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# MAUNDY THURSDAY

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*Welcome to Grace Church! Please be sure to turn your cell phone off when you enter. Silence will aid an atmosphere of prayer.*

**Organ**—Récit de tierce en taille

Nicolas de Grigny (1672-1703)

## **Introit**

But as for us, it behooves us to glory in the cross of our Lord, Jesus Christ. In him is our salvation, our life, and resurrection. Through him we were saved and obtained our freedom. *Ps.* God be merciful to us and bless us: show us the light of his countenance and come to us. (*Galatians 6; Psalm 67*)

**Kyrie eleison, Gloria in excelsis**

Richard Wayne Dirksen (1921-2003)

(Service in E minor)

## **Collect**

*Celebrant* The Lord be with you.

*People* And also with you.

*Celebrant* Let us pray.

Almighty Father, whose dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it thankfully in remembrance of Jesus Christ our Lord, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life; and who now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

**First Reading**—Exodus 12: 1–14

The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbor in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a year-old male; you may take it from the sheep or from the goats. You shall keep it until the fourteenth day of this month; then the whole assembled congregation of Israel shall slaughter it at twilight. They shall take some of the blood and put it on the two doorposts and the lintel of the houses in which they eat it. They shall eat the lamb that same night; they shall eat it roasted over the fire with unleavened bread and bitter herbs. Do not eat any of it raw or boiled in

water, but roasted over the fire, with its head, legs, and inner organs. You shall let none of it remain until the morning; anything that remains until the morning you shall burn. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the LORD. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the LORD. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the LORD; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord.  
*People*      Thanks be to God.

**Gradual**—Psalm 116: 1, 10-17

Setting by Bruce Ford (b. 1947)

Refrain—*Cantor, then all repeat*



I will call up- on the Name of the Lord.

I love the LORD, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

*All repeat the Refrain.*

How shall I repay the LORD for all the good things he has done for me? I will lift up the cup of salvation and call upon the Name of the LORD. I will fulfill my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people.

*All repeat the Refrain.*

Precious in the sight of the LORD is the death of his servants. O LORD, I am your servant; I am your servant and the child of your handmaid; you have freed me from my bonds.

*All repeat the Refrain.*

I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving and call upon the Name of the LORD. I will fulfill my vows to the LORD in the presence of all his people, In the courts of the LORD'S house, in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.

*All repeat the Refrain.*

**Second Reading**—1 Corinthians 11: 23–26

For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, ‘This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.’ In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, ‘This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.’ For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord’s death until he comes.

*Reader*      The Word of the Lord.  
*People*      Thanks be to God.

*A brief period of silence is observed.*

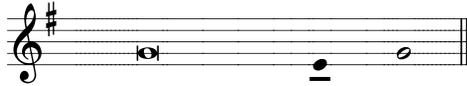
## Sequence Hymn 321

### Tract

Give judgment for me, O God, and defend my cause against an ungodly people; deliver me from the deceitful and the wicked. For you are the God of my strength; why have you put me from you? And why do I go so heavily while the enemy oppresses me? Send out your light and your truth that they may lead me, and bring me to your holy hill and to your dwelling; that I may go to the altar of God, to the God of my joy and gladness; and on the harp I will give thanks to you, O God, my God. (*Psalm 43*)

### Holy Gospel—John 13: 1–17, 31b–35

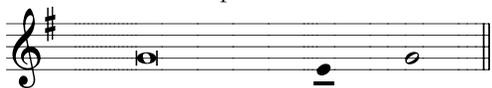
*Deacon* The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.



*People* Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, 'Lord, are you going to wash my feet?' Jesus answered, 'You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand.' Peter said to him, 'You will never wash my feet.' Jesus answered, 'Unless I wash you, you have no share with me.' Simon Peter said to him, 'Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!' Jesus said to him, 'One who has bathed does not need to wash, except for the feet, but is entirely clean. And you are clean, though not all of you.' For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, 'Not all of you are clean.' After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, 'Do you know what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord--and you are right, for that is what I am. So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.' Jesus said, 'Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going, you cannot come.' I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

*Deacon* The Gospel of the Lord.



*People* Praise to you, Lord Christ.

