Welcome to Glory Lutheran Church



Maundy Thursday

April 6, 2023

Reaching Up... Reaching Out... Reaching In...

WELCOME!





Music: NEW COMMANDMENT, anonymous

Confession & Forgiveness

All may make the sign of the cross, the sign that is marked at baptism, as the pastor begins.

P: Friends in Christ, in this Lenten season we have heard our Lord's call to struggle against sin, death, and the devil—all that keeps us from loving God and each other. This is the struggle to which we were called at baptism.

Within the community of the church, God never wearies of forgiving sin and giving the peace of reconciliation. On this night let us confess our sin against God and our neighbor, and enter the celebration of the great Three Days reconciled with God and with one another.

Silence is kept for reflection.

P: Most merciful God,

C: we confess that we are captive to sin and cannot free ourselves.

We have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ, have mercy on us.

Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we may delight in your will and walk in your ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

P: God, who is rich in mercy, loved us even when we were dead in sin, and made us alive together with Christ. By grace you have been saved. In the name of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. Almighty God strengthen you with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in your hearts through faith.

C: Amen.

People may come forward and kneel (or stand) for the absolution with laying on of hands.

The pastor lays both hands on each person's head and says: In obedience to the command of our Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you all your sins.

The person may respond: Amen

After the absolution you may have water poured over your hands at the baptismal font, remembering how Jesus on this night washed the disciples' feet, before returning to your seat.

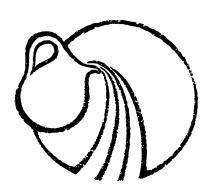
Greeting and Prayer of the Day

Eternal God, in the sharing of a meal your Son established a new covenant for all people, and in the washing of feet he showed us the dignity of service. Grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit these signs of our life in faith may speak again to our hearts, feed our spirits, and refresh our bodies, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Sharing of the Peace

Please take time to say "Peace be with you" as directed.



First Lesson:

Exodus 12:1-14

L: The Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19

L: I love the Lord, because he has heard my voice and my supplications.

C: Because he inclined his ear to me, therefore I will call on him as long as I live.

L: What shall I return to the Lord for all his bounty to me?

C: I will lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

L: I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people.

C: Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his faithful ones.

L: O Lord, I am your servant; I am your servant, the child of your serving girl. You have loosed my bonds.

C: I will offer to you a thanksgiving sacrifice and call on the name of the Lord.

L: I will pay my vows to the Lord in the presence of all his people.

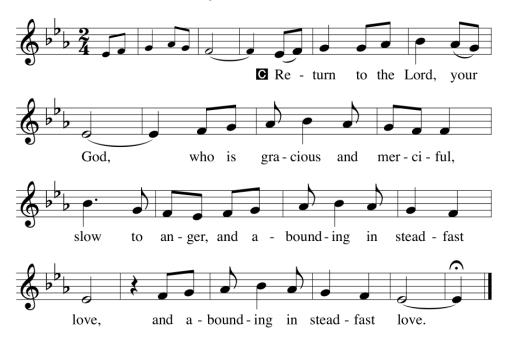
C: In the courts of the house of the Lord, in your midst, O Jerusalem. Praise the Lord!

Second Lesson:

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

L: The Word of the Lord. C: Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation



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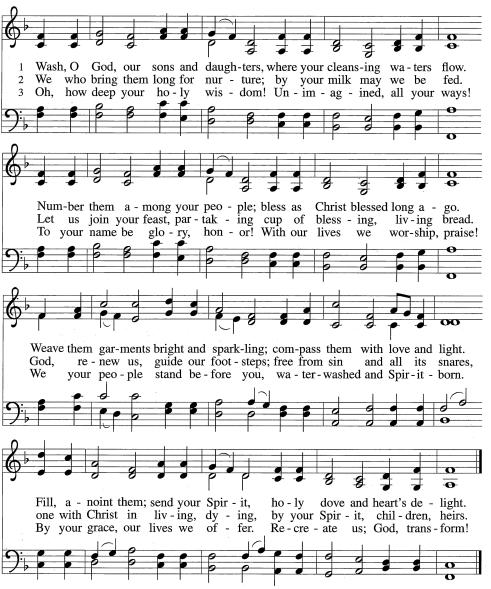
Gospel Lesson: John 13:1-17, 31b-35

C: Glory to you, O Lord. P: The Gospel of the Lord. C: Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON



Hymn of the Day - Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters



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Prayers Prayer Response:

P: Merciful God, C: receive our prayer.

