

# **MAUNDY THURSDAY**



***APRIL 14, 2022***

***7:00 PM***



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# Service for Maundy Thursday

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## PRELUDE

"Largo from Xerxes"  
"Lamb of God"  
Leane Snyder, flute

*G.F. Handel arr. Holstein*  
*Twila Paris arr. Raney*

## ✠ CALL TO WORSHIP

Alex Lang

One: Jesus said, "I give you a new commandment, that you love one another."

All: **Just as Christ has loved us, let us love one another.**

## ✠ PRAYER OF THE DAY

## ✠ HYMN 498

"Loaves Were Broken, Words Were Spoken"

BEACH SPRING

## CALL TO CONFESSION

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*unison*)

**Eternal God, whose covenant with us is never broken, we confess that we fail to fulfill your will. Though you have bound yourself to us, we will not bind ourselves to you. In Jesus Christ you serve us freely, but we refuse your love and withhold ourselves from others. We do not love you fully or love one another as you command. In your mercy, forgive and cleanse us. Lead us once again to your table and unite us to Christ, who is the bread of life and the vine from which we grow in grace. Amen.**

### ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

One: The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

All: **Thanks be to God!**

## ✠ KYRIE 551

"Lord, Have Mercy"

LAND OF REST

## FIRST SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 26:14-25

(Pew Bible, p. 808) Alex Lang

## ANTHEM

"Bread of the World, In Mercy Broken"

*Carlton Young*

*"Bread of the world, in mercy broken, Wine of the soul, in mercy shed, By whom the words of life were spoken, and in whose death our sins are dead. Look on the heart by sorrow broken. Look on the tears by sinners shed, And be thy feast to us the token that by thy grace our souls are fed."*

## SECOND SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 26:26-30

(Pew Bible, p. 808) TC Anderson

## MEDITATION

"Communion"

TC Anderson

## OFFERING

Judy Hockenberry

## OFFERTORY

“Stay with Us”

Walter Pelz

*“Stay with us, till night has come: our praise to you this day be sung. Bless our bread, open our eyes: Jesus, be our great surprise. Walk with us, our spirits sigh: hear when our weary spirits cry Feel again our loss, our pain: Jesus, take us to your side. Walk with us, the road will bend: make all our weeping, wailing end. Wipe our tears, forgive our fears: Jesus, lift the heavy cross. Talk with us till we behold a joyful life you will unfold: Heal our eyes to see the prize: Jesus take us to the light. Stay with us till day is done: no tears nor dark shall dim the sun: cheer the heart your grace impart. Jesus, bring eternal life.”*

Leane Snyder, flute

## THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

Alex Lang/Judy Hockenberry

### THE INVITATION

#### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

One: Lift up your hearts.

**All: We lift them to the Lord.**

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

#### 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.**

#### BREAKING THE BREAD

#### COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

#### PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

**God of grace, we give you thanks for the feast of redemption we have shared in the body and blood of our Savior. As you have nourished us with love, let our lives proclaim your great love for the world. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.**

#### ♠ HYMN 202

“An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare”

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#### BENEDICTION

TC Anderson

***All depart in silence. This worship service continues on Good Friday at 7:00 pm.***

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**Pastors:** Alex Lang, Judy Hockenberry, TC Anderson

**Director of Music and Worship:** Adam Hendrickson

**Associate Director of Music and Organist:** Chris Urban

## Join Us for Holy Week Services

### Good Friday, April 15, 7:00 pm

Experience Christ's passion in a worship service of darkness.



### Easter Sunday, April 17

Celebrate Christ's Resurrection!

6:30 am Sunrise Service at North School Park

*(in the event of rain, Sunrise service will be cancelled)*

8:00 am Modern Worship

9:30 am Traditional Worship

11:00 am Traditional Worship



*Childcare will be available for Good Friday  
and 9:30 & 11:00 am Easter services.*

## Thank you for worshipping with us.

Stop by the Welcome Center in the Narthex (lobby) to pick up information that will acquaint you with our church services and programs. You are also invited to join the conversation on Facebook, at [facebook.com/firstpresah](https://facebook.com/firstpresah), Twitter, at @FirstPresAh, and Instagram, at @firstpresah. We look forward to connecting with you again.

### SPECIAL ASSISTANCE

For worship in the Sanctuary hearing amplifiers (some with T-Coil lanyard adapters) are available from the ushers.

### IMPORTANT WORSHIP REMINDERS

Please silence cell phones and refrain from taking photos or recording the worship service. Services are webcast live at [firstpresah.org/experience/livestream](https://firstpresah.org/experience/livestream). To download or listen to a podcast of today's sermon, search Apple podcasts for **The Word @ First Pres**. Past sermons are available at [firstpresah.org/experience/sermons](https://firstpresah.org/experience/sermons).

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