## Homily

The Rev'd Susan Norris

## Rite of Foot-washing

*The people remain seated for the Rite of Foot-washing. The Celebrant addresses the congregation about the significance of the rite. Then twelve persons who are to represent the congregation come forward, and the Celebrant washes their feet while the Choir sings the following anthem.*

## Anthem

James McGregor (b. 1930)

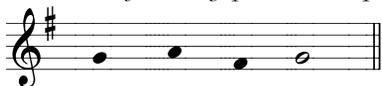
The Lord Jesus, after he had supped with his disciples and had washed their feet, said to them, 'Do you know what I your Lord and Master have done to you? I have given you an example, that you should do as I have done. Peace is my last gift to you; my own peace I now leave with you; peace which the world cannot give I give to you. I give you a new commandment: Love one another as I have loved you. By this shall the world know that you are my disciples: that you have love for one another.'

## Prayers of the People—Form I

With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying, "Lord, have mercy."

For the peace from above, for the loving kindness of God, and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord.

*Here and after every petition the people respond*



Lord, have mer- cy.

For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

For our Bishop, and for all the clergy and people, let us pray to the Lord.

For our President, for the leaders of the nations, and for all in authority, let us pray to the Lord.

For this city, for every city and community, and for those who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

For seasonable weather, and for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, let us pray to the Lord.

For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

For those who travel on land, on water, or in the air or through outer space, let us pray to the Lord.

For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, let us pray to the Lord.

For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, for prisoners and captives, and for all who remember and care for them, let us pray to the Lord.

For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection, and for all the departed, let us pray to the Lord.

For deliverance from all danger, violence, oppression, and degradation, let us pray to the Lord.

For the absolution and remission of our sins and offenses, let us pray to the Lord.

That we may end our lives in faith and hope, without suffering and without reproach, let us pray to the Lord.

Defend us, deliver us, and in thy compassion protect us, O Lord, by thy grace.

In the communion of the ever-blessed Virgin Mary and of all the saints, let us commend ourselves, and one another, and all our life, to Christ our God.



To you, O Lord our God.

*The Celebrant adds a concluding Collect.*

### **Confession of Sin**

*Celebrant* Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

*People* Most merciful God, we confess that 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. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.

*The Celebrant says*

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

### **The Peace**

*Celebrant* The peace of the Lord be always with you.

*People* And also with you.

# THE LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

## Antiphon

Ubi caritas et amor, Deus ibi est. Congregavit nos in unum Christi amor. Exsulemus, et in ipso jucundemur. Timeamus, et amemus Deum vivum. Et ex corde diligamus nos sincero.

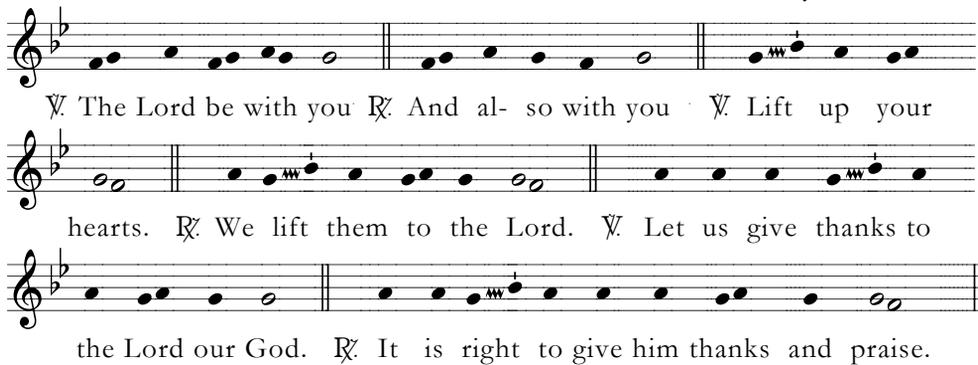
*Where charity and love are, God is there. Christ's love has gathered us into one. Let us rejoice and be pleased in Him. Let us fear, and let us love the living God. And may we love each other with a sincere heart.*

