
and we thank you that you endured this for us
and bring us hope even at the darkest hour. Amen

Reading: John 19: 28-29

Reflection

Final prayer:

Jesus, in your agony you asked for a drink.
Today we know that you walk with all who experience deprivation,
and an absence of all that is essential
to human flourishing.
Walk with your world in these times,
and give us always a thirst for justice,
a sense of solidarity with all people,
and a willingness to serve one another for your sake

Holy God,
holy and strong,
holy and immortal,
have mercy upon us.

Music: When I survey the wondrous cross (Hymns & Psalms 180)
https://hymnary.org/text/when_i_survey_the_wondrous_cross_watts