



First Presbyterian Church
Service for Maundy Thursday

March 28, 2024

7:30 p.m.

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Prelude "Ah, Holy Jesus"
Concerns of the Church

arr. John Carter

Call to Worship

This is a night of remembrance for us.

We lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord. Through the generations we have received and handed on what the Lord has given to us:

the bread of his body, the cup of the new covenant.

* Hymn 205 "Live in Charity"

* Call to Confession

* Prayer of Confession

***Eternal God, whose covenant with us is never broken,
we confess that we fail to fulfill your will.***

***Though you have bound yourself to us,
we will not bind ourselves to you.***

***In Jesus Christ you serve us freely,
but we refuse your love***

and withhold ourselves from others.

We do not love you fully

or love one another as you command.

In your mercy, forgive and cleanse us.

Lead us once again to your table

***and unite us to Christ, who is the bread of life
and the vine from which we grow in grace.***

* Silent Confession

* Kyrie 575 ***Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.***

* Assurance of Pardon

* Passing of the Peace

During the season of Lent, we will refrain from singing alleluias.

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

First Lesson: Mark 14:17-25 (NT, p. 51) *followed by silent reflection*

Second Lesson: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 (NT, p. 173)

Sermon: "What We Received"

Rev. Carter

RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

Hymn 544

"Bless the Lord"

Offering

Offertory "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded"

arr. Michael Burkhardt

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