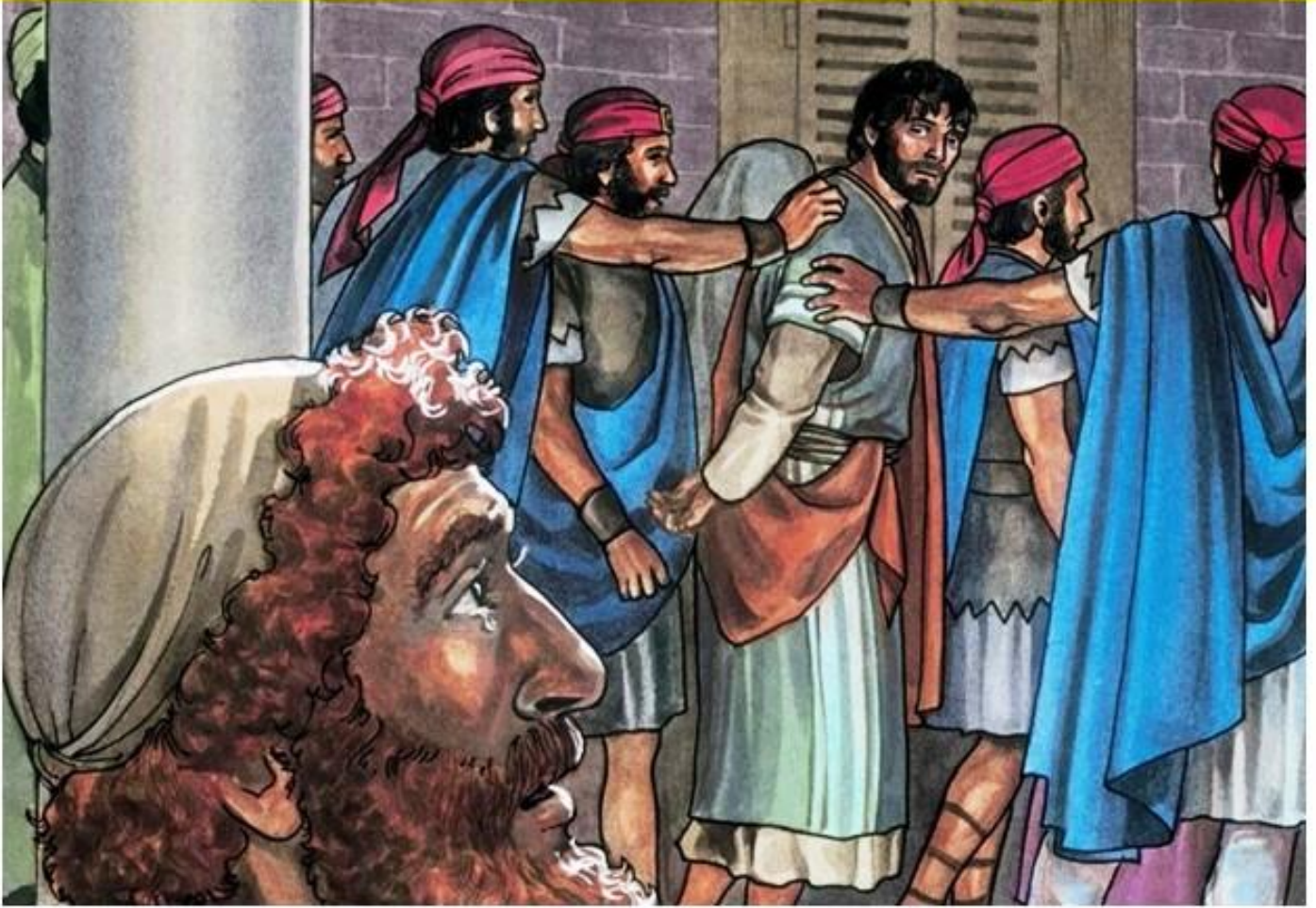


**"Jesus Gets Me NOT to Forget Me!"**



+ Maundy Thursday +  
March 28, 2024



**Messiah Lutheran  
Church**

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*Welcome! We are glad you are worshipping the Lord with us today!*

