

# Maundy Thursday

Emmanuel United Methodist Church

April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Noon & 7 PM

*It is important that you are not distracted at the time of the Great Thanksgiving by trying to get the elements ready, so prepare your communion elements before the service begins:*

1. *You will need to gather: bread / crackers and grape juice. If you do not have bread or grape juice, use your best judgment on a replacement (i.e. dinner rolls, slices of bread, chips, juice, water, wine).*
2. *Place your communion elements on a table in the space where you are virtually worshipping. Use a special plate and cup for the elements. Model reverence of the elements.*
3. *Actively participate in the communion liturgy.*
4. *After communion consume the remaining elements or return them to the earth.*

## WELCOME

### GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 22:24-27

A dispute also arose among them as to which one of them was to be regarded as the greatest. But he said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those in authority over them are called benefactors. But not so with you; rather the greatest among you must become like the youngest, and the leader like one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.

**MESSAGE** "Building a Relationship with Humility" Rev. Kim Capps

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

*(adapted from Maundy Thursday 2020 by Thom Shuman)*

One: Friends, wherever you are, may God be with you.

**All: May God be with you as well.**

One: Beloved, lift your hearts to God.

**All: We offer them to the One who fills us with hope.**

One: Alone, or with family, let us offer our praises to God.

**All: Scattered, we will raise our hearts in thanksgiving to our Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer.**

*(Rev. Kim continues prayer)*

### Response:

**In remembrance, we sit at the Table with our Friend;  
in remembrance, we weep over his passion and death;  
in remembrance, we long to celebrate the Resurrection;  
in remembrance, we look to the day when we will be gathered together.**

*(Rev. Kim continues prayer)*

### THE LORD'S PRAYER

*(At Emmanuel, it is the tradition to say "sins" instead of "trespasses.")*

**ALL: 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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.  
Amen.**

### THE GIVING AND RECEIVING OF HOLY COMMUNION

### BENEDICTION

*Give yourself the gift of an uninterrupted worship service  
by silencing your cell phone and removing other distractions.*

**Remember, love is contagious too!**

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Emmanuel UMC embraces Jesus' message that God loves everyone and we affirm that all persons are of sacred worth. We believe that every human being is created and gifted by God; therefore, every human being is invited to be part of our church. We welcome into our fellowship, membership, and leadership, all people, regardless of age, economic reality, education, ethnicity, faith history, family structure, gender identity, nationality, disability, race, sexual orientation, and life experience.



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