Emmanuel Church, United Methodist Church & Christ Episcopal Church

Disciples Making Disciples for Jesus Christ. By Encountering God, Equipping God's People, and Extending God's Kingdom

MAUNDY THURSDAY

MARCH 24, 2016

Celebration of The Holy Eucharist 7:30 p.m.





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THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Almighty Father, whose dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it thankfully in remembrance of Jesus Christ our Lord, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life; and who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen**.

THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

(Please be seated.)

A READING FROM THE BOOK OF EXODUS please see insert

Exodus 12:1-4, 11-14

Lector The Word of the Lord. People Thanks be to God.

A READING FROM PAUL'S FIRST LETTER TO THE CORINTHIANS insert 1 Corinthians 11:23-26

Lector The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM 116:1, 10-17 please see insert Said by all in unison



Words: Sts. 1-3, Philip Doddridge (1702-1751), alt.; st. 4, Isaac Watts (1674-1748), alt. Music: Rockingham, melody from Second Supplement to Psalmody in Miniature, ca. 1780; adapt. Edward Miller (1731-1807); harm. Samuel Webbe (1740-1816)

THE GOSPEL please see insert John 13:1-17, 31b-35

before the Gospel

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

after the Gospel

Gospeller The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

THE MEDITATION

THE FOOTWASHING

Celebrant The Lord Jesus, after he had supped with his disciples and had washed their feet, said to them, "Do you know that I, your Lord and Master, have done to you? I have given you an example that you should do as I have done."

Peace is my last gift to you, my own peace I now leave with you; peace which the world cannot give, I give to you.

I give you a new commandment: Love one another as I have loved you.

Peace is my last gift to you, my own peace I now leave with you; peace which the world cannot give, I give to you.

By this shall the world know that you are my disciples: That you have love for one another.



Translation: Where true charity and love abide, God is there.



THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

The Leader and People pray responsively.

Leader In the power of the Spirit let us pray to the Father through Christ the savior of the world.

Leader 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

People and humble us.

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

People and unite us.

Leader On this night, he prayed for those who were to believe through his disciples' message. We pray for the mission of your Church. Lord, hear us

People and renew our zeal.

Leader On this night, he commanded his disciples to love, but suffered rejection himself. We pray for the rejected and unloved. Lord, hear us

People and fill us with your love.

Leader On this night, he reminded his disciples that if the world hated them it hated him first. We pray for those who are persecuted for their faith. Lord, hear us

People and give us your peace.

Leader On this night, he accepted the cup of death and looked forward to the new wine of the

kingdom. We remember those who have died in the peace of Christ. Lord, hear us

People and welcome all your children into paradise.

CONFESSION

PEOPLE Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

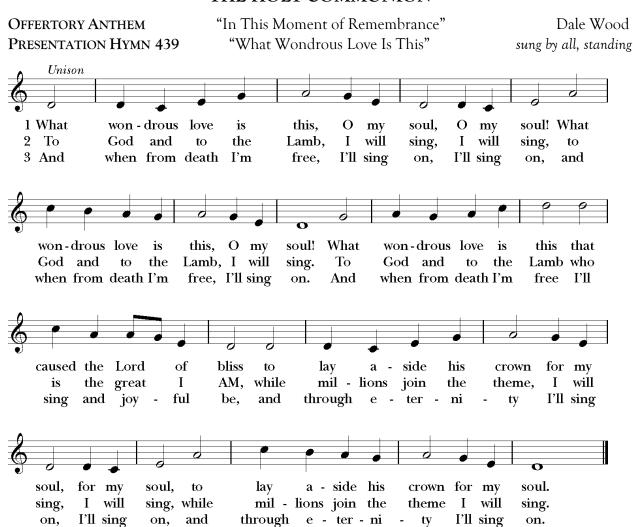
ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

THE PEACE, WELCOME, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE HOLY COMMUNION



Words: American folk hymn, ca. 1835 Music: Wondrous Love, from The Southern Harmony, 1835

Eucharistic Prayer B, BCP p. 367

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give him thanks and praise.

