Death comes for all of us

Even Jesus the Messiah died

We pause for a time of quiet reflection as the music plays.

For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.

John 3:16-17

"GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD" by Anglican composer Sir John Stainer (1840-1901).

It is the chorus from the oratorio "The Crucifixion"

traditionally sung in Anglican Good Friday meditations.

We must understand the significance of Jesus's death from the Jewish sacrificial system

His death pays the debt for our sin

God's radical hospitality means we can go home again

But we must choose to accept His invitation