



MAUNDY THURSDAY
THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 2023
Evening Worship | 7:30 p.m.

Delighting in God's Glory | Demonstrating His Grace | Declaring His Gospel

PRELUDE "Ave Verum Corpus" W.A. Mozart
Jubilate Trio

*CALL TO WORSHIP
The Triune God calls his church to worship him

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION
Asking God to attend and bless the worship of his people

*HYMN NO. 419 "Abide With Me" Eventide

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER OF CONFESSION

All: Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions.

Pastor: Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

All: Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.

Pastor: Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean; wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have broken rejoice.

All: Hide your face from my sins, and blot out all my iniquities. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit.

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION
Acknowledging our sins before our Holy God and seeking his forgiveness in Christ

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Psalm 51:14–17

Pastor: Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, O God of my salvation, and my tongue will sing aloud of your righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise. For you will not delight in sacrifice, or I would give it; you will not be pleased with a burnt offering. The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise.

*HYMN NO. 196 "There is a Fountain" Cleansing Fountain

OLD TESTAMENT READING Zechariah 13:1–9 page 799, pew Bible
Rev. Corey Gray

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

ANTHEM

“Lead Me to Calvary”

arr. Bernie Herms

Dave Klemm, tenor; Traci Klemm, piano

King of my life, I crown thee now, thine shall the glory be;
Lest I forget thy thorn-crowned brow, lead me to Calvary.

*Lest I forget Gethsemane; lest I forget thine agony;
Lest I forget thy love for me; lead me to Calvary.*

May I be willing, Lord, to bear daily my cross for thee;
Even thy cup of grief to share, thou hast borne all for me.

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NEW TESTAMENT READING

John 18:1–11

page 904, pew Bible

SERMON

“Jesus Loses None”

Rev. Thomas Myrick

*HYMN

“Go to Dark Gethsemane”

Redhead No. 76

Go to dark Gethsemane, all who feel the tempter’s pow’r;
Your Redeemer’s conflict see, watch with him one bitter hour.
Turn not from his griefs away; learn from Jesus Christ to pray.

Follow to the judgment hall, view the Lord of life arraigned.
Oh, the wormwood and the gall, oh, the pangs his soul sustained!
Shun not suffering, pain, or loss; learn from him to bear the cross.

Calv’ry’s mournful mountain climb; there, adoring at his feet,
Mark that miracle of time, God’s own sacrifice complete.
“It is finished!” hear him cry; learn from Jesus Christ to die.

Early hasten to the tomb where they laid his breathless clay:
All is solitude and gloom. Who has taken him away?
Christ is ris’n! He meets our eyes. Savior, teach us so to rise.

CONFESSION OF FAITH—NICENE CREED

We believe in one God, the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father before all worlds, God of God, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father; by whom all things were made.

Who for us and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Spirit of the virgin Mary, and was made man; and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate; he suffered and was buried; the third day he rose again, according to the Scriptures; and ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of the Father; and he shall come again, with glory, to judge both the living and the dead; whose kingdom shall have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and Giver of life; who proceeds from the Father and the Son; who with the Father and the Son together is worshiped and glorified; who spoke by the prophets. And I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins; and I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Rev. Corey Gray

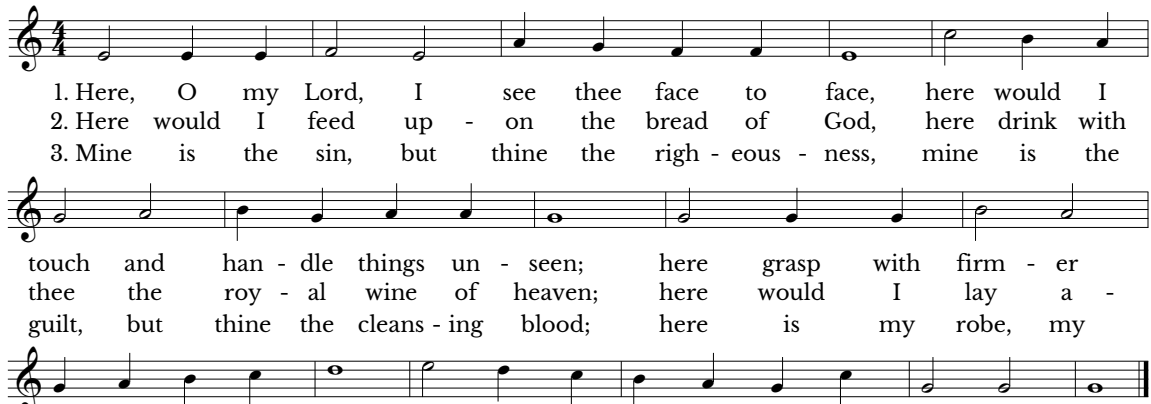
SHARING OF THE SUPPER

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN

“Here, O My Lord”

Morecambe



1. Here, O my Lord, I see thee face to face, here would I
2. Here would I feed up - on the bread of God, here drink with
3. Mine is the sin, but thine the righ - eous - ness, mine is the
touch and han - dle things un - seen; here grasp with firm - er
thee the roy - al wine of heaven; here would I lay a -
guilt, but thine the cleans - ing blood; here is my robe, my
hand e - ter - nal grace, and all my wea - ri - ness up - on thee lean.
side each earth - ly load, here taste a - fresh the calm of sin for - giv'n.
ref - uge, and my peace— thy blood, thy right - eous - ness, O Lord, my God.

*BENEDICTION

Pronouncing God's blessing on his people

POSTLUDE

“O Man, Bemoan Thy Grievous Sin”

J.S. Bach

Wyeth Duncan, organ

**Congregation standing as able*

WORSHIPING WITH CHILDREN

The presence of children is a gift to the Church and a reminder of God's covenant faithfulness. Parents, God put the wiggle in your children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house. All are welcome!

- Quietly explain the parts of the service and actions of the pastors, ushers, choir, etc.
- Sing the hymns, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn to worship by watching and following you.

DEACON SUPPORT

Deacons provide assistance and prayer support to those facing difficult circumstances. Contact an individual deacon directly, call the deacons' phone line at 301-320-3600, x223, or email deacons@4thpres.org.

NEW TO FOURTH?

Thank you for joining us in worship. To get to know the church better, scan and tap to fill out a simple form (4thpres.org/connect), and we will be in touch to welcome you and answer any questions you may have.



GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE OF TENEBRAE

April 7 | 7:30 p.m.

"The Awful Yet Wonderful Exchange"

Matthew 24:1-2, 11-31

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

EASTER SUNRISE

6:00 a.m.

"Christ the Firstfruits"

1 Corinthians 15:20-28

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

*Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
will be celebrated.*

A continental breakfast follows.

*(In the event of inclement weather,
service will be moved to Upper Room.)*

EASTER MORNING

8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

"Behold, Jesus"

Matthew 28:1-15

Dr. Todd M. Smedley

EASTER EVENING

6:00 p.m.

"The Funeral and the Feast"

Isaiah 25:6-12

Rev. David Frerichs

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will be celebrated.*

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