



ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Holy Week at St. Mary's

Maundy Thursday ❖ April 9, 2020

Hymn 302 Father, we thank thee who hast planted

Rendez à Dieu

Opening Sentences

Book of Common Prayer, page 355

Celebrant Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.
People **His mercy endures for ever.**

The Collect of the Day

Prayer Book, page 221

Celebrant The Lord be with you.
People **And also with you.**
Celebrant Let us pray.

Silence is kept.

Celebrant Almighty Father, whose dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it thankfully in remembrance of Jesus Christ our Lord, who in these holy mysteries gives us a pledge of eternal life, and who now Lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

The Lesson 1 Corinthians

Reader A reading from the First Letter of Paul to the Corinthians.

I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, "This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me." In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, "This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me." For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

Reader The Word of the Lord.
People **Thanks be to God.**

A period of silence is kept.

Psalm 78:14-20, 23-26

Prayer Book, page 694

- 14 In the daytime he led them with a cloud
and all night long with a fiery light.
- 15 He split rocks open in the wilderness,
and gave them drink abundantly as from the deep.
- 16 He made streams come out of the rock,

- and caused waters to flow down like rivers.
- 17 Yet they sinned still more against him,
rebellng against the Most High in the desert.
- 18 They tested God in their heart
by demanding the food they craved.
- 19 They spoke against God, saying,
“Can God spread a table in the wilderness?”
- 20 Even though he struck the rock so that water gushed out
and torrents overflowed,
can he also give bread, or provide meat for his people?”
- 23 Yet he commanded the skies above,
and opened the doors of heaven;
- 24 he rained down on them manna to eat,
and gave them the grain of heaven.
- 25 Mortals ate of the bread of angels;
he sent them food in abundance.
- 26 He caused the east wind to blow in the heavens,
and by his power he led out the south wind

The Gospel Luke 22: 14-30

Deacon A reading from the Gospel according to Luke.

People **Glory to you, Lord Christ.**

When the hour came, he took his place at the table, and the apostles with him. He said to them, “I have eagerly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer; for I tell you, I will not eat it[a] until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God.” Then he took a cup, and after giving thanks he said, “Take this and divide it among yourselves; for I tell you that from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes.” Then he took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and gave it to them, saying, “This is my body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.” And he did the same with the cup after supper, saying, “This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood. But see, the one who betrays me is with me, and his hand is on the table. For the Son of Man is going as it has been determined, but woe to that one by whom he is betrayed!” Then they began to ask one another which one of them it could be who would do this. A dispute also arose among them as to which one of them was to be regarded as the greatest. But he said to them, “The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those in authority over them are called benefactors. But not so with you; rather the greatest among you must become like the youngest, and the leader like one who serves. For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one at the table? But I am among you as one who serves. “You are those who have stood by me in my trials; and I confer on you, just as my Father has conferred on me, a kingdom, so that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and you will sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

Deacon The Word of the Lord.

People **Thanks be to God.**

Homily The Rev. David H. May

Hymn 325 Let us break bread together on our knees

Let us break bread together

Leader Let us pray for the Church and for the world.

Grant, Almighty God, that all who confess your Name may be united in your truth, live together in your love, and reveal your glory in the world.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Guide the people of this land, and of all the nations, in the ways of justice and peace; that we may honor one another and serve the common good.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Give us all a reverence for the earth as your own creation, that we may use its resources rightly in the service of others and to your honor and glory.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Bless all whose lives are closely linked with ours, and grant that we may serve Christ in them, and love one another as he loves us.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Comfort and heal all those who suffer in body, mind, or spirit; give them courage and hope in their troubles, and bring them the joy of your salvation. Protect and keep safe from every harm all doctors and nurses and healthcare providers as they carry out your good work of healing.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader Strengthen all those whose work we depend upon: for those who work in grocery stores and markets and pharmacies, for delivery drivers and those in public transportation, and for all those whose labor sustains our lives.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

Leader We commend to your mercy all who have died, that your will for them may be fulfilled; and we pray that we may share with all your saints in your eternal kingdom.

Silence is kept

Lord, in your mercy

People **Hear our prayer.**

The Concluding Collect

A period of silence is kept.

Confession of Sin

Prayer Book, page 360

Leader Let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.
Silence is kept.

People **Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against you in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved you with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in your will, and walk in your ways, to the glory of your Name. Amen.**

Celebrant Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.
Amen.

The Stripping of the Altar

Psalm 22

Prayer Book, page 610



Participants

Preacher: David H. May; **Lay Reader:** Amelia McDaniel; **Intercessor:** Emily Bruch; **Musicians:** Katharine and Ryan Tibbetts



Parish Prayer List

Lacy Slabaugh Abbott, Jane Anderson, Bill Ashey, Agnes Atwill, Maggie Bassett, Charles Bryan, Barbro Caperton, Elizabeth Cary, Bill Collins, Nick Costas, Kendall Cray, Elaine Crisskus and family, Ann Robertson Davis, Betty Dixon, Stacy Dove, Melissa Evans, Ralph Fisher, Kristine Fitzgerald, Jim Frye, Laura Gilliam, Gordon Graham, Howen Greeley, Frank Grier, Betsy Heggie, Lolly Hetherington, Cindy and Dave Horowitz, Donna Marie Joy, Betty and Clyde Lamond, Terry Lardizabel, Ross Mackenzie, Katherine Mezger, George Moncure, Dover Moore, Harry Moore, Wende Patton, Alex Peavey, Randy Reynolds, Susan Reynolds, Elizabeth Romeo, Lori Rowland, Kelly Ryan, Shelby Slaughter, Bruce Spain, Josh Spain, John Stallings, Jackson Steele, Emma Grace Stiff, Otissay Thompson, Robin Underwood, Ruby Walton, Addie Waters, Judy Wei, Barrett Wheeler, Whitley, Sigrid Whittle, Trish and Gary Wilkins, Jack Williams, William Wilson, and Katherine Youell. **For all the blessings of this life. For those expecting children. For those who have died. In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer, we pray for the Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui and The Most Rev. Paul Kwong - Archbishop of Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui & Bishop of Hong Kong Island. For**

those serving in the military or diplomatic service: Stuart Hughes, Jack James, Alec Mackenzie, Alex Newsome, Randy Reynolds III, C. Russell Timmons, and David M. Tonacci.