



Threshold by Rev. T. Denise Anderson

**WORSHIP SERVICE AND COMMUNION
MAUNDY THURSDAY**

APRIL 14, 2022 7:00 PM

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prayer of the Day

Holy God, source of all love, on the night when Jesus washed his disciples' feet, he gave a new commandment, to love one another as he loved them. Write this commandment upon 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

Prelude Music

*Call To Worship

Leader: Why do we gather to worship on this night?

People: To remember the table, the basin, and the garden.

Leader: Why do we remember the table?

People: Here we taste God's love for us in broken pieces.

Leader: Why do we remember the basin?

People: Here we feel God's love for us, flowing out over our dust and shame.

Leader: Why do we remember the garden?

People: Here we awake to God's love for us, poured out in prayers.

Leader: Let us worship God.

*Hymn

An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare

No. 202



1 An up - per room did our Lord pre - pare for those he
2 A last - ing gift Je - sus gave his own: to share his
3 And af - ter sup - per he washed their feet, for ser - vice,
4 No end there is! We de - part in peace. He loves be -



loved un - til the end: and his dis - ci - ples still
bread, his lov - ing cup. What - ev - er bur - dens may
too, is sac - ra - ment. In Christ our joy shall be
yond our ut - ter - most: in ev - ery room in our



gath - er there to cel - e - brate their ris - en friend.
bow us down, he by his cross shall lift us up.
made com - plete: sent out to serve, as he was sent.
Fa - ther's house Christ will be there, as Lord and Host.

*Prayer of Confession

All: Eternal God, whose covenant with us is never broken, we confess that we fail to fulfill your will. Though you have bound yourself to us, we will not bind ourselves to you. In Jesus Christ you serve us freely, but we refuse your love and withhold ourselves from others. We do not love you fully or love one another as you command. In your mercy, forgive and cleanse us. Lead us once again to your table and unite us to Christ, who is the bread of life and the vine from which we grow in grace.

Silent Confession

*Kyrie

Lord Have Mercy Upon Us

Arr. Johnson



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Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading

John 13:1-35

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord;

People: thanks Be to God!

Homily

Full to the Brim: Taking Off Our Shoes Paul Lang

Anthem

*Given for You
Chancel Choir*

Martin/Nolan

*This is my body, my body broken.
Take and eat and remember.
I came to give that you might live.
My life is given for you.*

*This is my blood, my blood is shed for you.
Take the cup and remember.
I came to give that you might live.
My life is given for you.*

*Take, eat, this is my body.
Take, eat, this is my blood.
O come to the feast and remember.*

*My life is given for you.
This is my body, this is my blood.
Remember me.*

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

The Invitation

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

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

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: It is truly right and our greatest joy to give you thanks and praise...Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with the celestial choirs and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of your name:

People:
Hymn

Sanctus

Paul H. Lang & John Holter

Chords: C, Am, G, C, Am, Em

Lyrics: Ho - ly, Ho - ly Ho - ly, Lord God of Pow'r and

Chords: G, C, G, F, C

Lyrics: might. Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry Ho -

Chords: Dm, G, C

Lyrics: san nah in the High - est! Bles sed is he who

Chords: F, G, C, Dm, G, C

Lyrics: comes in the name of the Lord Ho - san nah in the High - est!

Leader: You are holy, O God of majesty, and blessed is Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord... Accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving as a living and holy offering of ourselves, that our lives may proclaim the One crucified and risen; According to his commandment:

People:.



Leader: Gracious God, pour out your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these your gifts of bread and wine, that the bread we break and the cup we bless may be the communion of the body and blood of Christ... Through Christ, all glory and honor are yours, almighty Father, with the Holy Spirit in the holy church, now and forever.

People: Amen.

The Words of Institution

The Distribution of the Elements

Prayer of Sealing

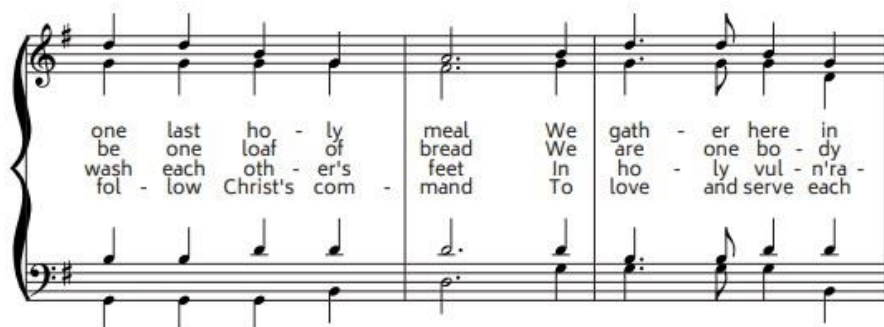
God of grace, your Son Jesus Christ left us this holy meal of bread and wine in which we share his body and blood. May we who have celebrated this sign of his great love show in our lives the fruits of his redemption; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one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

***Hymn**

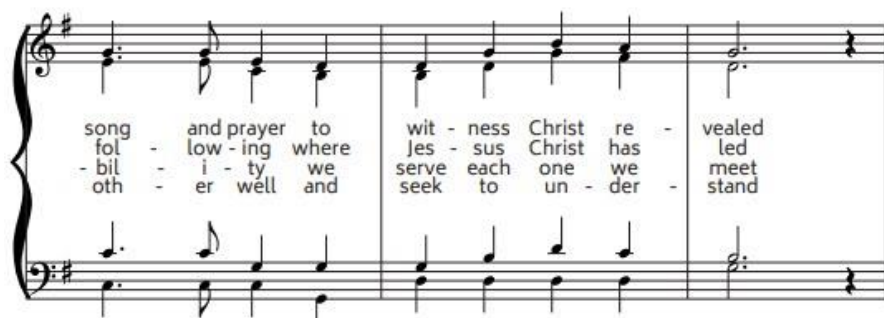
Take Your Shoes Off (vv. 1,2, & 4) Strickland/Stockton



As Christ in - vi - ted friends to share in
As grains of wheat are gath - ered in to
With ten - der hearts and ten - der hands we
To be the bo - dy Christ has called we



one be last one loaf - ly meal We gath - er here in
wash each oth - er's bread We are one bo - dy
fol - low Christ's com - feet mand In To love and serve each



song and prayer to wit - ness Christ re - vealed
- bil - low - ing where Jes - sus Christ has
oth - er well and seek to one un - der - led
meet stand

Take your shoes off, let me wash you You're on ho - ly

ground Take your walls down, let me love you

Christ is all a - round

Blessing & Charge

Leader: May the God of peace make you holy in every way and keep your whole being — spirit, soul, and body — free from every fault at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.

People: Amen.

Leader: Go in Peace to love and serve the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Postlude

Worship Service Participants

Ministers: Rev. Dr. Paul Lang

Director of Music: Ed Yasick

Choir: Chancel Choir