

**holy  
week**  
at CUMC

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**GOOD FRIDAY**

**CROSSWALK IN DOWNTOWN ROCHESTER  
MARCH 29TH-STARTS AT 12:00 PM AT CUMC**

**GOOD FRIDAY WORSHIP  
MARCH 29TH AT 7:00PM**

**EASTER SUNDAY  
MARCH 31ST 9AM TRADITIONS WORSHIP  
11AM ARISE WORSHIP**

**CARAMEL ROLL SALES AND  
EGG HUNT THROUGH  
EASTER MORNING**



Christ United Methodist Church  
*Creating committed Christ-followers for the transformation of the world.*

**MAUNDY MARCH  
THURSDAY 28**



**CHRIST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

# Maundy Thursday

March 28, 2024

## +Gathering Words

One: Come to remember

**All: This is the night of love.**

## Song

“The Gospel in One Word Is Love”

Love, love, love, love,  
the gospel in a word is love,  
Love your neighbor as your brother,  
love, love, love.

Peace, peace, peace, peace,  
the gospel in a word is peace,  
Peace that passes understanding,  
peace, peace, peace.

Christ, Christ, Christ, Christ,  
the gospel in a word is Christ,  
Love Him, serve Him, and adore Him,  
Christ, Christ, Christ.

Love, love, love, love,  
the gospel in a word is love,  
Love your neighbor as your sister,  
love, love, love.

## Scripture Reading

John 13

## Conversation at the Table

## +Prayer of Confession

**God of service and abundance,  
on this night of holy meals,  
we are reminded that we ought to love  
and serve one another in the example of Christ.  
We confess that your ways  
are not always our ways.  
When we drift toward isolation and indifference,  
When we turn our back on the pain of creation  
may we remember this night of communion  
and your ever new commandment of love.  
May our loving service  
be signs of hope for the world. Amen.**

**Scripture Reading** adapted from Matthew 26:36-46

## Hymn

“Stay with Me” (Taize)

FWS 2198

## Scripture Reading

Matthew 26:47-56

## +Prayer of Preparation

One: Forgive us Jesus...

**All: when we grow weary of following you.**

**Keep us awake to your holy presence.**

One: Forgive us Jesus...

**All: when we are fearful of what we might lose.**

**Keep us awake to your sacrifice.**

One: Forgive us Jesus..

**All: when we turn away. Keep us awake to your promise.**

**And plant in our hearts the seeds of faithfulness,  
as we come your table to be fed.**

## Invitation to Table & Prayer Stations

## Music During Prayer Stations

“Above All Else”

by John Lage  
(see insert)

## Prayer Stations

Holy Communion, Prayer in the Garden, Releasing our Hurts,  
Forgiveness and Redemption, Foot Washing, Candle Lighting,  
Peacemaking, Planting Faith, Tangrams, Knotted Together, Guided  
Meditations at the Table

## Holy Communion

*All are welcome to receive communion, which is served with bread and  
nonalcoholic grape juice. Gluten free is also available.*

## Closing Song

“Jesus Remember Me”

UMH 488

## +Sending Forth

Musicians: John Lage, Chancel Choir,  
Steve Barlow (drums), Karen Heistand (keyboard)

+Gathering Words -adapted from United Methodist General Board of Discipleship

+Prayer of Confession from “The Abingdon Worship Annual,” edited by Mary J.  
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+Prayer of Preparation adapted from John Birch, and posted on <http://www.faithandworship.com/>

+Sending Forth adapted from Rev. Corey Turnpenny