Offering

As you leave, you may place your offering onto the plate located at the back of the church or use the online options available on our website.

Offertory Prayer

God of good gifts, receive these and all our offerings as we present them in faithful service for the sake of your gospel. Prepare our hearts to receive you in this meal as you pour out your very presence through Christ Jesus, the wellspring of eternal life. **Amen.**

Great Thanksgiving

P: The Lord be with you. C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts. C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give him thanks and praise.

P: It is indeed right...

...we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

C: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Hosanna in the highest.

Words of Institution

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 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 and ever. Amen

Holy Communion

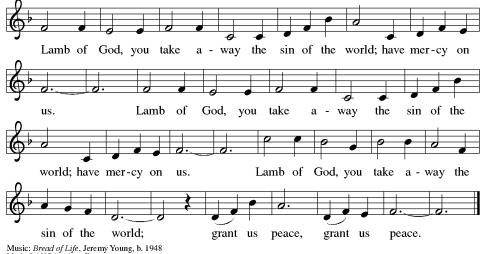
Christ invites us all and wants you to be included.

Please come forward and stand in groups/tables of 12 at the bottom step to the altar. Remain there until all in your group have communed and a blessing has been spoken by the pastor.



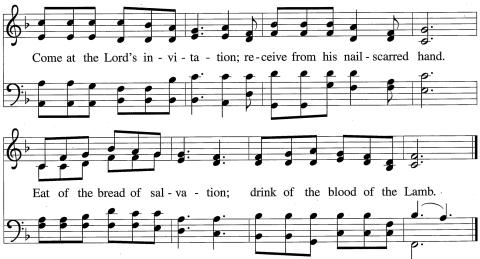
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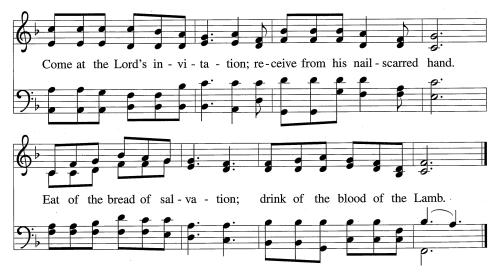


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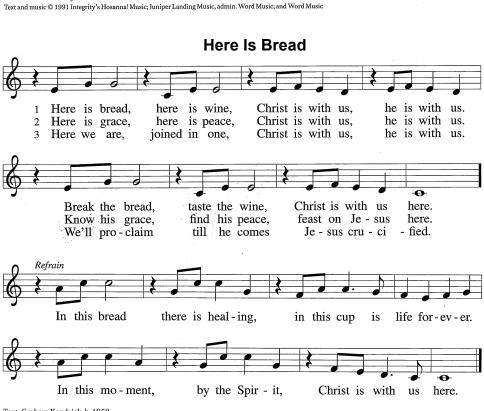


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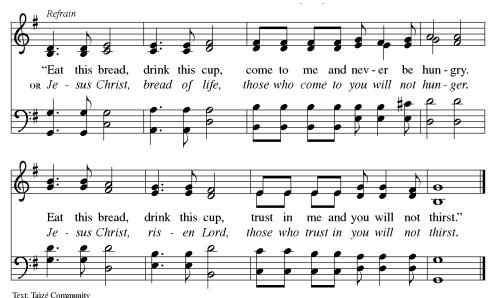


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Eat This Bread



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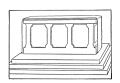
Post-Communion Prayer

Lord Jesus, in a wonderful sacrament you strengthen us with the saving power of your suffering, death, and resurrection.

May this sacrament of your body and blood so work in us that the fruits of your redemption will show forth in the way we live, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

Amen.

Stripping of the Altar Psalm 88



Thank You

to those who made contributions to this bulletin and to members who assisted in today's service.

Worship Planners, Altar Guild, Musicians, AV Techs, Greeters,

Ushers: **Greg Jeffrey** Readers: Joan Jeffrey

Church Lock-Up: Lynnette Woodrow

Good Friday Service Tomorrow April 7 @ 10:30am featuring Lenten Cantata - the Weeping Tree

Youth Easter Vigil April 8 @ 6:30-8:30pm @ Glory Lutheran Church - Outdoors



Easter Breakfast - April 9 @ 9:00am

If you would like to contribute to this meal by providing a dozen Resurrection buns (recipe provided if you would like it) or your favourite muffins, please sign up on the list in the Narthex. Thank you.

> **Easter Sunday Service** April 9 @ 10:30am

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