

HOLY EUCHARIST RITE II MAUNDY THURSDAY

March 28, 2024: 7:00 p.m. St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

Welcome. This evening, Maundy Thursday, marks the beginning of the Triduum, the three holy days that commemorate the Passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ. On this night we follow the Lord's command to love one another by participating in the foot washing ceremony, and we observe the institution of the Eucharist by Jesus "on the night he was betrayed." The service concludes with the stripping of the altar and the procession to the Garden of Repose.

Prelude

Opening Hymn

Praise to the holiest in the height

Hymn #446

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.

THE WORD OF GOD

Opening Acclamation

Please stand as you are able.

Enriching our Worship

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Celebrant Blessed be the God of our salvation.

People Who bears our burdens and forgives our sins.

The Collect for Purity

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name; through Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

The Trisagion

Holy God, Holy and Mighty

Hymnal S-102

Please stand as you are able and join in singing the Trisagion three times.



The Collect of the Day

BCP, p. 221

Please remain standing as you are able as the Celebrant says the collect.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty Father, whose dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it thankfully in remembrance of Jesus Christ our Lord, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life; and who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The First Lesson Exodus 12:1-14 NRSV

Please sit.

A reading from the book of Exodus.

The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbor in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the LORD. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the LORD. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the LORD; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

The Response

Psalm 116:1, 10-17

Psalter for the Christian People

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.



I love the LORD, because the LORD has heard the voice of my suppli-/cation, * and inclined an ear to me whenever / I cried out.

- 10. How shall I repay you, / LÖRD, * for all the good things you have / done for me?
- 11. I will lift up the cup of sal-/vation * and call upon the name / of the Lord.
- 12. I will fulfill my vows to the / LÖRD * in the presence of all the / chosen people.
- 13. Precious in your sight O / LÖRD * is the death / of your servants.
- 14. LORD, I am your / servant; *
 I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me / from my bonds.
- 15. I will offer you the sacrifice of thanks -/giving * and call upon the name /of the Lord.
- 16. I will fulfill my vows to the / LÖRD * in the presence of / all the people,
- 17. In the courts of the / LORD'S house, * in the midst of you, / O Je<u>rusalem</u>.

Glory to the Father, and / to the Son, * and to the / Holy Spirit:

as it was in the beginning, is / nöw, * and will be for / ever. A-men.

The Epistle 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 NRSV

Please sit.

A reading from Paul's first letter to the Corinthians.

I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Reader The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

Sequence Hymn Go to dark Gethsemane Hymn #171

Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.

The Gospel John 13:1-17, 31b-35 NRSV

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper Jesus,

knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" Jesus answered, "You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand." Peter said to him, "You will never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no share with me." Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!" Jesus said to him, "One who has bathed does not need to wash, except for the feet, but is entirely clean. And you are clean, though not all of you." For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, "Not all of you are clean." After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord-and you are right, for that is what I am. So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them. Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

Celebrant The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

The Sermon The Rev. Peyton Williams

Please sit.

The Footwashing BCP, p. 274

Please stand as you are able.

Celebrant The Lord Jesus, after he had supped with his disciples and had washed their feet, said to

them, "Do you know what I, your Lord and Master, have done to you? I have given you an

example, that you should do as I have done."

People Peace is my last gift to you, my own peace I now leave with you; peace which the world

cannot give, I give to you.

Celebrant I give you a new commandment: Love one another as I have loved you.

People Peace is my last gift to you, my own peace I now leave with you; peace which the world

cannot give, I give to you.

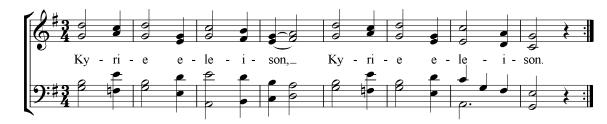
Celebrant By this shall the world know that you are my disciples: That you have love for one another.

All are invited to participate in the foot-washing. Simply take off your shoes and socks, and come down to the footwashing station in front of the baptismal font. When your feet have been washed by the person ahead of you, you may wash the feet of the next person. If you would prefer not to wash another's feet, please indicate that to the priest.

Footwashing Anthem Ubi Caritas arr. Maurice Duruflé

The Prayers of the People

Please stand or kneel as you are able.



All

We gather as the household of God, apostles, prophets, martyrs, servants, to pray for the Celebrant Church and all humankind.

Celebrant For refugees, for the homeless, and for all who have nowhere to lay their head, we pray to you, Lord God.

Celebrant For those unable to eat at the Lord's Table or at any other table we pray to you, Lord God. Celebrant For the body of Christ fractured in a world of violence and war we pray to you, Lord God.



Response

Celebrant

For all in any need and those we name now either silently or aloud, we pray to you, Lord God. (Please add your own prayers either silently or aloud)

Celebrant

For ourselves, who gather to celebrate the Lord's Passover in the bread we eat and the cup we drink, we pray to you, Lord God.

Celebrant

For the forgiveness of our sins, known and unknown, especially those we offer now in the silence of our hearts, we pray to you, Lord God. Silence



Response

The Peace

Please stand as you are able.

The peace of the Lord be always with you. Celebrant

People And also with you.

The Ministers and People greet one another in the name of the Lord.

God is love and where true love is Presentation Hymn Hymn #577 Sung by all. Please stand as you are able.

