

A Service for Holy Thursday
First United Methodist Church

March 28, 2024

7:00pm

GATHERING

PRELUDE

“Lamb of God”

by Twila Paris
Tom Ajack, guitar

GREETING

OPENING PRAYER

PREPARING OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP

“Go to Dark Gethsemane”

Red book 290, verse 1

THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST

The Humility of Love

John 13:1-17 (NRSV)

HYMN

“Go to Dark Gethsemane”

Red book 290, verse 2

THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST

The Mandatum Novum

John 13:31b-35 (NRSV)

HYMN

“What Feast of Love”

Green book 3170

CALL TO RECONCILIATION

PRAYER OF FORGIVENESS

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

MUSICAL RESPONSE

“O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”

Passion Chorale
Tom Ajack, guitar

REFLECTION

“Love”

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION AND ANOINTING

THE LORD’S PRAYER

MUSICAL REPOSE

“Behold The Lamb”

John A. Behnke
Chancel Choir

HYMN

“Lamb of God”

Black book 2113

Stripping of the Altar

BENEDICTION

Please stay seated for a time of reflection.

POSTLUDE

"In the Cross of Christ I Glory "

by Wilbur Held
John Sheaffer, organ

Following the postlude, please depart in silence.

Worship Leaders:
Pastors Susan Bresser and Amy Celikay

Anointing:
Pastors John Farmer, Betty Mulloy and Jacob Werkheiser
Bishop Bruce Ough

FUMC Chancel Choir,
under the direction of Greg Carpenter

Please join us for these worship services:

March 29, Good Friday, 12 Noon
March 31, Easter Sunday, 9:30 am

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*"There is nothing more truly artistic than to love people."
— Vincent van Gogh*