# Holy Thursday Divine Worship

Thursday of the Passion

Maundy Thursday

March 28, 2024

## “Jesus get me NOT to Forget Me”

**FROM THE LAY ELDER-DEACONS:** Welcome to Messiah. We want to make sure your worship experience goes well. So just as a reminder, ***please turn cellphones ringers off during worship. Please remove hats, no earbuds, no gaming, no texting, and no social media. If you need to use your phone or have a conversation with someone, please excuse yourself from the sanctuary. Thank you.***

**FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE:** Live audio of the worship service is available in the room that is just off the Narthex in the back of the sanctuary. This room has a bathroom and is a safe place for anxious children (or adults) to go and still be a part of the worship service. Also, audio is available in our Fellowship Hall.

**HOLY WEEK SERVICES: Maundy Thursday** celebrates the anniversary of the institution of Holy Communion by Jesus at the Last Supper. The word “Maundy” comes from the Latin *Mandatum* for “word in the ceremony.” *Mandatum novum* stands for the new commandment Jesus gave to the Disciples to eat and drink His body and blood “in remembrance of me” with the promise of forgiveness of sins.

This service of Holy Thursday is the first service in the celebration of the holy three days of Christ’s Passover commonly known as the Triduum. It culminates the Lenten period of preparation for Christ’s passion and leads into His sacrifice on our behalf.

As such: the Service, like that of Good Friday, exhibits a mood of restrained joy. It consists of four parts: the Service of Corporate Confession and Absolution, the Service of the Word, the Service of the Sacrament, and the Stripping of the Altar.

Tonight, we focus on the one of the pivotal historical events of this holy night: Peter’s denial of Jesus, and his falling away. Our Lord predicted it during the Passover meal, and it happened as He said it would. So, how are we like Peter in denying our Lord? And where is Jesus when this happens? Tonight, God’s Word will show you how He knows you so well and yet does not forget you in your hour of need or denial.

**PRELUDE**

## SILENT PRAYER BEFORE WORSHIPPING

*Gracious Lord, as we walk by faith with You again remembering Your journey to the Cross, we give You thanks for Your body and blood given to us through Your Holy Supper here tonight. Let Your peace humbly be placed in my heart this night as we remember You once more. Amen.*

## GREETING – SETTING WORSHIP THEME

### **Bible Verse for Holy Week: Mark 11:9-10 NIV**

P: "Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"

### **C: "Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!"**

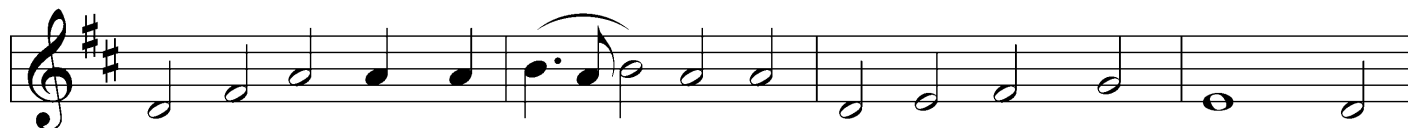
P: "Hosanna in the highest heaven!" Save us now Lord Jesus as we worship You.

## HYMN OF INVOCATION: "Lamb of God, Pure and Holy"...LSB 434

*(Please turn and follow the Processional Light)*



1 Lamb of God, pure and ho - ly, Who on the cross didst suf - fer,  
2 Lamb of God, pure and ho - ly, Who on the cross didst suf - fer,  
3 Lamb of God, pure and ho - ly, Who on the cross didst suf - fer,



Ev - er pa - tient and low - ly, Thy - self to scorn didst of - fer.  
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Ev - er pa - tient and low - ly, Thy - self to scorn didst of - fer.



