

# Maundy Thursday Service

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## Participants

Rev. Rich McDermott

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## Organist

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If you feel led to give an offering, there is a basket in the back.



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## Prayer for Preparation

Covenant God, we bless and thank you for the gift of the meal that Jesus commanded us to share. We thank you for this sign of your presence with us and your love for the world that Jesus came to redeem. We long to feast with Jesus in the fullness of the coming kingdom. May our worship tonight deepen our anticipation of that glory. Amen.

## Call to Worship

Jesus said, “I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another.”

**In worship this night, we testify to God’s love shown perfectly in Christ, and we recommit ourselves to love one another as a community of faith.**

**Let us worship God.**

**\*Hymn 137 – He Came Down**

## Prayer of Confession

**Lord Jesus, like Judas, we have betrayed you; like Peter, we have denied you; and like the other disciples, we have forsaken you. Yet you remain faithful to us unto death, even death on a cross. We plead for your forgiveness and mercy. And we ask that you strengthen us so that we do not turn aside but follow you to the very end – for the final victory belongs to you. Amen.**

## \*Gloria Patri

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

## Scripture Readings

John 13:1, 33-35

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

## Homily

## The Sacrament of Communion

### The Lord’s Prayer - sung

**Our Father, who are 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.**

**\*Hymn 300 – We Are One in the Spirit**

## Closing Prayer & Benediction

God of love, truly we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ, who offered himself in humble service to his disciples even on the night he was betrayed. Truly you shine in our hearts when we show your love to others in Christ like acts of service and fellowship.

**We leave this place eager to reflect the glory of Christ, our source of hope and life, our Teacher and Lord, who laid down his life so that we might live. Amen.**

*\* All who are able may stand*