

## **Easter Vigil Service**

### **THE FIRST DAY**

Genesis 1:1-5  
God creates light  
Genesis 17:1-8, 15-16  
God's covenant with Abraham  
Lighting of the first candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: Bless the Lord, My Soul (Taize)

### **THE SECOND DAY**

Genesis 1:6-8  
God separates the waters  
Exodus 14:10-31  
God delivers Israel from Egypt  
Lighting of the second candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: As The Deer

### **THE THIRD DAY**

Genesis 1:9-13  
God creates the land and plants  
Genesis 32:24-30  
God's covenant with Israel  
Lighting of the third candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: For The Beauty Of The Earth

### **THE FOURTH DAY**

Genesis 1:14-19  
God creates the sun, moon and stars  
Jeremiah 31:31-34  
The new covenant  
Lighting of the fourth candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: Sanctuary

### **THE FIFTH DAY**

Genesis 1:20-23  
God makes creatures of the sea & air  
Isaiah 12:2-6  
The promise of God's deliverance  
Lighting of the fifth candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: I am sure I shall see the goodness of the Lord (Taize)

### **THE SIXTH DAY**

Genesis 1:24-31  
God makes animals and people  
Genesis 9:8-17  
God's covenant with creation  
Lighting of the sixth candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: Though I May Speak With Bravest Fire

### **THE SEVENTH DAY**

Genesis 2:1-3  
God rests on the seventh day  
John 1:1-5  
The Word Became Flesh  
Lighting of the seventh candle, the Christ Candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: Thy Word

### **THE EIGHTH DAY, THE NEW DAY**

John 20:1-18  
The Resurrection  
Revelation 21:1-6  
New Heaven and New Earth  
Lighting of the eighth candle, the New Candle  
*Silent reflection*

Song: This Is The Day  
Song: O God You Are My God

Benediction