All sins Thou bor - est for us, Else had de - spair reigned o'er us:  
All sins Thou bor - est for us, Else had de - spair reigned o'er us:  
All sins Thou bor - est for us, Else had de - spair reigned o'er us:



Have mer - cy on us, O Je - sus! O Je - sus!  
Have mer - cy on us, O Je - sus! O Je - sus!  
Thy peace be with us, O Je - sus! O Je - sus!

## INVOCATION: *(God's name is spoken so we can see His vivid presence through His Word)*

P: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

**C: Who made heaven and Earth.**

## **THE SERVICE OF CORPORATE CONFESSION OF SIN AND HOLY ABSOLUTION**

P: Dear Lord, we come to You tonight in the confession of our sins...

**C: O Lamb of God no sin to hide.**

P: Sinners with our thoughts, through our words and by our deeds, acts of wrong and inactions of failing to do what's right.

**C: I was so lost I should have died on the Cross instead.**

P: Yet, You suffered and died for us; stricken, smitten, and afflicted.

**C: Our gift of love we crucified.**

P: Forgive us of all of our sins, both those we know of but haven't brought to You, and those sins of which we are unaware.

**C: Assure us tonight in Holy Communion You will wash us with Your precious blood.**

P: Our Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

**C: You only Son, so full of love. Amen.**

P: God has heard you. Jesus knows your every weakness. The Holy Spirit is here to forgive you and renew your faith in Him by the power of His Word. So, in the stead and by the command of my Lord Jesus Christ, I forgive you of all of your sins in the Name of the Father and of the + Son and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen.**

P: Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely, and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. He who calls you is faithful; He will surely do it. Go in + peace.

**C: Amen.**

## **THE PRAYER OF THE CHURCH/THE COLLECT**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Let us pray. *(Silence for reflection on worship theme)* O Lord Jesus, on this night You were denied by Peter. Yet, You remembered him as You gave Your life for him. So, tonight show us how You get us so as to not forget us. And may the power of You remembering us in faith bring a deeper love to love those who deny us. Prepares us to love others as we serve them, so more may know You at the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world as You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forevermore.

**C: Amen.**

*(Please be seated)*

# THE SERVICE OF THE WORD—

## The Passion of our Lord on Maundy Thursday

### **PASSION NARRATIVE READING #1.....Mark 14:12-26 ESV**

*The Institution of the Lord's Supper by Jesus.*

<sup>12</sup> And on the first day of Unleavened Bread, when they sacrificed the Passover lamb, his disciples said to him, "Where will you have us go and prepare for you to eat the Passover?" <sup>13</sup> And he sent two of his disciples and said to them, "Go into the city, and a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him, <sup>14</sup> and wherever he enters, say to the master of the house, 'The Teacher says, Where is my guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?' <sup>15</sup> And he will show you a large upper room furnished and ready; there prepare for us." <sup>16</sup> And the disciples set out and went to the city and found it just as he had told them, and they prepared the Passover.

<sup>17</sup> And when it was evening, he came with the twelve. <sup>18</sup> And as they were reclining at table and eating, Jesus said, "Truly, I say to you, one of you will betray me, one who is eating with me." <sup>19</sup> They began to be sorrowful and to say to him one after another, "Is it I?" <sup>20</sup> He said to them, "It is one of the twelve, one who is dipping bread into the dish with me. <sup>21</sup> For the Son of Man goes as it is written of him, but woe to that man by whom the Son of Man is betrayed! It would have been better for that man if he had not been born."

<sup>22</sup> And as they were eating, he took bread, and after blessing it broke it and gave it to them, and said, "Take; this is my body." <sup>23</sup> And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he gave it to them, and they all drank of it. <sup>24</sup> And he said to them, "This is my blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many. <sup>25</sup> Truly, I say to you, I will not drink again of the fruit of the vine until that day when I drink it new in the kingdom of God."

<sup>26</sup> And when they had sung a hymn, they went out to the Mount of Olives.

P: This is the Passion of our Lord.

**C: Praise be to God the Father for loving us so much.**

### **HYMN OF RELECTION....."Go to Dark Gethsemane" ..... LSB 436 vv1-2**

1. Go to dark Gethsemane,  
You who feel the tempter's pow'r;  
Your Redeemer's conflict see;  
Watch with Him one bitter hour;  
Turn not from His griefs away;  
Learn of Jesus Christ to pray.

