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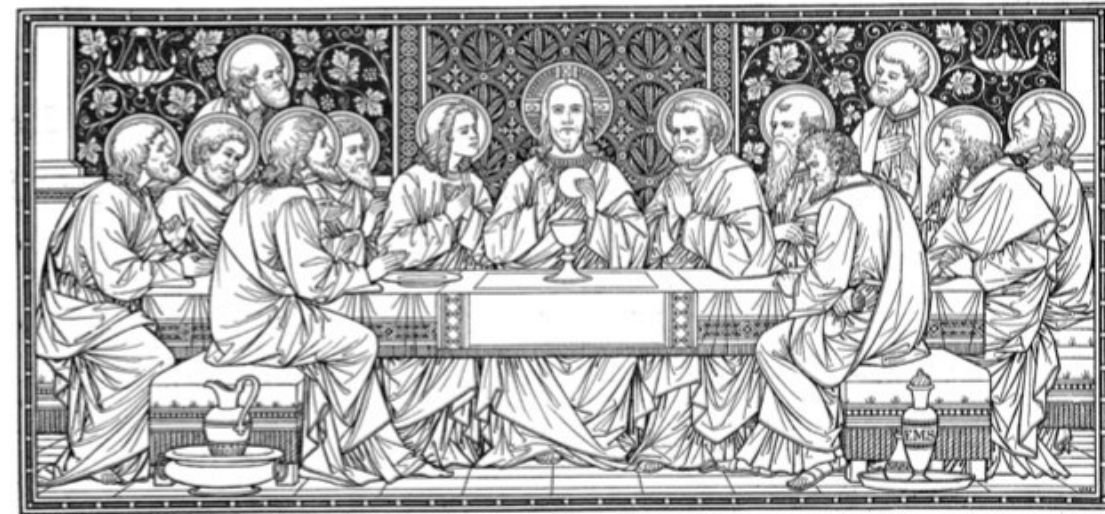
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TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MAUNDY THURSDAY

April 2, 2026, 7:00 pm

PRELUDE *Canzone* from Suite for Violin and Organ J. Rheinberger
Paul Vanderwerf, violin

WELCOME TO TRINITY

OPENING HYMN *O Sacred Head, Now Wounded* Hymnal No 286

OPENING PRAYER

Gracious God, on the night before he suffered, Jesus,
your Anointed One,
instituted the sacrament of his body and blood.
Grant that we may receive
it in remembrance of Jesus Christ our Lord,
who in this holy mystery, gives us a pledge of eternal life.
Amen.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

PSALTER

Psalm 116

Hymnal № 837

MINISTRY IN MUSIC

And We Remember

Douglas E. Wagner

Chancel Choir, Paul Vanderwerf, violin

In this holy place the Lord is with us. By the Word made flesh we die no more. Born to vanquish sin, heaven's gate to win, as new life begins, and we remember. In the upper room they met together. Bread was broken, and the cup was passed. Symbols of a love, sent from God above, to partake thereof, and we remember. In our heart we know his pain and passion. Still our hands reach out for mercy's sake. Christ, the sacrifice, opened paradise, bought at such a price, and we remember. He who gave his life, gave us the promise, never to forsake or turn away. Death upon the tree, won the victory. Christ has made us free, and we remember.

SCRIPTURE READING

Exodus 33:7-19

HOMILY

"To the Face"

Garrett Heersche

GIVING OUR TITHES and OFFERINGS

Invitation and Prayer of Dedication

Offertory *Erbarme dich from* St. Matthew Passion

J. S. Bach

Zoë Kales, mezzo soprano

Paul Vanderwerf, violin

Have mercy, Lord, on me. Regard my bitter weeping, Look on me, Heart and eyes both weep to Thee bitterly.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

We practice "open communion" and invite all ages to Christ's Table.

Our bread contains no gluten, dairy, soy, or nuts. The cup contains grape juice.

Invitation & Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

Hymnal № 20

The Lord's Prayer

Giving the Bread & Cup

THE SEVEN LAST WORDS *(a candle will be extinguished after each)*

Luke 23:34

"Father, forgive them."

Luke 23:43

"Today you will be with me in paradise."

John 19:26

"Woman, here is your son."

Matthew 27:46

"My God, why have you forsaken me?"

John 19:28

"I am thirsty."

John 19:30

"It is finished."

Luke 23:46

"Into your hands I commend my spirit."

CLOSING HYMN

Were You There

Hymnal № 288

Verses 1,2,4

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

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