



Maundy Thursday

April 2, 2015

Maundy Thursday – Order of Worship

Prelude

Invitation to the Lord's Table (John 6, 1 Peter 2)

Jesus said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty."

Let us come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight.

Jesus said, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live forever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh."

Like living stones, let us be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

We are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation.

We are God's own people, in order that we may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called us out of darkness into his marvelous light.

Hymn#258

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

Unison and Silent Prayers of Confession

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love. According to your great compassion, blot out my transgression. Wash away all my iniquity. Cleanse me from my sin. For I know my transgression and my sin are always before me. Against you and you alone have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight. You are proved right when you speak and justified when you judge. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and put a new and right spirit within me. Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and sustain in me a willing spirit.

Anthem

"In Remembrance of Me"

Sharing the Bread and Cup

Prayer of Thanksgiving and the Lord's Prayer

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.

Scripture Reading

John 13:31-38

Message/Meditation

"A New Command"

Scripture Reading

Matthew 26:36-46

Anthem

"Who Is that Man"

(Draping of the Cross during this Anthem as well)

Benediction

(Silent Departure – No spoken Benediction)