

THE LUTHERAN CHURCH – MISSOURI SYNOD
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Maundy Thursday

March 29, 2018

VISITORS – WE WELCOME YOU to this house of prayer this evening. May you feel at home among friends as we worship together. We invite you to sign your name in the guest book in the back of the church and hope you will return again soon.

This evening we celebrate the Sacrament of the Altar, a feast of forgiveness in which we partake of the true body and blood of Christ along with the visible elements of bread and wine. The Bible gives specific instructions about the Lord's Supper. As it can be received to one's blessing or to one's harm (1 Corinthians 11:27-29), the Lord's Table must be approached with a sincere faith and a Biblical understanding. That's why all who are new to the Lutheran faith are instructed about this sacred meal before attending the Lord's Supper. Moreover, this Sacrament is also a testimony of our oneness in what we believe (1 Corinthians 10:17). Therefore, we welcome to the Holy Supper all members of Immanuel who have been confirmed and those confirmed members of sister congregations with whom we are in fellowship through unity in teaching (LCMS and TAALC). All guests who wish to receive the Sacrament are asked to speak with Pastor Sorenson before the service. The faith that we believe and confess is a beautiful gift of God. If you are new to Immanuel, we warmly welcome and encourage you to learn about this faith.

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Prelude
Ringing of the Bell
Welcome

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Collect for Maundy Thursday, spoken by Pastor

Old Testament Reading: Exodus 12:1-14

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 10:14-22; 11:23-32

Holy Gospel: John 13:1-17, 34-35

The Nicene Creed back cover of the hymnal

Hymn of the Day: #641, "You Satisfy the Hungry Heart"

Sermon: "Enter Your Pulpit!"

Offering

Prayer of the Church

P: Let us pray to the Lord.

C: Lord, have mercy.

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The Lord's Prayer back cover of the hymnal

The Words of Institution

Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: Amen.

Distribution

#628, "Your Table I Approach"

#629, "What Is This Bread"

#637, "Draw Near and Take the Body of the Lord"

Post-Communion Prayer

Stripping of the Altar and Reading of Psalm 69

(We depart in silence out of respect for our Savior's humiliation)