

I give you

A NEW COMMANDMENT



Eucharistic Liturgy / Thanksgiving and Praise 485

APRIL 9, 2020

MAUNDY THURSDAY

7:30 PM

PARK RIDGE COMMUNITY CHURCH

HOLY WEEK
APRIL 9, 2020

MAUNDY THURSDAY ONLINE WORSHIP EXPERIENCE
7:30 PM

WELCOME!

Prior to worship, participants are invited to gather candles, bread, and juice or wine.

PRELUDE

Andante Sostenuto from *Sonata No. 3*
John Bruce Yeh and Teresa Reilly, clarinets

J.S. Bach

GREETING

RITUAL ACTION: LIGHT IN DARK

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Where charity and love are, there is God.
The Love of Christ has gathered us as one.
Let us rejoice and be glad in him.
Let us fear and love the living God
And in purity of heart, let us love one another.

Where charity and love are, there is God.
When therefore we are gathered together, let us not be divided in spirit.
Let bitter strife and discord cease between us;
Let Christ our God be present in our midst.

Where charity and love are, there is God.
With all the blessed may we see forever.
Thy face in glory, Jesus Christ, our God.
Joy that is infinite and undefiled for all the ages of eternity.

*HYMN

An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare (v.1-3)

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OPENING PRAYER

FIRST LESSON

Exodus 12:1-14

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Heavenly Father,
on this, the night he was betrayed,
your Son Jesus Christ washed his disciples' feet.
We commit ourselves to follow his example
of love and service.
Lord, hear us
and humble us.

On this night, he prayed for his disciples to be one.
We pray for the unity of your Church...
Lord, hear us
and unite us.

On this night, he prayed for those who were to believe
through their ministry.
We pray for the mission of your Church...
Lord, hear us
and renew our zeal.

On this night, he commanded them to love,
but suffered rejection himself.

We pray for the rejected and unloved...

Lord, hear us

and fill us with your love.

On this night, he reminded them that if the world hated them
it hated him first.

We pray for those who are persecuted for their faith...

Lord, hear us

and give us your peace.

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked

Lyle Nicholson, bass

Hayes

***GOSPEL LESSON**

John 13:1-20

This is the Word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

When Belief Becomes Action

Rev. Carol Hill

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE 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.

OFFERTORY

Bouree No. 1 from Suite No. 3

Alex Hibbard-Brown, cello

J.S. Bach

RITUAL ACTION: WASHING

RITUAL ACTION: BREAD AND DRINKING THE CUP

PRAYER

**O God, we give you thanks
For the gift of Jesus Christ,
The only one begotten by you before all worlds.
We thank you for the splendor
Of Christ's life of service.
We thank you for symbols of love and humility.
We ask that you will strengthen us
For the service to which you call us,
That we may find in lowering ourselves, in washing,
And in all other acts of mercy,
The fullness of life that we see in Jesus Christ,
Who with you and the Holy Spirit,
Lives in exultation, one God forever and ever. Amen.**

***HYMN**

I Come with Joy (v. 1-3)

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***BENEDICTION**

We believe the time is now.
With the taste of bread fresh on our lips.
To go into the world and face the darkness.
We believe the moment is right.
With the bitterness of the wine sharp in our mouths.
To face the powers of the world with the love of heaven.
We believe the place is here.
With the sound of covenant echoing in our ears.

To endure the suffering love calls us to.

We believe the path is before us.

With the crumbs of heaven still scattered across the table.

To side with truth in a deafened world.

We believe the hour is come.

With the table conversation a turmoil in our minds.

To conspire with Christ and move against injustice.

We believe the gospel is this.

With bread lying broken and a goblet left empty.

Love is betrayed but death shall not have the final word.

POSTLUDE

What Wondrous Love

Traditional

Mark Holihan, piano and Thom Goodwin, harmonica

LEADING US IN WORSHIP – APRIL 9, 2020 – 7:30 PM

Rev. Carol Hill, Senior Minister

Liz Swanson, Pastoral Care Director

Chris Chandler, Lector

Seamus Lynch, Worship Leader

Sasha Gerritson, Director of Music Ministries

John Bruce and Teresa Reilly, clarinet

Lyle Nicholson, bass

Alex Hibbard-Brown, cello

Mark Holihan, pianist

Brian Keady, pianist

Angie & Andrew Weber, musicians

* INDICATES TO PLEASE RISE IN BODY AND SPIRIT, IF ABLE.

BOLD INDICATES TO SPEAK ALOUD IN ONE VOICE, IF ABLE.