2. Follow to the judgment hall;  
View the Lord of life arraigned;  
O the worm-wood and the gall!  
O the pangs His soul sustained!  
Shun not suffering, shame, or loss;  
Learn of Him to bear the cross.

## **PASSION NARRATIVE READING #2.....Mark 14:27-52 ESV**

*This second reading records the events at the Mount of Olives and at the Garden of Gethsemane, located on a hill just east of Jerusalem.*

<sup>27</sup> And Jesus said to them, "You will all fall away, for it is written, 'I will strike the shepherd, and the sheep will be scattered.' <sup>28</sup> But after I am raised up, I will go before you to Galilee." <sup>29</sup> Peter said to him, "Even though they all fall away, I will not." <sup>30</sup> And Jesus said to him, "Truly, I tell you, this very night, before the rooster crows twice, you will deny me three times." <sup>31</sup> But he said emphatically, "If I must die with you, I will not deny you." And they all said the same.

<sup>32</sup> And they went to a place called Gethsemane. And he said to his disciples, "Sit here while I pray." <sup>33</sup> And he took with him Peter and James and John, and began to be greatly distressed and troubled. <sup>34</sup> And he said to them, "My soul is very sorrowful, even to death. Remain here and watch." <sup>35</sup> And going a little farther, he fell on the ground and prayed that, if it were possible, the hour might pass from him. <sup>36</sup> And he said, "Abba, Father, all things are possible for you. Remove this cup from me. Yet not what I will, but what you will." <sup>37</sup> And he came and found them sleeping, and he said to Peter, "Simon, are you asleep? Could you not watch one hour? <sup>38</sup> Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak." <sup>39</sup> And again he went away and prayed, saying the same words. <sup>40</sup> And again he came and found them sleeping, for their eyes were very heavy, and they did not know what to answer him. <sup>41</sup> And he came the third time and said to them, "Are you still sleeping and taking your rest? It is enough; the hour has come. The Son of Man is betrayed into the hands of sinners. <sup>42</sup> Rise, let us be going; see, my betrayer is at hand."

<sup>43</sup> And immediately, while he was still speaking, Judas came, one of the twelve, and with him a crowd with swords and clubs, from the chief priests and the scribes and the elders. <sup>44</sup> Now the betrayer had given them a sign, saying, "The one I will kiss is the man. Seize him and lead him away under guard." <sup>45</sup> And when he came, he went up to him at once and said, "Rabbi!" And he kissed him. <sup>46</sup> And they laid hands on him and seized him. <sup>47</sup> But one of those who stood by drew his sword and struck the servant of the high priest and cut off his ear. <sup>48</sup> And Jesus said to them, "Have you come out as against a robber, with swords and clubs to capture me? <sup>49</sup> Day after day I was with you in the temple teaching, and you did not seize me. But let the Scriptures be fulfilled." <sup>50</sup> And they all left him and fled.

<sup>51</sup> And a young man followed him, with nothing but a linen cloth about his body. And they seized him, <sup>52</sup> but he left the linen cloth and ran away naked.

P: This is the Passion of our Lord.

**C: Praise be to God the Son for loving us so much.**

**HYMN OF REFLECTION....."Go to Dark Gethsemane"..... LSB 436 vv3-4**

3. Calv'ry's mournful mountain climb

There' adoring at His feet,  
Mark the miracle of time,  
God's own sacrifice complete:  
"It is finished!" Hear the cry;  
Learn of Jesus Christ to die.

4. Early hasten to the tomb

Where they laid his breathless clay;  
All is solitude and gloom;  
Who hath taken Him away?  
Christ is ris'n! He meets our eyes:  
Savior, teach us so to rise.

