MAUNDY THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 2022 HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER

SERVING TODAY PASTOR: the Reverend James Mericle ACOLYTE: Lindsay Miranda GUEST MUSICIAN: Renee Gehlbach LECTOR: Norm Rumph

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS OF SIN (P: PASTOR C: CONGREGATION)

P: Friends in Christ, in this Lenten Season we have heard our Lord's call in the Wilderness 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 in Baptism. Within the community of the church, God never wearies of forgiving sin, being present or 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 each other.

(silence is kept for reflection and self-examination)

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 love 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 us with power through the Holy Spirit, that Christ may live in our hearts through faith. **C: Amen**

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COMMUNION

WORDS OF INSTITUTION (*P: Pastor* C: Congregation)

P: Blessed are You, Lord of heaven and earth. In mercy for our fallen world, you gave your only Son, that all those who believe in him shall not perish, but have eternal life. We give thanks to you for the salvation you have prepared for us through Jesus Christ. Send now your Holy Spirit into our hearts once again, that we may receive our Lord with a living faith as He comes to us in his holy supper.

C: Amen. Come Lord Jesus.

P: In the night in which he was betrayed our Lord Jesus took bread, and gave thanks; broke it, and gave it to his disciples saying, "Take and Eat; this is my body, given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." Again after supper, he took the cup, gave thanks, and gave it for all to drink, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood, shed for you and for all people for the forgiveness of sin. Do this for the remembrance of me."

THE LORD'S PRAYER

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

COMMUNION DISTRIBUTION HYMN	Lamb of God	ELW 336
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COMMUNION BLESSING

FINAL BLESSING

STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR

All depart in silence.

The service continues with the Good Friday Service tomorrow night at 7:00 pm. Remember to bring a flower from your garden to put on our Easter Cross on Easter Sunday.

2021-2022 St. Mark's Altar Guild:

Lynn Yann, Tracy Nishizu, Annette Williams, Janna Barnhart, Lee Uhl Kim Winn, Betty Castaneda, Lori Ueda, Teri Van Riper, Barbara Clark, Jane Martin, Mary Rosentreter, Barbara Mautino Marian Locke, Anna Guerriero, Sharon Bradford, Gwen Andrizzi. pg. 12