

Christ Washing Peter's Feet - after Ford Madox Brown, Nena Bryans

# WHITE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

March 28, 2024

7:30 p.m.

Service for Maundy Thursday

#### WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

\* Please rise in body or spirit.

PRELUDE

Lacrymosa, from Requiem in c minor

Luigi Cherubini (1760-1842)

Sung in Latin; English translation:

Day of weeping, day of sorrow, day when they from dust shall rise to face their Judge eternal. Gentle Jesus, Holy One, grant unto them eternal peace and rest. Amen.

WELCOME

Chip Pope

CALL TO WORSHIP

All speak bold type.

Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us. Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us. Jesus, redeemer of the world, grant us peace.

Jesus said: I give you a new commandment, that you love one

another.

Just as Christ has loved us, let us love one another.

\*HYMN

209 – My Song is Love Unknown

LOVE UNKNOWN

\*Confession and Pardon

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 All singing: H.H. HOPSON



Lord, have mer - cy. Christ, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Maundy Thursday is the day when Christ, our Teacher and Lord, knelt down to wash the disciples' feet, showing us how to love and

serve one another.

LESSON John 13:1-17, pew Bible p. 101

Andrew Amodei

PRAYER

\*HYMN 202 – An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare

O WALY WALY

LESSON Exodus 12:1-14, pew Bible p. 56

LESSON John 13:21-20, pew Bible p.101

OFFERING What shall we offer for all God's goodness to us?

Lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the Lord.

OFFERTORY ANTHEM Wie der Hirsch from Psalm 42 Felix Mendelssohn (1809-47) Sung in German; English translation:

As the deer longs for living streams, so my soul cries out for you, O God.

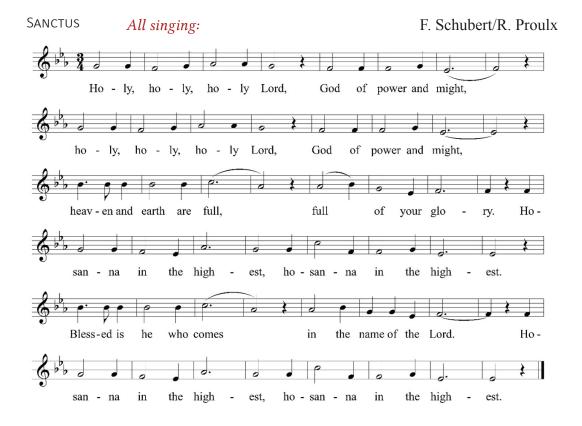
Maundy Thursday is the day when Christ, the bread of heaven, shared a holy meal with his followers, offering a feast of abundant life and grace for all.

LESSON 1 Corinthians 11:23-26, pew Bible p. 162 Christopher Edmonston

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S SUPPER GREAT THANKSGIVING The Lord be with you. And also with you.
Lift up your hearts. We lift them to the Lord our God.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is truly right and our greatest joy...

... Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with the celestial choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:



... Through Christ, all glory and honor are yours, almighty God, with the Holy Spirit in the holy church, now and forever.



COMMUNION

## Hymns during distribution:

518 - Your Only Son

523 -You Satisfy the Hungry Heart

LAMB OF GOD BICENTENNIAL

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION AND LORD'S PRAYER Judy Yates Siker Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,

thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Maundy Thursday is the day when Christ, our Savior, issued us a new commandment: to love one another as Christ has loved us.

Recessional Hymn

205 – *Live in Charity* 

UBI CARITAS (Taizé)

LESSON

John 13:31-35, pew Bible p. 101

STRIPPING OF THE SANCTUARY

ANTHEM

God So Loved the World

John Stainer (1840-1901)

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten son, that who so believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not his son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

(John 3:16, 17)

(John 3:16-17)

After the sanctuary has been stripped, a bell tolls 33 times, once for each year of Jesus' life.

Please depart in silence.

Holy Week continues with our Good Friday service tomorrow night at 7:30 p.m. in Main Hall.

### TODAY'S WORSHIP LEADERS

Andrew Amodei, Executive Director
Christopher Edmonston, Pastor
Kirsten Homdrom, Associate Director of Music
Chip Pope, Associate Pastor for Family Ministry
Judy Yates Siker, Parish Associate
WMPC Adult Choir
Karl Zinsmeister, Director of Music

#### **ORCHESTRA**

\* denotes WMPC member

Tasi Matthews, Meredith Cooper, Emi Mizobuchi, \*Luanne Roth, Angela Blackburn, Rosene Rohrer, Amanda LaBrecque, \*Philip Scott, Dietmar Szymanowski, Charlie Gragg, \*Bill Hayes

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# WELCOME TO WHITE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

We are glad you are worshiping with us. Visiting? Deacons can be found in the Narthex to offer a friendly greeting, answer questions and provide directions. New members are received after attending Believing & Belonging @WMPC Class. Visit whitememorial.org/join or contact Elizabeth Viohl at ext. 206 for details, class dates and registration.

#### THINGS TO KNOW:

- Restrooms are located on the hallway to Jane Bell Gathering Space on the Pulpit side and also on the first floor of the Luther Building.
- Childcare is available for children up to four years old.
- Sunday School is offered at 9:30 for all ages.
- Refreshments and coffee stations are located in The Connector and Main Hall
- Loop hearing aid system and an FM system available in the Sanctuary.
- Live-streamed services are at whitememorial.org.
- Bulletins left in the sanctuary following worship services are recycled as part of our care for God's creation.

Each Sunday we offer three opportunities for you to worship with us at White Memorial in the Sanctuary and OnPoint@1704 in the Main Hall. While you will notice differences in music, location, and worship leadership among our different services, what unites us in our worship is our scripture, liturgy, and sermon. All services use the same Call to Worship, Prayer of Confession, readings from Scripture, and Affirmation of Faith.

#### PASTORAL & PROGRAM STAFF:

CHRISTOPHER EDMONSTON, Pastor
ANDREW AMODEI, Executive Director
CYNTHIA BAGGETT, Director of Weekday School
GENEVIEVE BROOKS, Director of Youth Ministry
CATE CHURCH NORMAN, Associate Pastor
for Pastoral Care
BROCK DOWNWARD, Dir. of Music Emeritus

JENNIFER EASTMAN, Director of Young Children's Ministry

JIM FERRY, Parish Associate

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HEATHER GARRABRANT, Health Ministry
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> Worship Arts LINDA NUNNALLEE, Director of Community Engagement

CHIP POPE, Associate Pastor for Family Ministry
GRIER BOOKER RICHARDS, Associate Pastor for
Discipleship and Adult Faith Formation

ART ROSS, Pastor Emeritus
JUDY YATES SIKER, Parish Associate

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LYNN SPRINGFIELD, Director of Elementary Ministry COLISHA C. STANFORD, StepUp Director MARTHA STEVENSON, Educator Emerita



We are a Stephen Ministry congregation.

Find out what's happening around White Memorial during the week. Register for events. Request a prayer. All this can now be found in one location. Scan the QR code with your smartphone to learn more!