**PASSION NARRATIVE READING #3.....Mark 14:53-65 ESV**

*This third reading tells of Jesus' arrest at Gethsemane and His trial before the Sanhedrin.*

<sup>53</sup> And they led Jesus to the high priest. And all the chief priests and the elders and the scribes came together. <sup>54</sup> And Peter had followed him at a distance, right into the courtyard of the high priest. And he was sitting with the guards and warming himself at the fire. <sup>55</sup> Now the chief priests and the whole council were seeking testimony against Jesus to put him to death, but they found none. <sup>56</sup> For many bore false witness against him, but their testimony did not agree. <sup>57</sup> And some stood up and bore false witness against him, saying, <sup>58</sup> "We heard him say, 'I will destroy this temple that is made with hands, and in three days I will build another, not made with hands.'" <sup>59</sup> Yet even about this their testimony did not agree. <sup>60</sup> And the high priest stood up in the midst and asked Jesus, "Have you no answer to make? What is it that these men testify against you?" <sup>61</sup> But he remained silent and made no answer. Again the high priest asked him, "Are you the Christ, the Son of the Blessed?" <sup>62</sup> And Jesus said, "I am, and you will see the Son of Man seated at the right hand of Power, and coming with the clouds of heaven." <sup>63</sup> And the high priest tore his garments and said, "What further witnesses do we need? <sup>64</sup> You have heard his blasphemy. What is your decision?" And they all condemned him as deserving death. <sup>65</sup> And

some began to spit on him and to cover his face and to strike him, saying to him, "Prophecy!"  
And the guards received him with blows.

P: This is the Passion of our Lord.

**C: Praise be to God for loving us so much.**

### **Solo of Hymn of Reflection: Berta Eddy**

#### **PASSION NARRATIVE READING #4.....Mark 14:66-72 ESV**

*This fourth reading shows Peter disowning Jesus as Christ had predicted.*

<sup>66</sup> And as Peter was below in the courtyard, one of the servant girls of the high priest came, <sup>67</sup> and seeing Peter warming himself, she looked at him and said, "You also were with the Nazarene, Jesus." <sup>68</sup> But he denied it, saying, "I neither know nor understand what you mean." And he went out into the gateway and the rooster crowed. <sup>69</sup> And the servant girl saw him and began again to say to the bystanders, "This man is one of them." <sup>70</sup> But again he denied it. And after a little while the bystanders again said to Peter, "Certainly you are one of them, for you are a Galilean." <sup>71</sup> But he began to invoke a curse on himself and to swear, "I do not know this man of whom you speak." <sup>72</sup> And immediately the rooster crowed a second time. And Peter remembered how Jesus had said to him, "Before the rooster crows twice, you will deny me three times." And he broke down and wept.

P: This is the Passion of our Lord.

**C: Praise be to the Holy Spirit for loving us so much.**

#### **HYMN OF THE NIGHT: "O Perfect Life of Love" LSB 452 verses 1-4**

1. O perfect life of love!  
All, all, is finished now,  
All that He left His throne above  
To do for us below.
  
2. No work is left undone  
Of all the Father willed;  
His toil, His sorrows, one by one,  
The Scriptures have fulfilled.
  
3. No pain that we can share  
But He has felt its smart;  
All forms of human grief and care  
Have pierced that tender heart.



4. And on His thorn-crowned head  
And on His sinless soul  
Our sins in all their guilt were laid  
That he might make us whole.

**SERMON: "Jesus Gets Me NOT to Forget Me" Text: Mark 14:27-31 and 66-72**

**THE APOSTLE'S CREED** (*Creed of our Baptism*) (*What we believe about the Lord*)

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.**

**And in Jesus Christ, his only son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died and was buried.  
He descended into hell.  
The third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of  
God the Father Almighty. From thence he will come to judge the living and the  
dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

**OFFERTORY..... June Cook**

*(If you are able, please stand)*

## **SERVICE OF THE SACRAMENT – HOLY COMMUNION**

*We believe that in Holy Communion God comes to us with forgiveness through tangible means. Because the gospel has convinced us that Jesus' body and blood are present in his Supper to bring forgiveness of sins received through faith and that receiving the sacrament together is a public statement of unity in our beliefs, if you are not a member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod or one of her sister church bodies, we ask our guests to speak with the pastor before communing.*

*We don't want to be presumptuous and put you in the position of stating your agreement with our beliefs before we have had an opportunity to explain them.*

*For those who cannot tolerate alcohol of any kind, the center glass in the individual cup trays and the glasses surrounding it contain grape juice with a few drops of wine added to it.*

*(If you are able, please stand)*

## **PREFACE**

P: The Lord be with you.