## Hymn 314

### Eucharistic Prayer A

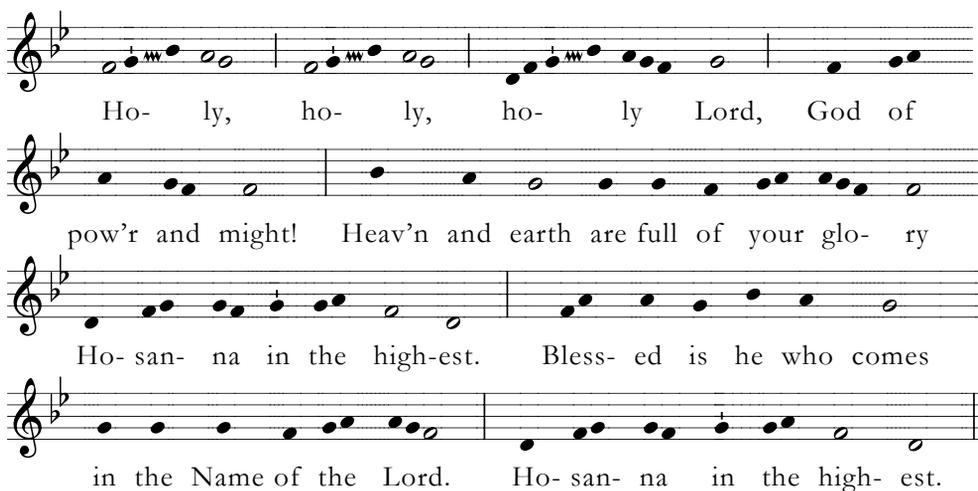
*Sanctus* arr. by James McGregor

Memorial Acclamation arr. by Mason Martens



∞ The Lord be with you ∞ And also with you ∞ ∞ Lift up your hearts. ∞ We lift them to the Lord. ∞ Let us give thanks to the Lord our God. ∞ It is right to give him thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord, who for our sins was lifted high upon the cross, that he might draw the whole world to himself; who by his suffering and death became the author of eternal salvation to all who put their trust in him. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with Angels and Archangels and with all the company of heaven, who for ever sing this hymn to proclaim the glory of your Name:



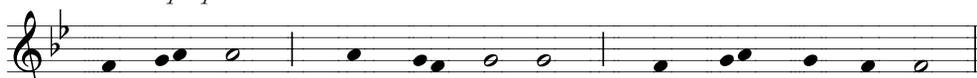
Ho- ly, ho- ly, ho- ly Lord, God of pow'r and might! Heav'n and earth are full of your glo- ry Ho- san- na in the high-est. Bless- ed is he who comes in the Name of the Lord. Ho- san- na in the high- est.

*The people remain standing. The Celebrant continues*

Holy and gracious Father: In your infinite love you made us for yourself; and, when we had fallen into sin and become subject to evil and death, you, in your mercy, sent Jesus Christ, your only and eternal Son, to share our human nature, to live and die as one of us, to reconcile us to you, the God and Father of all. He stretched out his arms upon the cross, and offered himself in obedience to your will, a perfect sacrifice for the whole world. On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat: This is my Body, which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me." After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: This is my Blood of the new Covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore we proclaim the mystery of faith:

*Celebrant and people*



Christ has died. Christ is ris- en. Christ will come a- gain.

We celebrate the memorial of our redemption, O Father, in this sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving. Recalling his death, resurrection, and ascension, we offer you these gifts. Sanctify them by your Holy Spirit to be for your people the Body and Blood of your Son, the holy food and drink of new and unending life in him. Sanctify us also that we may faithfully receive this holy Sacrament, and serve you in unity, constancy, and peace; and at the last day bring us with all your saints into the joy of your eternal kingdom. All this we ask through your Son Jesus Christ. By him, and with him, and in him, in the unity of the Holy Spirit all honor and glory is yours, Almighty Father, now and for ever. *AMEN.*

