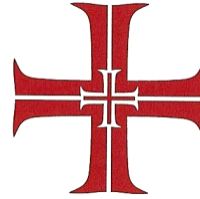


**An Evangelical Plan for Meditation on  
THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS**  
*with corresponding Scriptural references*



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*The ~ symbol indicates parallel scriptural passages.*

1. **Jesus is condemned by Pontius Pilate:** Matthew 27:21–26 ~ Luke 23:20–25
2. **Jesus is arrayed and flogged by the soldiers as a criminal:** Matthew 27:27–31 ~ Mark 15:16–20
3. **Jesus walks the sorrowful road; Simon of Cyrene carries the Cross:** Matthew 27:32 ~ Mark 15:21 ~ Luke 23:26, 32. ; **Jesus speaks to the daughters of Jerusalem:** Luke 23:27–31
4. **Jesus is stripped and nailed to the Cross:** Matthew 27:33–36 ~ Mark 15:22–25 ~ Luke 23:33–34 ~ John 19:23–25a
5. **A sign is attached to the Cross proclaiming Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews:** Matthew 27:37–38 ~ Mark 15:26–27 ~ Luke 23:38 ~ John 19:19–22
6. **Jesus is mocked by soldiers and bystanders:** Matthew 27:39–43 ~ Luke 23:36–37
7. **Jesus is reviled by one thief and promises paradise to another:** Matthew 27:44 ~ Mark 15:22 ~ Luke 23:39–43
8. **Jesus commends his beloved disciple and his Mother to one another:** John 19:25b–27
9. **Jesus is given bitter vinegar to drink:** Matthew 27:48 ~ Mark 15:36 ~ Luke 23:36 ~ John 19:28–29
10. **Jesus senses the abandonment of God (“My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”):** Matthew 27:46 ~ Mark 15:34
11. **Jesus surrenders his life and dies upon the Cross:** Matthew 27:50 ~ Mark 15:37 ~ Luke 23:46 ~ John 19:30
12. **Jesus’ side is pierced by a soldier with a spear:** John 19:31–37
13. **The body of Jesus is taken down from the Cross:** Matthew 27:57–59 ~ Mark 15:42–46a ~ Luke 23:50–53
14. **The body of Jesus is buried in the tomb:** Matthew 27:59–61 ~ Mark 15:46–47 ~ Luke 23:53–56 ~ John 19:38–42