The Worship of GOD on Maundy Thursday March 28, 2024 Online and in-person worship FBC Sanctuary at 6:30 p.m.

Gathering Music "If Thou But Suffer"

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Welcome and Lighting of the Christ Candle

Rev. Cristina Adams

* Call to Worship

Leader: Come, all is ready.

People: But we are not prepared, not really. We don't understand what's coming, and we don't like the hard parts.

Leader: Come, for Jesus invites you.

People: But we are not worthy, we've made big mistakes. We want to get it right, but we know we don't.

Leader: Come, for the One who calls you is trustworthy and true, and it is his goodness that

brings you here.

* Hymn of Gathering (CONGR 171, vs. 1-3)

"What Wondrous Love is This"
WONDROUS LOVE

PASSOVER WITH THE DISCIPLES

Gospel Reading Rev. Nathan Huguley
Mark 14.12–21

Hymn of Response (CONGR 466, vs. 1-2)

"Jesus, at Your Holy Table" BEACH SPRING

"PEACE I GIVE YOU..."

Gospel Reading Rev. Nathan Huguley

John 14.25–27

* Passing of the Peace

Leader: The Lord be with you. **People: And also with you!** Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord!

If able, please text or message someone from the congregation and share with them the sign of peace.

Responding in Peace (CONGR 600)

"O How He Loves You and Me"
PATRICIA

"Jesus Prays"

Gospel Reading Rev. Matthew Sturtevant John 17.20–21, 25–26

Responsive Prayers of the People

When you hear: "Protect them by the power of your name..." Please respond: "...so that they may be one as we are one."

Our 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 debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Prayer Response

"Thy Will Be Done"

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Jesus is Arrested

Gospel Reading

Rev. Cristina Adams

Mark 14.41–50

Leader: This is the Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

Hymn of Response (CONGR 184)

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"

ST. CHRISTOPHER

Invitation to Experience the Story

Postlude

"Abide With Me"

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You are invited to participate in any or all of the experiential prayer stations, where instructions will be given. Take whatever time you want at each station, and when you are finished, please leave the worship space in quiet reflection:

The Lord's Table – Mark 14.22–25

Chancel

An invitation to serve communion to one another.

Who is around your table? — *Luke* 22.14–15

Children's Corner

An invitation to give thanks and pray for your family and friends.

Washing Feet – John 13.3–14

Narthex

An invitation to wash each other's feet (or hands).

Praying in the Garden – Mark 14.32–35

Judson Room

An invitation to pray for what grieves you through kneeling, lighting a candle, and/or praying silently or with one another.