

Maundy Thursday

6:30 p.m. Online | April 14, 2022



Prelude *(Becky)*

Call to Worship

*(Three Holy Days Text by Delores Dufner, OSB (© 1995 Sisters of St. Benedict)
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Three holy days enfold us now
in washing feet and breaking bread,
in cross and font and life renewed:
in Christ, God's firstborn from the dead.
The mystery hid from ages past
is here revealed in word and sign,
for Jesus' story is our own:
new life through death is God's design.
Christ lifted high upon the tree,
before you every knee shall bend
and every tongue in praise proclaim:
You are the Lord of all. Amen."

At the heart of the Maundy Thursday liturgy is Jesus' commandment to love one another. As Jesus washed the feet of his disciples, we are called to follow his example as we humbly care for one another, especially the poor and the unloved. At Christ's table we remember the sacrifice of his life, even as we are called to offer ourselves in love for the life of the world.

Confession and Forgiveness

Friends in Christ, in this Lenten season we have heard our Lord's call to struggle against sin, death, and the devil—all that keeps us from loving God and each other. This is the struggle to which we were called at baptism.

Within the community of the church, God never wearies of forgiving sin and giving the peace of reconciliation. On this night let us confess our sin against God and our neighbor, and enter the celebration of the great Three Days reconciled with God and with one another.

Silence is kept for reflection and self-examination.

Most merciful God,
**we confess that we are captive to sin
and cannot free ourselves.**
**We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done and by what we have left undone.**
**We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.**
**For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us.**

Forgive us, renew us, and lead us,
so that we may delight in your will
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us
even when we were dead in sin,
and made us alive together with Christ.
By grace you have been saved.
In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven.
Almighty God strengthen you with power
through the Holy Spirit,
that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.
Amen.

Greeting and Prayer of the Day

First Reading

Exodus 12:1-4, 11-14

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Psalm 116

The image shows a musical score for the hymn "Our Blessing Cup". The title "Our Blessing Cup" is centered at the top in a large, bold, serif font. Below the title, the text "Psalm 116" is on the left, "Psalm for Holy Thursday" is in the center, and "Marty Haugen" is on the right. The music is written on two staves in treble clef, with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 3/4. The lyrics are: "Our bles - sing cup is a com - mun - ion with the blood_of the Lord." The copyright notice at the bottom reads: "Copyright © 1983 G.I.A. Publications, Inc., Chicago. All rights reserved."

Second Reading-

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation (ELW setting 4, p. 151)



Re - turn to the Lord, your God, for he is gra - cious and mer - ci - ful,



slow to an - ger, and a - bound - ing in stead - fast love.

Gospel

The holy gospel according to St. John, the thirteenth chapter.

Glory to you, O Lord.

John 13:1-17, 31b-35

The gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

Homily (Pastor Frank Janzow)

Song (Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service”, ELW #712)

Prayers of Intercession

Merciful God,
receive our prayer.

Offering/Presentation of Gifts

Noon “I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked” by O’Hara/Downing, vocal duet

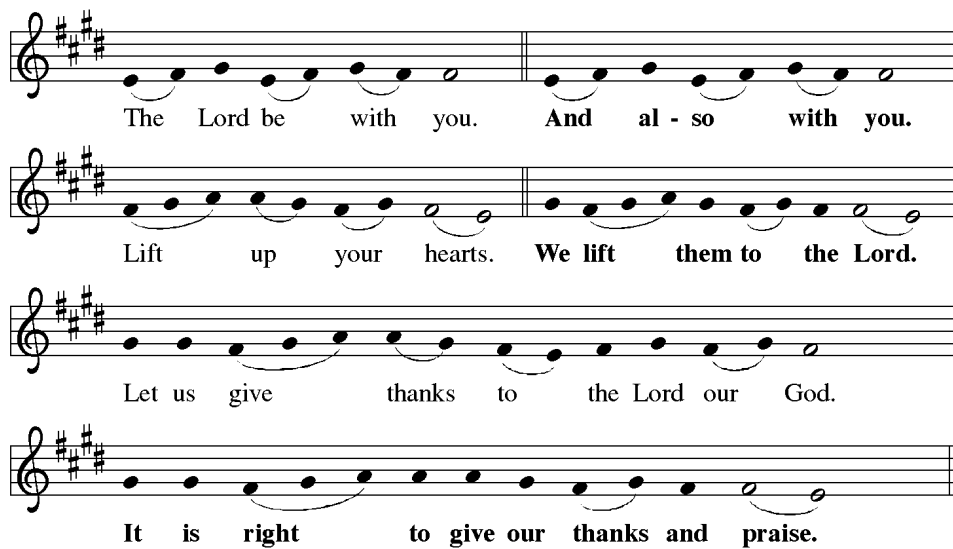
6:30 “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us” by Stuart Townend, arr. Peggy Bettcher; handbells