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THE HOLY COMMUNION

The Great Thanksgiving

Eucharistic Prayer A

BCP, p. 361

Please remain standing as you are able.

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

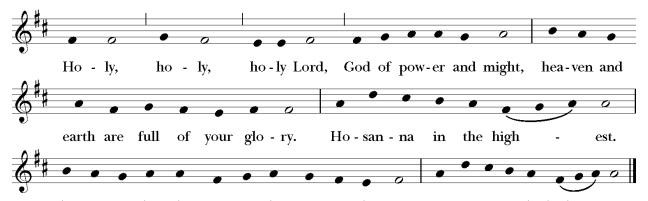
People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. For our sins he was lifted high upon the cross, that he might draw the whole world to himself; and, by his suffering and death, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who put their trust in him. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

The Sanctus Holy, holy, holy Lord Hymnal S-124



Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho-san-na in the high - est.

Please remain standing or kneel as you are able.

Holy and gracious God: in your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me. Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

All Christ has died. Christ has risen. Christ will come again.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O God, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom.

All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

And now, as our savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say:

The Lord's Prayer BCP, p. 364

Said by all. Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

The Breaking of the Bread

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The Celebrant breaks the consecrated Bread. A period of silence is kept. Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast.

All are welcome at Christ's table. Communion is offered in both kinds, bread and wine. Gluten-free wafers are available upon request. Those who do not wish to receive the Eucharist may come forward and simply cross their hands over their chest to receive a blessing or a healing prayer. Please let an usher know if you would prefer to have communion brought to you in your seat.

Communion Hymn

Let us break bread together

Hymn #325

Postcommunion Prayer

BCP, p. 366

Please stand or kneel as you are able.

All

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

A Reading after Communion

Luke 22:39-44

NRSV

Please remain standing or kneeling as you are able.

Jesus came out and went, as was his custom, to the Mount of Olives; and the disciples followed him. When he reached the place, he said to them, "Pray that you may not come into the time of trial." Then he withdrew from them about a stone's throw, knelt down, and prayed, "Father, if you are willing, remove this cup from me; yet, not my will but yours be done." Then an angel from heaven appeared to him and gave him strength. In his anguish he prayed more earnestly, and his sweat became like great drops of blood falling down on the ground.

The Stripping of the Altar

Please sit as all decorative furnishings are removed and the altar is washed.

Join in singing the chant and follow the acolytes and clergy as we process the reserve sacrament to the Garden of Repose.



When we arrive at the Garden of Repose, please assume a posture of prayer.

A Reading Matthew 26:45-56 NRSV

Then he came to the disciples and said to them, 'Are you still sleeping and taking your rest? See, the hour is at hand, and the Son of Man is betrayed into the hands of sinners. Get up, let us be going. See, my betrayer is at hand.' While he was still speaking, Judas, one of the twelve, arrived; with him was a large crowd with swords and clubs, from the chief priests and the elders of the people. Now the betrayer had given them a sign, saying, 'The one I will kiss is the man; arrest him.' At once he came up to Jesus and said, 'Greetings, Rabbi!' and kissed him. Jesus said to him, 'Friend, do what you are here to do.' Then they came and laid hands on Jesus and arrested him. Suddenly, one of those with Jesus put his hand on his sword, drew it, and struck the slave of the high priest, cutting off his ear. Then Jesus said to him, 'Put your sword back into its place; for all who take the sword will perish by the sword. Do you think that I cannot appeal to my Father, and he will at once send me more than twelve legions of angels? But how then would the scriptures be fulfilled, which say it must happen in this way.' At that hour Jesus said to the crowds, 'Have you come out with swords and clubs to arrest me as though I were a bandit? Day after day I sat in the temple teaching, and you did not arrest me. But all this has taken place, so that the scriptures of the prophets may be fulfilled.' Then all the disciples deserted him and fled.

Solo in the Garden of Repose

Kaddish, La Pasión Según San Marcos Tracey Miles, Soprano Osvaldo Golijov

You may remain in the Garden of Repose for prayers. Please depart in silence.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

Celebrant: The Rev. Peyton Williams Organist & Choirmaster: Demas Boudreaux Soloist: Tracey Miles Reader: Elaine Baur Crucifer: Belinda Brugh Vestry Person of the Day: Hank Selby

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Bring noisemakers for the Easter Vigil keys, bells, anything that jingles will contribute to the celebration!
- Bring flowers for the flower cross on Easter morning & don't forget your Easter Egg baskets!



Good Friday, March 29

- The Solemn Liturgy of Good Friday: 12:00 p.m., chancel
- Self-Guided Stations of the Cross: 1:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m., church
- The Solemn Liturgy of Good Friday with Sung Passion: 7:00 p.m., church and on Facebook

Holy Saturday, March 30

 The Great Vigil of Easter: 7:00 p.m., begins in the lot across Laurel Street from the church, then in the church, and on Facebook. Light reception to follow in the chapel.

Easter Sunday, March 31

- Easter Service at Palmer Chapel with Pine Street Baptist: 8:30 a.m., Hollywood Cemetery
- Holy Eucharist Rite II: 10:00 a.m., church and on Facebook
- Easter Egg Hunt: 11:30 a.m., immediately following the service, please bring a basket