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Holy Thursday



I give you a new commandment: love one another as I loved you

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Gathering Music

*Reflections on "Wondrous Love"
arr. Fred Binckes*

Preparations for the Passover
Mark 14:12-16

Call to Worship

Leader: On that fateful Passover Eve, Jesus gathered his disciples for a final meal together.

People: We have come this evening to commemorate that Last Supper.

Leader: We have also come to search our souls and to experience the common ground of humanity.

People: In our reenactment of that unforgettable night, we are reminded that the cost of discipleship can be high.

Prayer

Hymn (see insert)—Calvary



Jesus Serves the Disciples
John 13:3-17
Moment of Silence

A Friend Betrays a Friend
Mark 14:18-20



Prayer of Confession

Most merciful God, we 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.

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!*

Thanks be to God, in Jesus Christ we are forgiven.



A New Commandment
John 13:34-35, 15:12-17

My Savior Jesus by Patrick Liebergen

The Word Interpreted

House of Cards

A New Covenant
Mark 14:22-25

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Hymn (see insert) —Let Us Be Bread



Let us be bread, blessed by the Lord, broken and shared, life for the world. Let us be wine, love freely poured. Let us be one in the Lord.

To The Garden
Mark 14:26-50

Hymn #220 (verses 1-3) — Go to Dark Gethsemane

Charge
Please leave in silence



Opening Prayer

Holy God, source of all love, on the night
of his betrayal
Jesus gave his disciples a new
commandment,
To love one another as he loved them.
Write this commandment in our hearts;
give us the will to serve others as he was
the servant of all,
Who gave his life and died for us, yet is
alive and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.
Amen.

Prayer after Communion

God of grace, your Son Jesus Christ left
us this holy meal of bread and wine
In which we share his body and blood.
May we who have celebrated this sign of
his great love
Show in our lives the fruits of his
redemption;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
Who lives and reigns with you and the
Holy Spirit,
One God, now and forever. Amen

Charge

Go in peace.
As Christ loved you, love one another.

Hymn Calvary

Refrain: Calvary, Calvary
Calvary, Calvary
Calvary, Calvary,
Surely He died on Calvary.

1. Every time I think about Jesus (3X)
Surely He died on Calvary.
2. Don't you hear the hammer ringing? (3X)
Surely He died on Calvary.
3. Don't you hear Him calling his Father? (3X)
Surely He died on Calvary.
4. Don't you hear Him say, "It is finished"? (3X)
Surely He died on Calvary.

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Hymn #220 (Verses 1-3) Go to Dark Gethsemane

Go to dark Gethsemane, all who feel the
temper's power; your Redeemer's conflict see;
watch with him one bitter hour; turn not from his
griefs away; learn from Jesus Christ to pray.

Follow to the judgment hall; view the Lord of
life arraigned; O the wormwood and the gall!
O the pangs his soul sustained! Shun not suffering,
shame, or loss; learn from him to bear the cross.

Calvary's mournful mountain climb; there, adoring
at his feet, mark that miracle of time,
God's own sacrifice complete; "It is finished!"
hear him cry; learn from Jesus Christ to die.