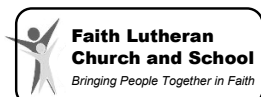


Sounds of the Passion



"Raise up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from his ways."
Proverbs 22:6



Mission

Faith Lutheran Church and School exists to worship, serve and grow in Jesus Christ

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April 17, 2025
Maundy Thursday
Sloshing Water

Welcome

We Share in the Peace of the Lord

Opening Song — Sacred Head, Now Wounded (vs 1-2) LSB #450

O sacred Head, now wounded, with grief and shame
weighed down, now scornfully surrounded with thorns,
Thine only crown. O sacred Head, what glory, what bliss,
till now was Thine! Yet, though despised and glory, I joy to
call Thee mine.

How pale Thou art with anguish, with sore abuse and
scorn! How doth Thy face now languish that once was
bright as morn! Grim death, when cruel rigor, hath robbed
Thee of Thy life; Thus Thou hast lost Thy vigor, Thy strength,
in this sad strife.

Invocation—

P: In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

C: Amen.

Confession —

P: Let us confess our sins in the presence of God and of one another.

Silence for reflection on God's Word and for self-examination.

C: I confess to God Almighty, before the whole company of heaven and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have sinned in thought, word, and deed by my fault, by my own fault, by my own most grievous fault; wherefore I pray God Almighty to have mercy on me, forgive me all my sins, and bring me to everlasting life. Amen.

P: The almighty and merciful Lord grant you pardon, forgiveness, and remission of all your sins. Amen.

P: The Lord Almighty grant us a quiet night and peace at the last.

C: Amen.

P: It is good to give thanks to the Lord,

C: to sing praises to Your name, O Most High;

P: to herald Your love in the morning,

C: Your truth at the close of the day.

Opening Versicles —

P: This is the day which the Lord has made;

C: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

P: From the rising of the sun to its setting,

C: the name of the Lord is to be praised.

P: Return to the Lord, your God, for He is gracious and merciful,

C: slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love, and relents of evil.

P: Jesus said: If any man would come after Me,

C: let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me.

P: Christ was wounded for our transgressions.

C: He was bruised for our iniquities.

Reading — Exodus 12:1-14

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Reading — Hebrews 10:15-25

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Reading — John 13:1-20

P: This is the Word of the Lord.

C: Thanks be to God.

Responsory —

P: We have an advocate with the Father; Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.

C: He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.

P: Blessed is the one whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.

C: He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.

P: We have an advocate with the Father; Jesus Christ, the Righteous One.

C: He was delivered up to death; He was delivered for the sins of the people.

Sermon Hymn — Sacred Head, Now Wounded (vs 3-5) LSB #450

What Thou, my Lord, hast suffered was all for sinners' gain;
Mine, mine was the transgression, but Thine the deadly
pain. Lo, here I fall my Savior! Tis I deserve Thy place; Look
on me with Thy favor, and grant to me Thy grace.

My Shepherd, now receive me; My guardian, own me
Thine. Great blessings Thou didst give me, O source of gifts
divine. Thy lips have often fed me with words of truth and
love; Thy Spirit oft hath led me to heav'nly joys above.

What language shall I borrow to thank Thee, dearest
Friend, for this Thy dying sorrow, Thy pity without end? O
make me Thine forever! And should I fainting be, Lord, let
me never, never, outlive my love for Thee.

Sermon — by Richard Lowe

Offering — In response to hearing the Good News, we
take a moment of reflection to give thanks to God.

Apostle's Creed —

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried. He descended into hell. The third day He rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Christian Church, the communion of saints the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Prayers of the Day —

The Lord's Prayer —

Our Father

(from the collection "They'll Believe By Your Love")

Gently

Music by Marie-Jo Thun

Our Fa - ther, who art in heav - en, hal - lowed be Thy
name. Thy king - dom come; Thy will be done on
earth as it is in heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly
bread and for - give us our tres - passes as we for - give those who
tres - pass a - gainst us. And lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion
, but de - liv - er us from e - vil; For the king - dom and the
pow - er and the glo - ry are yours. Now and for - ev - er. A - men.

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Eucharistic Prayer —

Institution —

Create In Me a Clean Heart — LSB #192

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me. Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and uphold me with Thy free spirit. Amen.

Communion Hymn — Choir to Sing

Post Communion Canticle — Jesus Blessed Lord to Thee vs 1 - LSB #632

O Jesus, blessed Lord, to Thee my heartfelt thanks forever be, who hast so lovingly bestowed on me Thy body and Thy blood.

Post Communion Prayer —

Closing Hymn — Sacred Head, Now Wounded (vs 6-7) LSB #450

My Savior, be Thou near me when death is at my door;
Then let Thy presence cheer me, forsake me nevermore!
When soul and body languish, O leave me not alone, but
take away mine anguish By virtue of Thine own!

Be Thou my consolation, my shield, when I must die; Re-
mind me of Thy passion when my last hour draws nigh.
Mine eyes shall then behold Thee, upon Thy cross shall
dwell, my heart by faith enfold Thee. Who dieth thus dies
well.

Serving in the Lord's House Today

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Music Coordinator & Clavinova: Becky Roell

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Reader & Assistant: Norman W & Pastor Seth Hoepfner

Greeters: The Prust Family

Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Dr. Neil Rand PhD

Church & School Secretary: Kristin Walter

Ministers: All the People of Faith

THE LORD'S SUPPER (Holy Communion)

Those who commune at the Table of the Lord are baptized Christians who have examined their lives and consciences. Christians believe and confess that in the Sacrament of the Altar all who commune receive, irrespective of their personal convictions, the true body and blood of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Those who receive in faith, receive thereby remission of sins, communion with Christ, and the pledge of eternal life. Those who do not receive in faith, eat and drink judgment upon themselves (1 Corinthians 11:29)". If you are not a member of this congregation or have never communed at His altar before, or hold a confession differing from that of this congregation and the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, yet seek reception of the sacrament, please make yourself known to the Pastor prior to the beginning of the service. For further study, see Matthew 5:23, 18:15-35; 26:26-29; and 1 Cor. 11:17-34.

(Note: If for medical or any other reason you prefer not to drink wine when you commune, the rose colored individual cups in the tray hold grape juice. Gluten Free wafer available upon request.)

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