MEDITATION Rev. Collin Adams

Reading Mark 14:10-13, 16-21

Hymn 205 "Live in Charity" (repeat several times)

Reading Luke 22:39-54

Hymn 204 "Stay with Me" (repeat several times)

Reading Luke 22:54-62

Hymn 206 "This Is the Night" (verses 1 & 2)

Reading Mark 15:1-15

Hymn 221 "O Sacred Head, Now Wounded" (verses 1 & 3)

Reading Matthew 27:27-31

Hymn 219 "They Crucified My Lord (He Never Said a Mumbalin' Word)"

(verses 1 & 3)

Reading Mark 15:16-32

Moment of Silence

Reading Mark 15:33-47

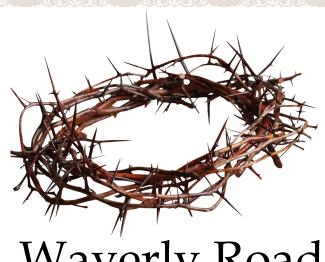
Moment of Silence

RESPONSIVE BENEDICTION

May Jesus Christ, who for our sakes became obedient unto death, even death on a cross, keep you and strengthen you.

AMEN

Please leave the Sanctuary in silence.



Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

Love God Love Others Make Disciples

Service of Worship Maundy Thursday

April 6, 2023, 7:00pm

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CALL TO WORSHIP

This is a night to remember.

We remember the Passover Jesus shared with His disciples.

We remember His new covenant of broken bread and cup.

We remember His night alone in the garden in prayer.

We remember His arrest and trial.

We remember His suffering and the denial of His friend.

We remember His sinless hands which were spread wide in blessing and then nailed high on a cross to cancel our sins.

We remember this time in Jesus' life, all the humility he taught us, and all the love he poured out for us.

*HYMN 202

"An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, we confess that so often our discipleship is weak. We fail to serve as Jesus served, giving you our all. Forgive us. (pause)

We seek our own way and do not pray the prayer that Jesus prayed: "Thy will be done." Forgive us. (pause)

We promise to stay steadfast by your side, but, like Peter, when challenged, too often our actions shout, "I do not know him!" (pause)

Merciful God, empower us by your Spirit to be steady and true to you in every time of trial; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Jesus said: "I came not to judge the world, but to save the world." Then "having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end."

The good news therefore is this: In Jesus Christ, we are loved and we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

ANTHEM

"God so Loved the World"

John Stainer

God so loved the world, that he gave His only begotten Son, that whoso believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved.

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SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

Prayer

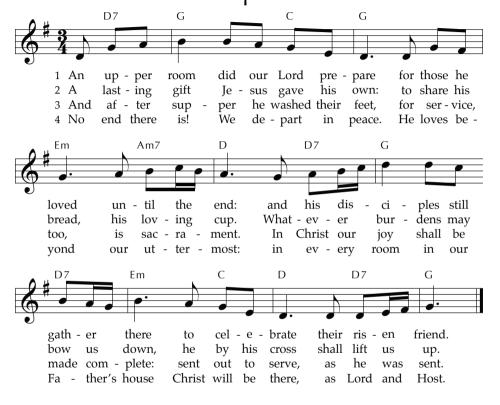
Distribution of the Elements

Communion Prayer

Dearest Christ, you have broken yourself for us and poured out your own blood as the cup of salvation for us all. Thank you, dear Jesus. May our love for you increase on this night and each time we remember you.

AMEN

An Upper Room Did Our Lord 202 Prepare



Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

This text brings together the two New Testament traditions regarding Jesus' final evening with his disciples: the Synoptic account of the Last Supper (Matthew 26:26–29/Mark 14:22–25/Luke 22:14–20) and the Fourth Gospel's report of his washing the disciples' feet (John 13:3–17).