**C: And also with you.**

P: Lift up your hearts.

**C: We lift them to the Lord.**

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

**C: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.**

P: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord, Lord God of power and might

**C: Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

P: Hosanna in the highest.

**C: Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**ALL: Hosanna in the highest.**

## **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses**

**As we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.**

**For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever and ever. Amen.**

## **WORDS OF INSTITUTION**

P: Lamb of God you take away the sin of the World, have mercy on us.

**C: Lamb of God you take away the sin of the World, have mercy on us.**

**ALL: Lamb of God you take away the sin of the World, have mercy on us. Grant us peace...Grant us peace.**

*(Please sit)*

## **THE DISTRIBUTION**

## **DISTRIBUTION HYMN: "I, Come, O Savior to Thy Table" .....RED 315**

**AFTER COMMUNION PRAYER:** *(Please pray silently after receiving The Lord's Supper)*

*Almighty God, I thank You for feeding me this life-giving body and blood of Your beloved Son, Jesus Christ, in order to preserve my forgiveness and salvation from You. Send Your Holy Spirit to help me live, by not sinning, and by serving You through helping others with my thoughts, words, and deeds. I pray this in Jesus' Name. Amen.*

## **THE PRAYER**

### **THE BENEDICTION**

P: The Peace of God which surpasses all understanding guard your heart and your mind in Christ Jesus till life everlasting.

**C: Amen.**

## **SENDING HYMN... "O Perfect Life of Love" LSB 452 Verses 5-7**

5. In perfect love He dies;  
For me He dies, for me.  
O all atoning Sacrifice,  
I cling by faith to Thee.
  
6. In ev'ry time of need,  
Before the judgment throne,  
Thy work, O Lamb of God, I'll plead,  
Thy merits, not mine own.
  
7. Yet work, O Lord, in me  
As Thou for me hast wrought;  
And let my love the answer be  
To grace Thy love has brought.

## **THE STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR**

**We leave the sanctuary in silence out of reverence for our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, and reflecting on the Passion of our Lord.**

***Easter Lily and Spring Flower donations are encouraged to beautify our Sanctuary for this Sunday's Resurrection of our Lord Easter Celebration.***

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NIV: New International Version

ESV: English Standard Version

LSB: Lutheran Service Book

BROWN: The Hymnal for Worship and Celebration

RED: The Lutheran Hymnal

**Musicians Serving Tonight:** Sue Kolander on organ, Berta Eddy, solo, and June Cook on Flute.

**Merger Consideration Committee Meeting Notes:** February 18<sup>th</sup> minutes approved by the committee are in the Narthex for your review and were emailed to members.