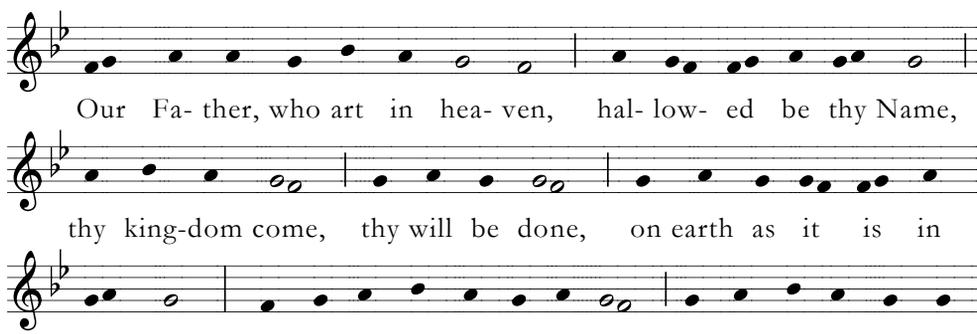
## Lord's Prayer

*The Celebrant begins*

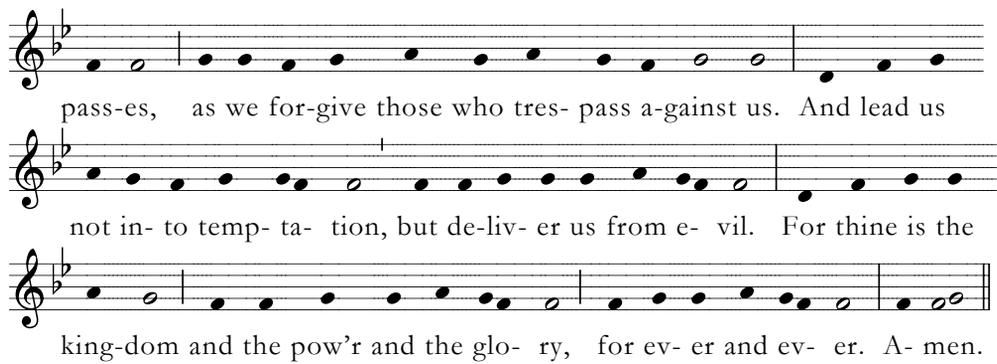


And now as our Sa- vior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

*All continue*

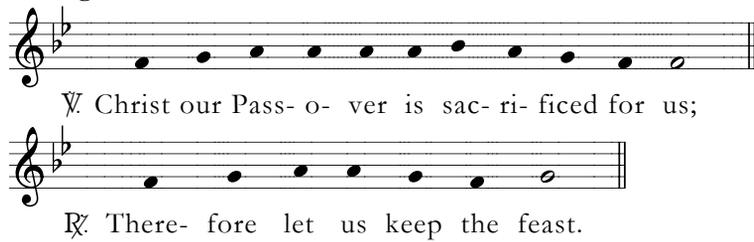


Our Fa- ther, who art in hea- ven, hal- low- ed be thy Name,  
thy king- dom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in  
hea- ven. Give us this day our dai- ly bread, and for- give us our tres-



pass-es, as we for-give those who tres- pass a-gainst us. And lead us  
not in- to temp- ta- tion, but de-liv- er us from e- vil. For thine is the  
king-dom and the pow'r and the glo- ry, for ev- er and ev- er. A- men.

### Breaking of the Bread



V. Christ our Pass- o- ver is sac- ri- ficed for us;  
R. There- fore let us keep the feast.

**Agnus Dei**—Anaphora chant adapted by Mason Martens (1933-1991)

*This is an open altar and all who are baptized and desire to receive the Body and Blood of Christ are invited to do so. If you have difficulty with steps, there is a hand rail on the far side of the pulpit to assist you or you may inform an usher and communion will be brought to you at your seat. Please move toward the aisle to receive.*

### Communion Antiphon

“This is my body, which is given for you. This is the cup of the new covenant in my blood,” says the Lord. “Do this whenever you receive them, for the remembrance of me.” (*1 Corinthians 11*)

**Motet** Giovanni Croce (1559-1609)

In monte Oliveti oravit ad Patrem: Pater, si fieri potest, transeat a me calix iste: Spiritus quidem promptus est, caro autem infirma: fiat voluntas tua.

*On the mount of Olives he prayed to the Father: Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me; the spirit indeed is willing but the flesh is weak. Let your will be done. (Matthew 26)*

### Postcommunion Prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, you have called us here on earth to the table of your Son Jesus Christ and fed us with his precious Body and Blood: Make us worthy, we pray, to feast with him in heaven, where he lives and reigns for ever and ever. *Amen.*

### Procession to the Altar of Repose

*The Blessed Sacrament (reserved for Good Friday Communion) is carried in procession to the Altar of Repose in All Saints' Chapel. Before the procession begins, the Celebrant, kneeling before the altar, censes the Sacrament. When the Celebrant kneels, the people kneel. During the procession the people remain kneeling and sing the following Hymn.*

**Hymn 329**

**Stripping of the Altars**

*The ministers return to strip the altars. While they do so, the Choir sings Psalm 22.  
All leave the church in silence.*