

# MAUNDY THURSDAY

**Maundy Thursday**  
Thursday, March 28, 2024



# TODAY'S OFFERING OF WORSHIP THIS MAUNDY THURSDAY

**PRELUDE:** *Ubi Caritas*

Allan Bullard

## GATHERING

## CONFESSION

Gracious God, we come to you this night acknowledging our similarity to those who gathered with you in the Upper Room.

**We too misunderstand you, wish you to be something you are not, deny you, betray you, and abandon you. We are not always the people you have called us to be, and do not always do what you have called us to do.**

We confess and genuinely repent of all that keeps us from a right relationship with you, and from who you have called us to be.

**Forgive us, O God.**

## ABSOLUTION

Christ himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that, free from sins, we might live for righteousness. (*1 Peter 2:24*)

## HYMN: *Nothing Can Trouble*

First system of musical notation for the hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The time signature is common time (C). The melody is in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The music is in a major key. The first two measures are marked with a piano (*p*) dynamic, and the last two measures are marked with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "Noth-ing can trou-ble, noth-ing can fright-en. Those who seek God shall nev-er go want-ing."

Second system of musical notation for the hymn. It consists of two staves: a treble clef staff and a bass clef staff. The time signature is common time (C). The melody is in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The music is in a major key. The first two measures are marked with a piano (*p*) dynamic, and the last two measures are marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The lyrics are: "Noth-ing can trou-ble, noth-ing can fright-en. God a-lone fills us."

## INVOCATION

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be your name.  
Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us.  
Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For yours is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever and ever.  
Amen.**

## FIRST LESSON

Exodus 12:1-14 (*Old Testament page 58*)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Amen.**

## PSALM

Psalms 116: 1-2, 12-19 (*Old Testament pages 564-565*) **Amen.**

## SECOND LESSON

I Corinthians 11:23-26 (*New Testament page 173*)

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people. **Amen.**

## \*GOSPEL LESSON

John 13:1-17, 31b-35 (*New Testament pages 107-108*)

The Gospel of our Lord, God's living Word. **Thanks be to God.**

**HYMN #232:** *Stay with Me*

**HOMILY:** *Pastor Lauren St. Martin*

**HYMN #624:** *Ubi Caritas*

## FOOT WASHING

**CHORAL ANTHEM:** *Drop, Drop Slow Tears*

~ Sarah MacDonald

*Drop, drop, slow tears, and bathe those beautiful feet,  
which brought from heaven the news and Prince of Peace.  
Cease not, wet eyes, his mercies to entreat;  
to cry for vengeance sin doth never cease.  
In your deep floods drown all my faults and fears;  
nor let his eye see sin, but through my tears.*

**HYMN #564: *O Lamb of God, Most Holy***

**TABLE**

**HYMN #230: *Go to Dark Gethsemane***

**DISMISSAL**

*(Depart in silence)*

GREETER: Cinda Madonna  
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