



Maundy Thursday Service  
April 2, 2026 — 6:30 pm Service  
Order of Worship  
FM Frequency 99.3

Maundy Thursday

We welcome all to our Maundy Thursday worship. We encourage all believers to participate in both the communion and foot washing services as you are comfortable. Communion today is by intinction (participants will dip bread into a cup).

Welcome

Reading: 1 Corinthians 11:23-29

*"For I received from the Lord what I also delivered to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it, and said, 'This is my body, which is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.' In the same way also he took the cup, 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. Whoever, therefore, eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty concerning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself."*

Examination

Song: ***In The Garden***

I come to the garden alone  
While the dew is still on the roses  
And the voice I hear, falling on my ear  
The Son of God discloses

And He walks with me  
And He talks with me  
And He tells me I am His own  
And the joy we share as we tarry there

None other has ever known

He speaks, and the sound of His voice  
Is so sweet the birds hush their singing  
And the melody that He gave to me  
Within my heart is ringing

And He walks with me  
And He talks with me  
And He tells me I am His own  
And the joy we share as we tarry there  
None other has ever known

I'd stay in the garden with Him  
Though the night around me be falling  
But He bids me go, through the voice of woe  
His voice to me is calling

And He walks with me  
And He walks with me  
And He tells me I am His own  
And the joy we share as we tarry there  
None other has ever known

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#### Words Of Institution

In the night in which he was betrayed, our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying: Take and eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me.

Again, after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying: This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me.

#### Communion

#### Prayer

#### Reading: John 13:1-17

*"It was just before the Passover Festival. Jesus knew that the hour had come for him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. The evening meal was in progress, and the devil had already prompted Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him. He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, 'Lord, are you going to wash my feet?' Jesus replied, 'You do not realize now what I*

*am doing, but later you will understand.’ ‘No,’ said Peter, ‘You shall never wash my feet.’ Jesus answered, ‘Unless I wash you, you have no part with me.’*

*‘Then, Lord,’ Simon Peter replied, ‘not just my feet but my hands and my head as well!’ Jesus answered, ‘Those who had had a bath need only to wash their feet; their whole body is clean. And you are clean, though not every one of you.’ For he knew who was going to betray him, and that was why he said not every one was clean. When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. ‘Do you understand what I have done for you?’ he asked them. ‘You call me ‘Teacher’ and ‘Lord,’ and rightly so, for that is what I am. Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another’s feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. No that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them.’”*

Homily — “Remember Me” Pastor Ben Murray

Foot Washing

(As people finish the foot washing they will remove one piece from that altar)

Hymns sung during foot washing:

Hymn 1: ***How Great Thou Art***

O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder  
Consider all the worlds thy hand hath made  
I see the stars, I hear the rolling thunder  
Thy pow’r throughout the universe displayed

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee  
How great thou art  
How great thou art  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee  
How great thou art  
How great thou art

When through the woods and forest glades I wander  
I hear the birds sing sweetly in the trees  
When I look down from lofty mountain grandeur  
And hear the brook and feel the gentle breeze

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee  
How great thou art  
How great thou art  
Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee  
How great thou art  
How great thou art

But when I think that God, his Son not sparing  
Sent him to die, I scarce can take it in

That on the cross my burden gladly bearing  
He bled and died to take away my sin

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee  
How great thou art  
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Hymn 2: **How Firm A Foundation**

How firm a foundation  
O saints of the Lord  
Is laid for your faith  
In his excellent Word  
What more can he say  
Than to you he has said  
Who unto the Savior  
For refuge have fled

Fear not, I am with you  
Oh, be not dismayed  
For I am your God  
And will still give you aid  
I'll strengthen you, help you  
And cause you to stand  
Upheld by my righteous  
Omnipotent hand

When through fiery trials  
Your pathway shall lie  
My grace, all sufficient  
Shall be your supply  
The flames shall not hurt you  
I only design  
Your dross to consume  
And your gold to refine

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Hymn 3: **Blest Be The Tie That Binds**

Blest be the tie that binds  
Our hearts in Christian love  
The unity of heart and mind  
Is like to that above

Before our Father's throne

We pour our ardent prayers  
Our fears, our hopes, our aims are one  
Our comforts and our cares

We share our mutual woes  
Our mutual burdens bear  
And often for each other flows  
The sympathizing tear

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