# Easter at EP

Join our community for a week of worship, reflection, community, and celebration.

## Passion Week Services and Community

* April 13 – Maundy Thursday – 7:30 p.m.
* April 14 – Tenebrae – 8 p.m.
* April 15 – Eggstraordinaire – 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
* April 16 – Easter Sunday – 8, 9:15, and 11 a.m.

[Join Us]

## Maundy Thursday

**Thursday, April 13**

This service commemorates the night that Jesus celebrated the Last Supper with his disciples. “Maundy” is a word derived from the French word, mandé, derived from the Latin word, *mandatum*, meaning ‘command’.

That night Jesus said to his disciples, *Mandatum novum do vobis*—“A new commandment I give unto you” (John 13:34). This evening we remember Christ’s institution of Communion, his command to his disciples, “Love one another as I have loved you,” and his example of servanthood when he washed his disciples’ feet.

Sanctuary @ 7:30 p.m.

## Tenebrae

**Friday, April 14**

The Tenebrae service is the remembrance of Christ’s death on the cross. It is not a memorial service; rather, we remember the extent to which God went to love us, and we reflect with repentance upon the sin that require such an act.

Tenebrae literally means ‘darkness’. Candles are gradually diminished as Christ’s death becomes more and more imminent. We use 12 candles to symbolize the abandonment of Christ’s disciples. The service ends when, in darkness, we hear the *strepitus*, the sound of the closing of the tomb. After a moment of silence, the congregation exits in quiet darkness.

Sanctuary @ 8 p.m.

## Eggstraordinaire

**Saturday, April 15**

Join us for a day of *free* family fun. Food, carnival rides, games, prizes, giveaways—and, of course, egg hunts!

### Easter Egg Hunt Schedule

* 10:30 2YRS & UNDER
* 11:00 4YRS & UNDER
* 11:30 1ST GRADE & UNDER
* 12:00 3RD GRADE & UNDER
* 12:30 5TH GRADE & UNDER

EP Campus from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

## Easter Sunday

**Sunday, April 16**

The day we celebrate Christ’s resurrection, where we assemble to remember that the stone that sealed the tomb was broken and our Lord emerged triumphant over sin and death!

Services @ 8, 9:15, and 11 a.m.