Celebrant It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. Through Jesus Christ our Lord; who was tempted in every way as we are, yet did not sin. By his grace we are able to triumph over evil, and to live no longer for ourselves alone, but for him who died for us and rose again. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:

Celebrant and People

Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant We give thanks to you, O God, for the goodness and love which you have made known to us in creation; in the calling of Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus, your Son. For in these last days you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Savior and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night before he died for us, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me." Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

Celebrant and people We remember his death, We proclaim his resurrection, We await his coming in glory;

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and wine. We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable though him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with (_____and) all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. **AMEN.**

Celebrant As our Savior Christ has taught us, we now pray,

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

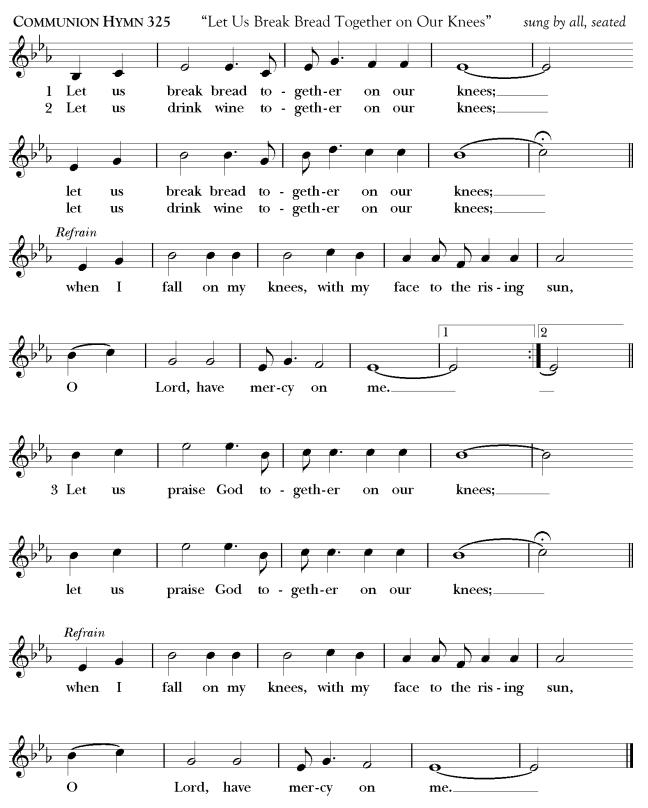
THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

People Therefore let us keep the feast.

Celebrant The Gifts of God for the People of God.

COMMUNION



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THE POST COMMUNION PRAYER

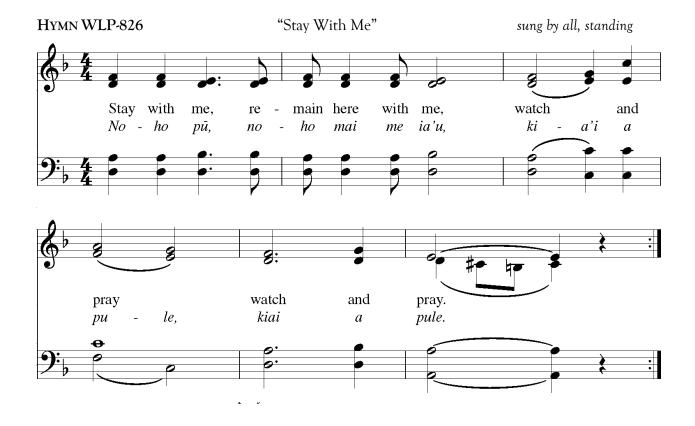
Celebrant Let us pray.

Celebrant and People

Eternal God, heavenly Father, you have graciously accepted us as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ, and you have fed us with spiritual food in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood. Send us now into the world in peace, and grant us strength and courage to love and serve you with gladness and singleness of heart; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE STRIPPING OF THE SANCTUARY

The altar party and Altar Guild strip the Sanctuary and chancel, as the people chant the words below.



VIGIL

An all-night vigil will be kept, concluding with Morning Prayer at 7:00 a.m. If you cannot return to church for the vigil, consider taking some time tonight or in the early morning to keep watch with Jesus, sharing in the vigil from home.

Please leave in silence or remain in prayer.

The people may depart in silence.

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