

Maundy Thursday Service Order of Worship
April 2nd, 2026

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude

***Call to Worship:** (Liturgist- Dottie Stoffer)

L: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

L: Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.

P: Christ has prepared a feast of love.

L: My sisters and brothers, Christ shows us his love by becoming a humble servant. Let us draw near to God and join together to confess our sin in the truth of God's Spirit.

P: Most merciful God, we your Church, confess that often our spirit has not been that of Christ. Where we have failed to love one another as he loves us, where we have pledged loyalty to him with our lips and then betrayed, deserted, or denied him, forgive us, we pray; and by your Spirit make us faithful in every time of trial; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

L: Let us all now, in the silence of our hearts, confess our sin to God. (*brief pause*)

L: Who is in a position to condemn? Only Christ. But Christ suffered and died for us, was raised from the dead and ascended on high for us, and continues to intercede for us. Believe the good news: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

P: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.

***Hymn:** UM Hymnal #365, *Grace Greater than Our Sin*
(all)

Unison Prayer of Illumination

O God, open our hearts and minds by the power of the Holy Spirit that as the Scriptures are read and Your word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what You say to us today. Amen.

Scripture: Exodus 12:1-13 - Gary Oswalt
1 Corinthians 11:23-26 - Tom Ringler

Meditation: “Jesus Has Set Us Free...But For What?”


***Hymn** UM Hymnal #616, *Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast* (v. 1,3,4)

Communion

Scripture: John 13:1-20, 34-35 - Becky Snyder

***Hymn** UM Hymnal #568, *Christ for the World We Sing* (all)

***Benediction & Postlude**



Maundy Thursday Service

Thursday, April 2nd @ 7 pm

Good Friday Service

Friday, April 3rd @ 6 pm at Lakefork Hope Church

2115 County Road 175, Jeromesville

Holy Week at Faith

Easter Sunday

7 am- Sunrise Service

(led by Summit youth)

7:45am- Breakfast

8:30 am- Traditional Service

11 am- Contemporary Service



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1 CORINTHIANS 11:23-26

JOHN 13:1-20, 34-35

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