ORDER OF WORSHIP Maundy Thursday

April 17, 2025

1:00 & 7:30 pm

I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. John 13:34

Welcome

Prelude	"Jesus, Priceless Treasure"	Bach
Choral Call to Worship (7:30)	"I Love You, Lord" Sanctuary Choir	Klein
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*Call to Worship

- Leader: Come to the upper room, where Christ shared his body and blood.
- People: Come to Gethsemane, where he prayed and was betrayed.
- Leader: Come to the courts of justice, where the Righteous One was found guilty.
- People: Come to the hill outside Jerusalem, where the innocent suffered and died.
- Leader: Come, let us bow down in awe.
- People: For what happened there was done for us.

*Hymn "Beneath the Cross of Jesus"	UMH #297
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Confession and Pardon

- Pastor: My sisters and brothers, Christ shows us his love by becoming a humble servant. Let us pray together:
- People: Loving Christ, on that night long ago, you knew that your hour had come. You knew full well what lay ahead of you. Your disciples loved you and followed you, but they had also failed you. We have also loved you and followed you. We have also failed you, and we cannot comprehend the love that you show us, the love that is our example, the love that tells us to do as you have done for us. May all see how we love each other, just as you have loved us. In your holy name we pray. Amen.
- Pastor: Now the Son of man, the one who loves us, is glorified. In him, God is also glorified. The one who loves us gives us a new commandment: to love one another!
- People: As the Lord has loved us, we are to love each other. Let all see this love among us, and glorify God. Let all see how we belong to Christ.

Time of Prayer

Anthem (7:30)	"Jesus, in Gethsemane" Sanctuary Choir; Deb Smith, horn	Nolan/Williams		
*Gospel Reading (Response: Thanks be to God) John 13:31b-35				
Message "	'The Parable of the Medicine Man'' Rev. Hannah Weisbrod			
Time of Forgiveness, Acceptance, and Joy				
Solo	"Your Love Remains" Carl Fernstrum	The Brilliance		
*Gospel Reading (Response: Thanks be to God)		Luke 22:14-23		
Sacrament of Holy Communion 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.				
*Hymn	"Go to Dark Gethsemane" (Verses 1-3)	UMH #290		
*Benediction				
Choral Benediction (7:30)	"Be Still, My Soul" Sanctuary Choir	Borthwick		
Postlude	"Gethsemane"	Townend		

*Please rise in spirit or body. Our different physical abilities mean we will assume different postures of worship.

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We invite you to other events this week:

April 18 – GOOD FRIDAY

- 1:00 pm Traditional Worship Service
- *7:30 pm Traditional Worship Service

April 19 – HOLY SATURDAY

10:00 am Presentation of the Tomb on Royalton Road through Easter morning.

April 20 – EASTER SUNDAY

- 6:30 am Sunrise Service led by youth
- 8:15 am Traditional Worship Service
- *9:25 am Traditional Worship Service
- *11:05 am Contemporary Worship Service

*Livestreamed service



