

Maundy Thursday

Trinity Lutheran Church
Noon & 7pm

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION

ELW 94

Hymn: "Love Consecrates the Humblest Act"

ELW 360

P: The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

C: And also with you.

Prayer of the Day: Holy God, source of all love, on the night of his betrayal, Jesus gave us a new commandment, to love one another as he loves us. Write this commandment in our hearts and give us the will to serve others as he was the servant of all, in your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever. Amen

First Lesson: Exodus 12:1-4, (5-10), 11-14

1 The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: 2 This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. 3 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. 4 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.

[5 Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. 6 You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. 7 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. 8 They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. 9 Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. 10 You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn.] 11 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 and inner organs. Passover of the Lord. 12 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 and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgements: I am the LORD. ¹³The 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.14 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.

Psalm: 116:1-2, 12-19

- 1 I love the Lord, because he has heard my voice and my supplications.
- 2 Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.
- 3 What shall I return to the Lord for all his bounty to me?
- 13 I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord,

14 I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people.

- 15 Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his faithful ones.
- 16 O Lord, I am your servant; I am your servant, the child of your serving girl. You have loosed my bonds.
- 17 I will offer to you a thanksgiving sacrifice and call on the name of the Lord.
- 18 I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people,
- 19 in the courts of the house of the Lord, in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord!

P: The Word of the Lord C: Thanks be to God

Gospel Lesson: John 13:1-17, 31b-35

1 Now 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. 2 The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper 3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, 4 got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. 5 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. 6 He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" 7 Jesus answered, "You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand." 8 Peter said to him, "You will never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no share with me." 9 Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!" 10 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." 11 For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, "Not all of you are clean." 12 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? 13 You call me Teacher and Lord—and you are right, for that is what I am. 14 So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. 15 For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. 16 Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. 17 If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.

31 When he had gone out, Jesus said, "Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. 32 If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. 33 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.' 34 I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. 35 By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

SERMON Pastor Jody Becker

HYMN "What Wonderous Love Is This"

ELW 666

PRAYERS

OFFERING		
OFFERTORY PRAYER		
Let us pray:		
P: Blessed are you,		
With them we offer ourselves to yo	ngs. Through your goodness you have blessed our service and dedicate our lives to the care of him, who gave himself for us, Jesus Christ o	and redemption of all
THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION		
P: With this bread and cup, we remomystery of faith	ember our Lord's Passover from death to life a	as we proclaim the
C: Christ has died, Christ has risen,	Christ will come again.	
LORD'S PRAYER		
COMMUNION HYMN 462	"Now We Join in Celebration"	ELW
POST COMMUNION PRAYER		
us one with all your people. Now se	ad of life and cup of salvation you have united end us forth in the power of your Spirit that wo ontinue forever in the risen life of Jesus Christ,	e may proclaim your
C: Amen.		
CLOSING HYMN "Go to Dark Gethse	emane"	ELW

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During the hymn, the alter will be stripped.

POSTLUDE

Our Worship continues on Good Friday

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