

# Online Worship Service

April 26, 2020

Central Baptist Church Crossville TN

## Today's Order of Service

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Worship Song

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Kid Time

Worship Song

Message "The Wounds of Jesus"

Closing Prayer

*Pastor Terry May*

*God of Wonders*

*First Fruits*

*Becca West*

*Living Hope*

*Pastor Roland Smith*

*Pastor Terry May*

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## The Wounds of Jesus - Zechariah 13:6

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- Someone has well said that the only man-made thing in heaven will be the wounds on the body of Jesus.
- There are at least 3 things that these wounds tell us:

### I. He is a Suffering God.

- Many in our day wrestle with the suffering of mankind but there is an even bigger question than that. Why does God suffer?
- These wounds remind us that the Bible teaches God suffers!

Isaiah 42:14

Isaiah 63:9

Jeremiah 31:20

### II. He is a Sympathizing God.

Hebrews 4:15

"Now that I'm suffering, I feel closer to people who suffer than I ever did before... I feel their anguish as if it were my own."

*Professor Morrie Schwartz*

"If I had the power to eliminate all pain, I would not exercise that power."

*Paul Brand M.D.*

- Pain has several purposes:

1. Protection

2. Unifying

"When one member suffers, all members suffer with it." *I Corinthians 12:26*

3. Correcting

### III. He is a Saving God.

- Why did He receive those wounds? Let Isaiah 53:5 answer it. . .

"He was pierced through for our transgressions; He was crushed for our iniquities"

"God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself" *II Corinthians 5:19*