

## Monday, April 6

As we begin our journey through Holy Week, consider using your devotional time today to focus on prayer.

Take a moment for prayer...

- Get comfortable.
- Breathe deeply.
- Invite God to be present.
- Read the Bible passages.

*Isaiah 42:1-9*

*Psalm 36:5-11*

*John 12:1-11*

- Focus.
- Offer a simple prayer.
- As other thoughts come to mind, gently let them pass.
- Conclude with a prayer of thanks for God's presence.

If you so choose, you may pray the following prayer:

*Almighty God, your presence knows no beginning and no ending. You always have been, are now, and always will be. Touch our hearts this week, Lord, that in hearing the message of Jesus' suffering, death, and resurrection, we may know the magnitude of your love for us. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen*

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