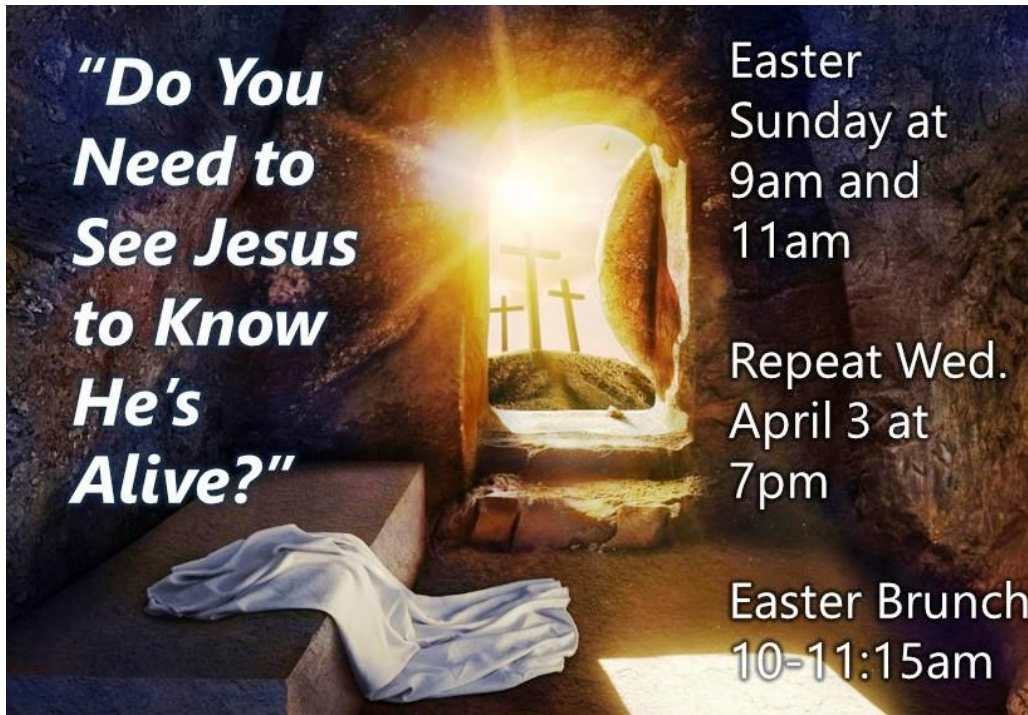
Please join your fellow Lutheran brothers and sisters in Christ for our Community **Tre Ore** service, Good Friday, March 29 from Noon to 3pm at Trinity located at 1850 Cranston near Prairie here in Beloit.

Hear preachers from Messiah, St Johns, Trinity, Christ in Clinton, St. Andrews in Rockton, Christ our Savior in Roscoe, Good Shepherd in East Troy, and Our Redeemer in Delavan as they each preach on the Seven last Words Jesus spoke from the Cross during His crucifixion.

Pastor Dan will be preaching in the first hour on "**Father, Forgive them...**" Our Senior Choir will be singing, also.

Please join us for part or all of the three hours of this special service as we better appreciate the Passion of our Lord.





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**The LBSC (Ladies Bible Study Class)** continues to study James, chapter 1. A discussion centered on how we can find and maintain our joy in today's society. Cindy Zimmerman sponsored our meal. Thanks, Cindy! Ladies, Thursday, April 18, at 5:30pm, is the next session and you are invited to join us in rightly dividing the Word of Truth

**Devotion Resources:** (To help you with your daily meditations with the Lord)

- **Portals of Prayer** devotion books. If we are out, please talk to Pastor Dan
- **LHM.org** for Daily Devotion and other resources to help you with your study of God's Word. The site has audio podcasts, videos, and Bible Studies to download.
- **KFUO.org** the LCMS owned radio station...has audio podcasts.
- **Project Connect** carousel has topical pamphlets to help you with specific challenges you or a loved one may be facing. Located by main church entrance.
- **CD Table:** has previous worship services and Bible Studies edited for you to listen in your car, on your computer or CD player. Located in Narthex.
- **Messiah's Library:** Over in the Parsonage/Sunday School area. Books and videos that are harder to find on the Internet. See Cheryl Sennett or Pastor Dan.
- Please take advantage of these free resources.

Friday	Noon to 3pm	<b><i>Tre Ore Good Friday</i></b> Worship at Trinity, 1850 Cranston, <b><i>Pastor Dan preaching in the 1st Hour "Father Forgive Them for They Know NOT what they are doing"</i></b> Senior Choir singing
	7pm	<b><i>Tenebrae Good Friday</i></b> Worship Service
Saturday	9am	<b><i>Senior Choir Practice</i></b> – Sanctuary
Sunday	9am	<b><i>Easter Sunday</i></b> Divine Worship with Holy Communion
	10-11:15am	<b><i>Easter Brunch</i></b> hosted by Fellowship and Youth
	11am	<b><i>Easter Sunday</i></b> Divine Worship with Holy Communion

