



EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF
ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST

Maundy Thursday
Holy Eucharist Rite II

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The Rev. Cn. Chuck Milhoan, *Deacon*

Welcome to the Episcopal Church of St. John the Baptist! Whatever brought you here today is a good thing. Know that wherever you are in your faith journey, you are welcome in this place. If you would like more information about our wonderful church, please speak to an usher or member of the clergy. We are so glad to have you with us!

As the people gather, we ask that you remain mindful of the sacredness of this place. Please be courteous to those who wish to spend time in silent prayer before the service begins.

*The Congregation's spoken parts are in the **bold** print.*

OPENING ACCLAMATION

Presider Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People **His mercy endures forever. Amen.**

ENTRANCE HYMN

God is Love, & Where True Love Is

#577

THE PENTENTIAL ORDER

Presider: If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. But if we confess our sins, God, who is faithful and just, will forgive our sins and cleanse us from all unrighteousness. *1 John 1:8,9*

Deacon: Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

Silence is kept.

All: **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.

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

TRISAGION (THREE TIMES HOLY)

Hymnal S-102

Holy God,
Holy and Mighty,
Holy Immortal One,
Have mercy upon us. *(Sung three times)*

THE COLLECT OF THE DAY

Presider The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you**
Presider 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 LESSONS

THE FIRST READING

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

THE PSALM

THE SECOND READING

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

THE HOLY GOSPEL

Deacon The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to_____.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

Deacon The Gospel of the Lord.

People **Praise to you, Lord Christ.**

THE SERMON**The Rev. Timothy J. Yanni****THE WASHING OF THE FEET**

Presider Fellow servants of our Lord Jesus Christ: On the night before his death, Jesus set an example for his disciples by washing their feet, an act of humble service. He taught that strength and growth in the life of the Kingdom of God come not by power, authority, or even miracle, but by such lowly service. We all need to remember his example.

Therefore, I invite you who share in the royal priesthood of Christ, to come forward, that we may recall whose servants we are by following the example of our Master. But come remembering his admonition that what will be done for you is also to be done by you to others, for “a servant is not greater than his master, nor is one who is sent greater than the one who sent him. If you know these things, blessed are you if you do them.”

The people come forward in two lines.

Hymn*Lead Me, Guide Me***LEVAS #194****Hymn***Love Divine, All Loves Excelling***Hymnal #657****THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE (FORM IV, BCP P. 388)**

Deacon Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world. We prayer for all ministers in your Church, especially Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury; Michael, our Presiding Bishop; Jennifer, our Bishop; Tim, Marty, Gabe and Harry, our Priests; Chuck, our Deacon; and Mary Kathryn, our Postulant.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Guide the people and leaders of this land, especially Joe, our President and Katie, our Governor, and the people and leaders of all nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. We pray for ____.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence

Lord, in your mercy

Hear our prayer.

The Presider adds a concluding Collect.

THE PEACE

Presider The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People **And also with you.**

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY HYMN

In Remembrance of Me

LEVAS #149

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, according to his command, O Father,

Presider and People

**We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;**

The Presider continues

And we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, O Lord of all; presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts that they may be the Sacrament of the Body of Christ and his Blood of the new Covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we may be acceptable through him, being sanctified by the Holy Spirit. In the fullness of time, put all things in subjection under your Christ, and bring us to that heavenly country where, with [_____ and] all your saints, we may enter the everlasting heritage of your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation.

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.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your Name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those
who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial,
and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power,
and the glory are yours,
now and for ever. Amen.**

THE FRACTION

The Presider breaks the consecrated bread.

FRACTION ANTHEM

Presider Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us.

People **Therefore let us keep the feast.**

THE INVITATION

Presider These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

COMMUNION HYMN

One Bread, One Body

LEVAS #151

*If you are unable to come to the altar for Communion,
please signal to an usher and the Priest will bring it to you in your pew.*

THE POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty and everliving God, we thank you for feeding us with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and for assuring us in these holy mysteries that we are living members of the Body of your Son, and heirs of your eternal kingdom. And now, Father, send us out to do the work you have given us to do, to love and serve you as faithful witnesses of Christ our Lord. To him, to you, and to the Holy Spirit, be honor and glory, now and for ever. Amen.

THE PROCESSION TO THE ALTAR OF REPOSE

Please stand as the presider processes with the Sacrament to the Altar of Repose .

Hymn

Sing My Tongue the Glorious Battle

Hymnal #166

Please remain seated in silence as the ministers strip the altar of its linens and the lights are lowered.

STAY WITH ME

Jacques Berthier

Stay with me, re - main here with me, watch and

The first system of music consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and a 4/4 time signature. It contains a vocal line with lyrics: "Stay with me, re - main here with me, watch and". The bottom staff is in bass clef with the same key signature and time signature, providing a harmonic accompaniment. The music ends with a double bar line.

pray, watch and pray.

The second system of music also consists of two staves. The top staff continues the vocal line with lyrics: "pray, watch and pray.". The bottom staff continues the harmonic accompaniment. The music concludes with a double bar line.

You are invited to pray at the Altar of Repose.

ALL LEAVE IN SILENCE BY THE SIDE DOORS.