



MAUNDY THURSDAY

March 24, 2016 ❖ 7:30 p.m.



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Maundy Thursday

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:30 a.m. Chapel Communion Service

9:30 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Sanctuary Worship Service

Nursery available at all services & Sunday School

SERVING TODAY

Acolyte Allie Hearn

Communion Servers Nael McCarty, Captain;
Barbara Douglass; Mike Kitchens; Florence Luranc;
Catherine Anne Thomas; Les Woodsides

Sound Bob Burroughs

Ushers Langley & Carol Perry

WELCOME, GUESTS!

We are delighted you are worshiping with us!

DURING the Welcome, please print the requested information on the Friendship Pad and pass the Friendship Pad down the pew.

FOR MORE information about our programs, ministries or membership, please contact one of our Pastors at 770.393.1424.

In Preparation for Worship

Maundy Thursday gets its name from the Latin “mandatum” which means “commandment.” Maundy Thursday is the time we remember Jesus giving His disciples the new commandment that we love one another as He has loved us. Tonight we gather as the disciples did—to enter into the story of that Thursday night so many years ago.



Prelude

My Song Is Love Unknown *arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams*

Chiming of the Hour

Words of Welcome

Shannon Dill

* Call to Worship

Leader: We gather as the disciples did two thousand years ago.

**People: We will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the LORD;
we will pay our vows to the LORD in the presence of all His people.**

Leader: We gather as people of faith. Hopeful for Easter, but patient for what is to come.

People: And so we worship, and we wait. Let us worship God.

* Hymn #498

Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken *BEACH SPRING*

Gathering for Passover

Mark 14:12-21

Response

This is the Night

This is the night, dear friends, the night for weep - ing, when powers of dark ness
o - ver - come the day, the night the faith - ful mourn the weight of
e - vil where - by our sins the Son of Man be - tray.

Prayer

Reflection

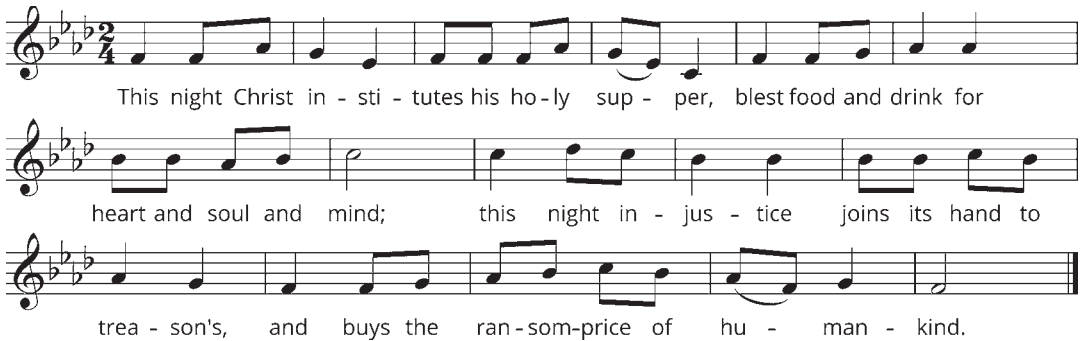
Phil Brown

The Last Supper

Mark 14:22-25

Response

This is the Night



This night Christ in - sti - tutes his ho - ly sup - per, blest food and drink for
heart and soul and mind; this night in - jus - tice joins its hand to
treason's, and buys the ran - som - price of hu - man - kind.

Anthem

Arise, My Soul, Arise *Dan Forrest*

Chancel Choir

Arise, my soul, arise
Shake off your guilty fears
The bleeding sacrifice
In my behalf appears
Before the throne my surety stands
My name is written on His hands.
Five bleeding wounds He bears
Received on Calvary
They pour effectual prayers
They strongly plead for me:
"Forgive him, O forgive," they cry,
"Nor let that ransomed sinner die."
My God is reconciled
His pard'ning voice I hear
He owns me for His child
I can no longer fear
With confidence I now draw nigh
And "Father, Abba, Father," cry. *(Charles Wesley)*

The Lord's Supper

Communion will be served by intinction (dipping the bread into the cup). If you would like to be served where you are sitting, please raise your hand. Everyone is invited to participate in the sacrament. Children who have discussed the sacrament with their parents and/or a pastor are welcome. The cup holds grape juice, not wine, during this service. A server with gluten-free wafers will be standing between the servers for those who prefer this option.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Communion Music

Agnus Dei *Joe Utterback*

Chancel Choir

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Dona nobis pacem.

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Grant us peace.

Peter's Denial Foretold

Mark 14:26-31

Response

This is the Night

This night the trai-tor, wolf with-in the sheep-fold, be-trays him-self in -
to his vic-tim's will, the Lamb of God for sac-ri-fice pre-
par-ing: sin brings a-bout the cure for sin's_ own ill.

Offering

Giving is a tangible sign of worship and our commitment to God's work in this world. Tonight's offering will go to the Pastors' Benevolence Fund, which supports people who come to the church seeking assistance with bills, food, and other support.

Offertory

Ah, Holy Jesus *arr. John Ferguson*

Chancel Choir

Ah, holy Jesus, how hast thou offended, by foes derided, by thine own rejected?

Who was the guilty? Who brought this upon thee? Alas, my treason, Jesus, hath undone thee!

'Twas I, Lord Jesus.

(Johann Heermann)

Jesus Prays in Gethsemane

Mark 14:32-42

Response

This is the Night

This night the Lord by slaves shall be ar-rest-ed, he who de-roys our slav-er-y to sin;
ac-cused of crime, to crim-i-nals be-giv-en, that judg-ment on the righ-teous Judge be-gin.

Arrest and Betrayal

Mark 14:43-50

Response

This is the Night

O make us shar-ers, Sav-ior, of your Pas-sion, that we may share your glo-ry that shall
be; let us pass through these three dark nights of
sor-row to Eas-ter's laugh-ter and its li-ber-ty.

* Benediction

* Hymn #202

An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare O WALLY WALLY

* Depart in Silence

As we enter the TRIDUUM (the time during which the Lord died, was buried, and rose again) of the Christian year, you are invited to depart from the church in silence.

Join us on Easter Sunday

7:00 a.m. Sunrise Service in the Hannaford Garden

8:30 a.m. Easter Service in the Sanctuary

11:00 a.m. Easter Service in the Sanctuary

WORSHIP NOTES: The musical response is from Hymn #206, *This is the Night*.
Thank you to our musicians: Yvonne Miller, trumpet; Ellie Eisenmesser, viola.

MISSION Responding to God's call and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we invite all to join us in knowing, serving, and sharing Jesus Christ here and around the world.

VISION To be a beacon of faith, hope, and love – every member an active disciple in Christ's ministry.



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