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MAUNDY *Thursday* SERVICE



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MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE

Maundy Thursday is the Thursday before Easter on which Christians memorialize the last supper Jesus ate with his disciples. “Maundy” comes from the Latin “mandatum novum,” meaning “new commandment. In John 13:34, Jesus gives the disciples a new commandment; “Love one another.”

Prelude: “O Love, That Wilt Not Let Me Go/In the Garden” Les Fraaza

Call to Worship: Luke 22:1-8
Now the Festival of Unleavened Bread, which is called Passover, was near.

The chief priests and the scribes were looking for a way to put Jesus to death, for they were afraid of the people.

Then Satan entered into Judas called Iscariot, who was one of the twelve; he went away and conferred with the chief priests and officers of the temple police about how he might betray him to them. They were greatly pleased and agreed to give him money.

So he consented and began to look for an opportunity to betray him to them when no crowd was present.

Then came the day of Unleavened Bread, on which the Passover lamb had to be sacrificed. So Jesus sent Peter and John, saying,

“Go and prepare the Passover meal for us that we may eat it.”

Setting the Table: Processional During Hymn

Gathering Hymn:
“An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare” (vs. 1,4) #202

Opening Prayer:
We call ourselves sinners, broken, fallen ... and this is what we were.
We call you betrayed, denied, abandoned ... and this is what you were.
You call us friends and brethren ... and this is what we are.
We call you Rabbi and Lord ... and this is what you are.

You call us holy, righteous, perfect ... and this is what we will be.
We call you King of the Whole Earth, The One Who Comes Again ... and this is what you will be.

Move us from who we were to who we will be. Jesus, move from who you are to who you will become.

Silent Confession

Assurance of Pardon: Psalm 55:16, 22
“But I call upon God, and the LORD will save me... cast your burden on the LORD, and he will sustain you; he will never permit the righteous to be moved.” This is the good news! Thanks be to God. Amen.

The Peace:

Since God has forgiven us in Christ Jesus, let us forgive one another. The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Hymn:
“Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us With Your Love” (vs. 1,3,4) #203

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 55:12-23

New Testament Reading: Luke 22:14-38

Message: “Kings and Traitors”

Special Music:
“Lead Me to the Cross” Caroline Kibler

The Celebration of the Lord’s Supper

The Invitation to the Lord’s Table and Words of Institution

The Prayer of Consecration & 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.

Sharing of the Elements
(We celebrate “Open Communion” at CCPC which means ALL baptized believers here today are welcome to share in our Lord’s Feast.)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Offering

Offertory Music:
“Jesus Paid It All” JeHae Kim-Bixby & Les Fraaza

Doxology:
“Go to Dark Gethsemane” (vs. 1,2,3) #220

The Stripping and Washing of the Table:

All movable hangings and ornaments, except for the lectern bible, are removed from the chancel and altar. Then the altar is washed, reminding us that Jesus’ body was washed before burial, according to ancient custom.

Final Reading: Luke 22:39-46

Postlude: Les Fraaza

**Our service continues tomorrow at 6 pm
with the observation of Good Friday.**