



Diocese of Aberdeen and Orkney's Lent Course 2024

THE WAY TO THE CROSS

THURSDAY 25 APRIL



CONTEMPLATIVE ACTS - WORSHIP FROM TAIZÉ

This week's contemplative act is considering Taizé style worship.

This form of worship involves repeated chants, said and chanted prayers, silence and meditation. It is a more contemplative style of worship. Taizé is located in Burgundy, France and is the location of an ecumenical community of Brothers from around the world who each year welcome young adults to spend time with them.

There are Taizé style worship services offered by churches in the Diocese. However, all use chants from Taizé and involve meditation and reflection.

You can read about Taizé songs at https://www.taize.fr/en_rubrique2603.html

You can join worship from Taizé every Sunday evening on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/@taize>

On the YouTube channel you can find other worship services.

You can curate your own Taizé style worship using Taizé chants, a bible reading and reflecting in silence.

Collect for the Fourth Sunday of Easter

O God of peace, who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in your sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.