

# PEOPLE OF THE PASSION

2011  
Midweek  
Lenten Worship

## TURN MY HEART, O GOD

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### Refrain

Turn\* my heart, O God. Turn my heart, O God.

Take my pain and bro-ken-ness; shape my life for

you. Come and turn my heart, O God.

### Verse response (3 times)

Come and turn my heart, O God.

*\* If desired, the first word of this phrase may be changed each time it appears.*

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Choir: Refrain

**Congregation: Refrain**

Choir: Have mercy, gracious God, forgive my selfish ways.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: O wash away my guilt and cleanse me from my sin.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: I know my failings well, they prey upon my mind.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

**Refrain**

Choir: I turned my face from you to seek out evil paths.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: Your punishment is just, your sentence fair and right.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: You see me as I am: a sinner from my birth.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

**Refrain**

Choir: Great Lover of all truth, teach wisdom to my heart.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: O purge me, make me clean, and wash me new once more.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: Let songs of joy ring out from crushed and silent bones.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

**Refrain**

Choir: Create in me, O God, a clean and righteous heart.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: Do not abandon me, but keep me close to you.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: Give back to me the joy of walking in your way.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

**Refrain**

Choir: Then I shall teach your path to bring the wayward home.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: Deliver me from death that I might sing your praise.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

Choir: Accept my gift to you: a broken, contrite heart.

**Congregation: Verse Response**

**Refrain**

*STAND*

M: Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**C: who made heaven and earth.**

M: Let us confess our sins in the presence of God and of one another.

*Silence for self-examination*

M: Almighty God, our heavenly Father,

**C: we have sinned against you**

**in our thoughts,**

**in our words,**

**in our deeds,**

**and in all that we have not done.**

**Forgive us in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.**

**Deliver and restore us,**

**that we may rest in peace.**

**M:** By the mercy of God we are redeemed by Jesus Christ,  
and in him we are forgiven.

Let us rest in his peace all our days

and serve him in the newness of life.

**C: Amen.**

**Refrain**

*BE SEATED*

**Psalm of the Day**

**Psalm Prayer**

M: ... through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**C: Amen.**

**Passion History according to Matthew**

**Seasonal Response**

**All: All we like sheep have gone astray, and the Lord has laid on  
him the iniquity of us all. By his wounds we are healed.**

## Hymn

## Sermon

## Special Music

## Offering

## Hymn

*STAND*

## Prayers & Lord's Prayer

### Prayer for Peace

**M:** Lord God, all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works come from you. Give to us, your servants, that peace which the world cannot give, that our hearts may be set to obey your commandments. Defend us also from the fear of our enemies that we may live in peace and quietness, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Savior, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

**C: Amen.**

### Blessing

**M:** The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**C: Amen.**

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## Closing Hymn

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### People of the Passion

March 16	Caiaphas, the Schemer
March 23	Nicodemus, the Silent Believer
March 30	Peter, the Born Leader
April 6	Pontius Pilate, the Thinker
April 13	One of the Mob, the Follower

Soup and sandwich meals will be served in the basement after the 11:00 a.m. service and an hour before the 7:30 p.m. service. Please join us!

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