Maundy Thursday April 6, 2023 Worship with Holy Communion 7:00 p.m.



Worship during the three days of Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday is often considered to be one continuous service, as we move from the Last Supper and

Betrayal to the Resurrection. Maundy Thursday is named after the command ("mandatum" in Latin) to love one another. On Good Friday (called "Good" because by his death Jesus defeated sin, death, and evil) we hear the story of the crucifixion. On Holy Saturday we pause in the moment of stillness between death and life.

Prelude Hommage à Frescobaldi: 1. Prélude au Kyrie ~ Jean Langlais

Confession and Forgiveness

We gather in the name of God, who invites us to come as we are, with all our questions, all our seeking, with all that makes our hearts heavy and our minds uneasy. Let us confess our sins to God, who is gracious and constant in love.

Most merciful God,

We confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves.

We have sinned against you in thought, word and deed,
by what we have done and by what we have left undone.

We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.

For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.

Forgive us, renew us, and lead us,
so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

By grace you have been saved.
In the name of +Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.
Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

Amen.

Laying on of hands for Forgiveness

You may come forward to receive laying on of hands and individual words of forgiveness.

<u>Hymn</u> Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love ~ ELW 708

Greeting and Prayer of the Day

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all

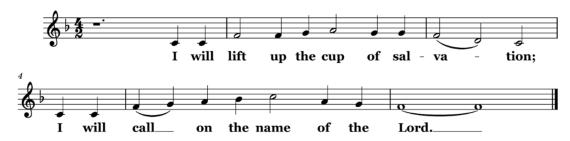
And also with you

Holy God, source of all love, on the night of his betrayal, Jesus gave us a new commandment, to love one another as he loves us. Write this commandment in our hearts, and give us the will to serve others as he was the servant of all, your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

First Reading 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

In the bread and cup of the Lord's supper, we experience intimate fellowship with Christ and with one another because it involves his body given for us and the new covenant in his blood. Faithful participation in this meal is a living proclamation of Christ's death until he comes in the future.

Psalm 116



I love the LORD, who has heard my voice, and listened to my supplication, for the LORD has given ear to me whenever I called.

Refrain

How shall I repay the LORD

for all the good things God has done for me?

I will lift the cup of salvation

and call on the name of the LORD. Refrain

I will fulfill my vows to the LORD

in the presence of all God's people.

Precious in your sight, O LORD,

is the death of your servants.

O LORD, truly I am your servant;

I am your servant, the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.

I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving

and call upon the name of the LORD.

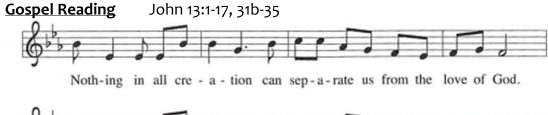
I will fulfill my vows to the LORD

in the presence of all God's people,

in the courts of the LORD's house,

in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

Refrain





The Holy Gospel, according to John

Glory to you, O Lord

. . .

The gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ

Sermon

Hymn of the Day Not for Tongues of Heaven's Angels ~ ACS 1044

Creed

I believe in God, eternal, almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, the Redeemer of all, the Only Begotten One;
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
lived and loved among us,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried,
who descended into hell,
and on the third day rose from the dead.

Jesus, our Savior, ascended into heaven, sits at the right hand of the loving God, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the dead, and life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers

Each portion of the prayers concludes, Hear us, O God. and you may respond, **Your mercy is great**

Musical Offering Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love ~ arr. Kevin McChesney

(Hallelujah Ringers)

Offertory Hymn Come to the Table ~ ELW 481

Offertory Prayer

God of good gifts, receive these and all our offerings as we present them in faithful service for the sake of your gospel. Prepare our hearts to receive you in this meal as you pour out your very presence through Christ Jesus, the wellspring of eternal life. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you

And also with you

Lift up your hearts

We lift them to the Lord

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God

It is right to give God thanks and praise

It is indeed right ... their unending hymn:



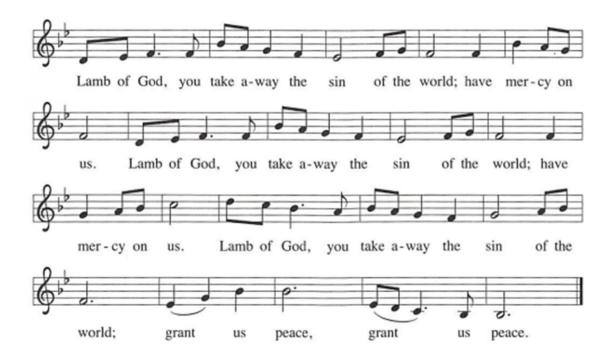
Eucharistic Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come, your will be done,
on earth as in heaven
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

Holy Communion

You are beloved of God, and this meal is for you. Come forward to the altar rail and stand or kneel to receive communion. The bread is gluten-free and there is wine or grape juice. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, you may come forward and cross your arms over your chest.



Communion Hymn

When Twilight Comes ~ ELW 566

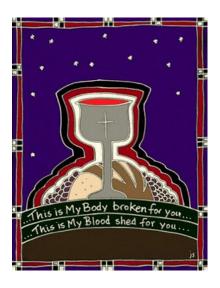
Blessing after Communion

Prayer after Communion

Lord Jesus, in a wonderful sacrament you strengthen us with the saving power of your death and resurrection. May this sacrament of your body and blood so work in us that the fruits of your redemption will show forth in the way we live, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Stripping of the Altar Ah Holy Jesus, How Hast Thou Offended? ~ Helmut Walcha

The service ends and people depart in silence



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As God's forgiven people:

- + We welcome all in Christ's love.
- + We grow together in faith and life.
- + We go out to love and serve others.



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Deadline for Submitting Articles:

Items for the weekly annoucements - 1:00 pm Wednesday Articles for the monthly Newsletter - 20th of eah month.