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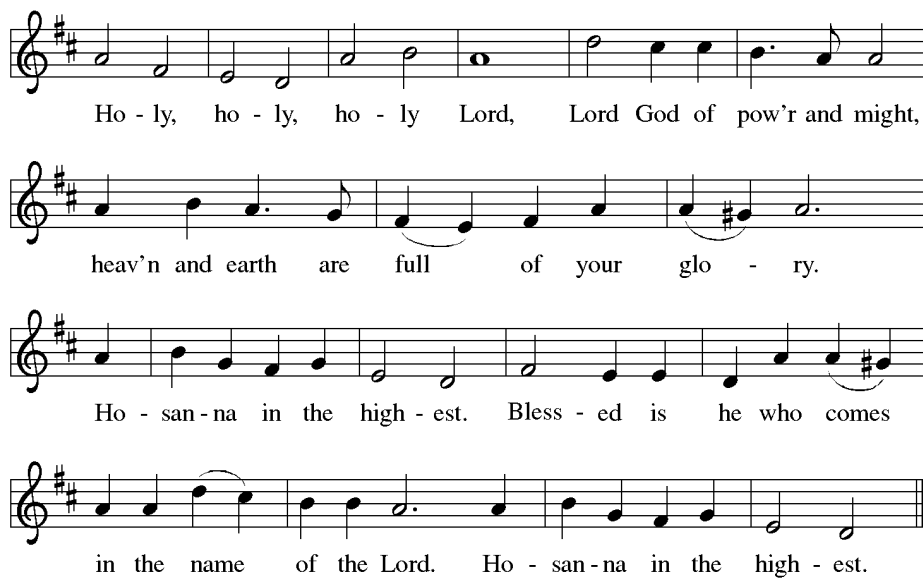


Great Thanksgiving *(hymnal p. 152)*



The Lord be with you. And al - so with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is indeed right, our duty and our joy, that ... we praise your name and join their unending hymn



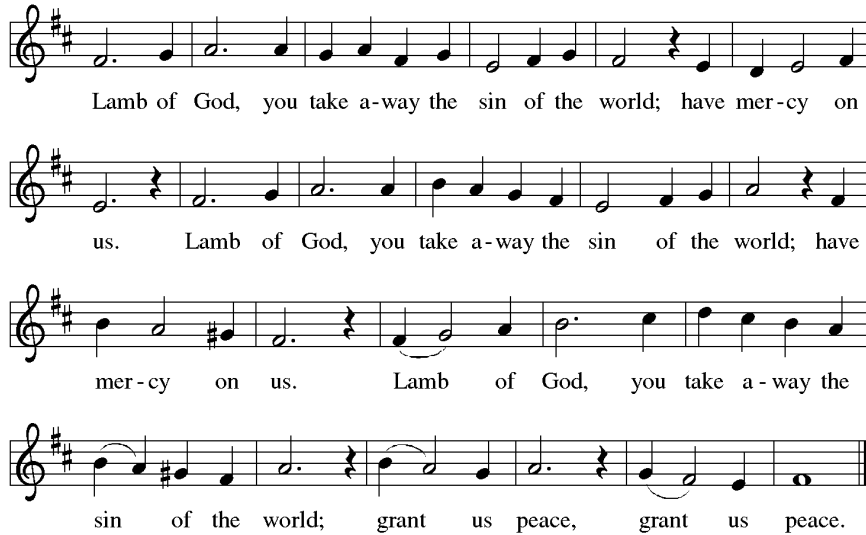
Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, Lord God of pow'r and might,
heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry.
Ho - san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

Words of Institution

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 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, forever and ever. Amen.

Lamb of God *(hymnal p. 154)*



Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have mer-cy on
us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the sin of the world; have
mer-cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a-way the
sin of the world; grant us peace, grant us peace.

Distribution *(“Thee We Adore, O Savior”, ELW 476)*

Prayer After Communion

Psalm 22

All depart in silence

Our worship has not ended. It continues tomorrow, Good Friday, at 12:00 and 6:30 p.m. The 6:30 worship will be live streamed.

Thank you:

Pastor Brian Halverson, presiding
Pastor Frank Janzow, preaching
Becky Whelpley (piano)
Sandy Landgren (noon vocals)
Patrice Krimpelbein (noon vocals)
Handbell Choir, Heidi Bischmann, director (6:30)

EASTER WORSHIP

6:00 a.m. sunrise worship outside in the columbarium with a cappella music
8:30 a.m. traditional worship with traditional music led by organ and brass
10:30 a.m. traditional worship with contemporary music led by the Praise Band

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