

**Tract** sung by the choir at the 7:00 service for the Gospel procession

He has made His wonderful works to be re-membered; \*  
the LORD is gracious and full of compassion.  
He has given food to those who fear Him; \*  
He will ever be mindful of His covenant.  
For My flesh is food indeed, and My blood is drink indeed. \*  
He who eats My flesh and drinks My blood abides in Me,  
and I in him. (Ps. 111:4-5; John 6:55-56)

**Holy Gospel** **John 13:1-15, 34-35**

Jesus washes the disciples' feet.

**Hymn of the Day** **445**

"When You Woke That Thursday Morning"

**Agnus Dei** sung by the choir at the 7:00 service (LSB at 2:30)  
Setting by Pergolesi/Burkhardt

### **Distribution Hymns**

*Hymns during the distribution aid in meditation and reinforce both the themes of the day and what Christ gives us in the Sacrament of the Altar. You are encouraged to bring your hymnal with you to the communion rail so that you might sing the hymns as you wait to receive Christ's body and blood.*

"I Come, O Savior, to Thy Table" **618**

"Eat This Bread" (7:00 only) **638**

*The congregation sings the refrain, the choir sings the verses.*

"Thy Body, Given for Me, O Savior" **619**

**Closing Hymn** **631**

"Here, O My Lord, I See Thee Face to Face"  
Stanzas 1, 5-7

### **The Stripping of the Altar** (the last service of the day)

*As a sign of the total humiliation of Christ in His suffering and death, the altar and chancel are stripped of all appointments in preparation for the solemn services of Good Friday. Psalm 22, the psalm our Lord prayed from the cross, will be sung as the vessels and sacred appointments are removed.*

## **Maundy Thursday**

April 14, 2022, at 2:30 and 7:00

### **Divine Service Setting Three Lutheran Service Book p. 184**

*Please follow the order of service printed in the hymnal beginning on page 184. The propers for the day (readings, hymns) are listed below.*

**Pastoral Care and Guests at the Lord's Supper.** We are concerned about the spiritual welfare of all who commune at the Lord's Table. If you are a guest and desire to commune, please speak to the pastor before the service. Our altar is open to those who confess oneness with us in doctrine, are members of our congregation or sister congregations of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and are not under church discipline in another congregation. In Christ, Pastor Bender

**Hymn of Invocation** **635**

"O Gracious Lord, I Firmly Am Believing"

### **Confessional Address Precedes the Confession of Sins, p. 184**

*The pastors will absolve all baptized penitents individually at the kneeling stations. Penitents approach the kneelers down the side aisle as directed.*

*All baptized Christians of every age are welcome to come forward for individual absolution. This practice reminds us of how our Lord absolved His baptized disciples in the act of washing their feet. Meditate upon Psalm 116 during the distribution of the absolution.*

**Kyrie** **p. 186**

**Old Testament Reading** **Exodus 12:1-14**

The Institution of the Passover

**Gradual** sung by the choir at the 7:00 service

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**Epistle** **1 Corinthians 11:23-32**

The Apostle Paul catechizes on the Lord's Supper.