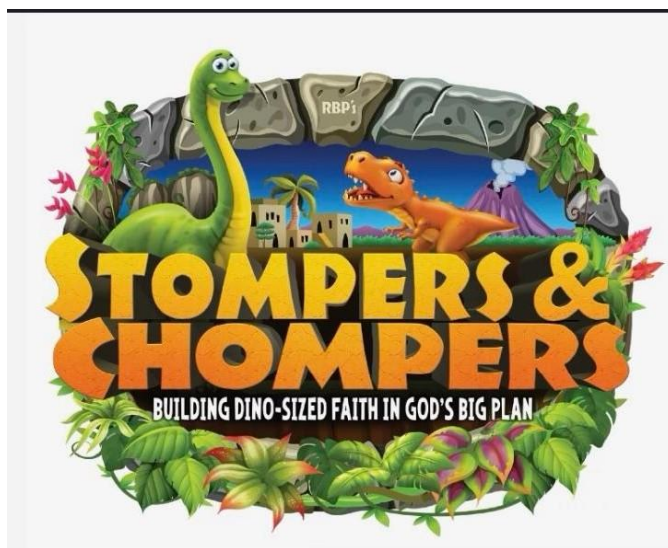
**Messiah's Food Pantry at the Farmer's Market in Downtown Beloit:**

Saturdays, July 20 and September 7 from 8am to 1pm. We will have our own booth selling food, offering nutritional information, and so much more. Further details to come.



## Upcoming Events at Messiah

- Thursday, April 4 at 10am: **Prayer Chain Meeting** Upstairs Conference Room
- Sunday, April 7 at 11am: Sunday School Children ring Handbells
- Sunday, April 7 at 12:15pm: **Lay Elder-Deacon Meeting**
- Sunday, April 7 at 2pm: **Merger Consideration Committee meeting** with St. John's and Trinity at Messiah in Fellowship Hall.
- Tuesday, April 9 at 7pm: **Parish Planning Meeting**
- Saturday, April 13 at 9am: **Men's Group** In Downstairs Conference Room
- **Sunday, April 14 at 9:00 a.m. only.** (No 11a.m. service) Joint worship at St. John's, 1000 Bluff St. with joint fellowship discussion following worship. **Sunday School there as well.**
- Thursday, April 18 at 5:30pm: **Ladies Bible Study Class** Downstairs Conference Room
- **Sunday, April 21 at 9:00 a.m. only** (No 11 a.m. service) Joint worship at Trinity, 1850 Cranston Rd with joint fellowship discussion following worship. **Sunday School there as well.**
- **Sunday, April 28 at 9:00 a.m. only** (No 11 a.m. service). Joint worship at Messiah with joint fellowship discussion following worship. **Sunday School**
- Saturday, May 11 at 9am: **Men's Group** In Downstairs Conference Room
- Thursday, May 16 at 5:30pm: **Ladies Bible Study Class** Downstairs Conference Room
- **Mother's Day Services**, Sunday, May 12 at 9am and 11am and Wed, May 15 at 7pm
- Saturday, July 20 from 8am to 1pm. **Food Pantry at the Downtown Beloit Farmer's Market**
- **VBS**, Sunday, July 21 through Wednesday, July 24 5-5:30pm Dinner; 5:30-7:30pm



- Saturday, September 7 from 8am to 1pm: **Food Pantry at the Downtown Beloit Farmer's Market**

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## Welcome

To our friends who know us, we renew our welcome. To our first-time guests and visitors, we extend our sincere greeting. To those who seek a church home, we invite you to our fellowship. Messiah has existed since 1959 to receive God's forgiveness, life and salvation in Christ Jesus through Word and Sacrament and to share the good news that God's Son, Jesus Christ, lives, died, and rose for all.

## Divine Worship Schedule

Sundays with Holy Communion - 9:00 AM and 11AM

Wednesdays with Holy Communion – 7:00 PM

## Leadership

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