



## **Maundy Thursday March 28, 2024 6:30PM**

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### ***Welcome to The Service of the Upper Room***

*This service is a way of celebrating the Last Supper in a more intimate setting, reminiscent of the Upper Room where Jesus and his disciples ate and drank.*

*You will be ushered out in groups of twelve. As you enter the room, you will be offered red wine or white grape juice from a communion tray. Please do not drink until you are instructed to do so. The pastor will join you and briefly share the story of The Upper Room. You will commune with one another and be ushered back to your seats. While others are communing, you are encouraged to sing the selected hymns and meditate on the appointed texts.*

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH  
KIM KYLLO AND ERIC LESHER, PASTORS  
THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 6:30PM**

\* **Please stand where indicated**

**PRELUDE:** *"Go to Dark Gethsemane"*..... Rebecca K. Kramer

**WELCOME**

**OFFERING:** *"Great God, Your Love Has Called Us"* .....Michael D. Costello

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\* **OPENING HYMN:** *"Great God, Your Love Has Called Us"* vv. 1,2,3,5 ..... ELW 358

\* **CORPORATE CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS** ..... ELW p. 258

\* **GOSPEL READING:**..... Luke 22:1-13

**VOCAL SOLO** *"Do This In Remembrance of Me"* ..... Cheri Keaggy  
Roxanne Litchfield

Text:

This is my body given for you.  
This is the cup that hold the wine of a new  
Covenant,  
This is forgiveness, simple and true.  
This is the Way that I have made for you.  
Before you eat, before you drink, take a long look  
inside,  
And tell me what you see.  
He said "Do this in remembrance of Me,  
do this in remembrance of Me"  
This is the bread of life broken for you.  
This is the cup that holds the wine of a new  
covenant.

This is the love of Christ poured out anew.  
This is the Son of God who died for you.

Before you eat, before you drink, take a long look  
inside,  
And tell me what you see.  
He said "Do this in remembrance of Me,  
do this in remembrance of Me"  
I will remember the cross that You bore for me,  
I will remember the crown that You wore for me,  
I will remember the reason You suffered and died.  
This is my body given for you.  
This is the cup that hold the wine of a new  
covenant,

This is forgiveness, simple and true.  
This is the Way that I have made for you.  
I am the Way. This is the Way that I have made for  
you.

**MEDITATION** *"Love One Another"* .....Pastor Kim Kylo

## THE SERVICE OF THE UPPER ROOM

**HYMN:** *"Here is Bread"* ..... ELW 483

**READING** ..... Exodus 12:1-13

**HYMN:** *"You Satisfy the Hungry Heart"* ..... ELW 484

### **NARRATIVE: Tonight We Remember**

L: for tonight we remember the story of Passover

**C: where home was not a place of safety**

L: where the people lived in fear and were not free

**C: for tonight we remember the story of Passover**

L: where home was not a place of safety

**C: where at any moment you might have to up and flee**

L: for tonight we remember the story of Passover

**C: where home was not a place of safety**

L: quick, grab what you can carry and go

**C: and as we remember we pray for those today**

L: who have to grab what they can and go

**C: for those fleeing war and violence only to arrive at closed borders**

L: and as we remember we pray for those today

**C: who have to grab what they can and go**

L: for those making treacherous journeys carrying children and plastic bags

**C: and as we remember we pray for those today**

L: who have to grab what they can and go

**C: for those who are out in the cold making their home in a city of tents**

**HYMN:** *"Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service"* ..... ELW 712

**READING** ..... Exodus 24:1-8

**ANTHEM** *"What Does the Lord Require"* ..... arr. Jim Strathdee  
Chancel Choir

Text:     What does the Lord require of you?  
           To seek justice and love kindness  
           and walk humbly with your God.

### **NARRATIVE**

**HYMN:** *"Ubi Caritas et amor"* (repeat 3 times) ..... ELW 642

**READING** .....John 13:1-17, 31b-35

**HYMN:** “Jesus is a Rock in a Weary Land” ..... ELW 333  
Choir Leader, Refrain-All

**NARRATIVE**

**HYMN:** “As the Grains of Wheat” ..... ELW 465

**READING** ..... Luke 22:39-46

**HYMN:** “Go to Dark Gethsemane” ..... ELW 347

**NARRATIVE AND READING** ..... 1 Corinthians 10:16-17

**HYMN:** “One Bread, One Body” ..... ELW 496

**CLOSING PRAYER**

**CLOSING HYMN:** “Stay With Me” (repeat 3 times) ..... ELW 348

**THE STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR**

**READING** ..... Psalm 22

*This psalm is read while the altar is stripped of its contents tonight because Jesus had been betrayed into the hands of his captors following the last supper with his disciples. Psalm 22 recalls Jesus' agony both in the Garden of Gethsemane this night and from the cross the following day. On this night, Jesus, beaten and bruised, is taken away to be prepared for his crucifixion.*

**DISMISSAL** .....Tonight we leave in silence

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**Those serving today:**

Organist ..... Karen Olson  
Reader ..... Dave Coldren  
Usher Team Leader ..... Perry Fuerniss  
Sound Tech ..... Ryan Wright  
Livestream Team ..... Francine Capasso  
Communion Set Up and Assistance ..... Laurie Barth, Jeanne Hartwig, Lynn Coldren  
Worship Coordinator ..... Amanda Boe