Suggested chronology of Holy Week

Our weekdays	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY					FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
NISAN	9	10	11	12	13	14					15	16	17
Time	Midnight to 6pm	Midnight to 6pm	Midnight to 6pm	Midnight to 6pm	Midnight to 6pm	0 – 6am	6 – 9am	9 – Noon	Noon – 3pm	3pm – 6pm	Midnight to 6pm	Midnight to 6pm	Midnight to 6pm
Jewish Festival		Select lambs for Passover Ex. 12:3	Examine lambs for three days to confirm no fault in them Ex. 12: 5-6			PASSOVER (post-exile calendar) The 'Preparation' i.e. for the Feast of Unleavened Bread *(Passover and Unleavened Bread together are referred to as Passover)*					UNLEAVENED BREAD (eaten for 7 days) UB Day 1	UB Day 2	FIRSTFRUITS UB Day 3
Sacrifices	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*			*Sacrifice at 9am*	*3pm lamb killed at Noon*	*The Passover Lamb at 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*	*Daily sacrifices 9am and 3pm*
Jesus' Activity	Meal at Bethany *Anointed to be King*	Triumphal Entry	Examination by Jewish Leaders daily in the Temple *(Chief Priests, Elders, Pharisees, Saducees, Herodians)* Couldn't find any fault in Him *Cleansing the Temple*	*Anointed for sacrifice*	Disciples prepare for Passover *(Pre-exile calendar)*	Last Supper *Arrest*	Jewish Trials	Gentile Trials	Crucifixion	Darkness	It is finished! *Burial*		Resurrection! Jesus appears to the disciples
											Three days and three nights (part of day counts as whole day)		
Bible	6pm to Midnight; John 12: 1-8; *Weekly Sabbath*	6pm to Midnight; Matthew 21: 1-11 Mark 11: 1-11 Luke 19: 29-44	6pm to Midnight; Matthew 21: 12-17 Mark 11: 15-17 Luke 19: 45-48	6pm to Midnight; Matthew 21 and 22 Mark 11 and 12 Luke 20	6pm to Midnight; Matthew 26: 6-13 Mark 14: 3-9	6pm to Midnight; Matthew 26: 59-68	Matthew 27: 11-14 Luke 23: 6-12	Acts 4: 27	1 Cor. 5: 7 Christ our Passover		6pm to Midnight; 1 Cor. 5: 8 Let us keep the feast; *High Sabbath*	6pm to Midnight; *Weekly Sabbath*	6pm to Midnight; John 20: 1-8 Luke 24: 1-12 1 Cor. 15: 20 Christ the Firstfruits; Luke 24: 13-49 John 20: 19-23; *First day of the week*; 6pm to Midnight

Note: in the official calendar (post exile), days begin at sundown (taken as 6pm for simplicity in the chart).

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