

MAUNDY THURSDAY:
THE FOOT-WASHING & THE STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR

Holy Eucharist, Rite II

The Word of God

Please stand as the ministers enter

The Procession

Opening Sentences

The Kyrie

Hymnal 581

The Book of Common Prayer, 355

Hymnal S90 BCP 356

Collect of Day

Collect

Almighty Father, whose dear Son, on the night before he suffered, instituted the Sacrament of his Body and Blood: Mercifully grant that we may receive it thank-fully 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 Lessons

The Old Testament, seated.

Exodus 12:1-4, 11-14

The LORD said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbor in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it. This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the LORD. For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgments: I am the LORD. The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the LORD; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

The Psalm, read together

Psalm 116:1, 10-17 Dilexi, quoniam

- 1 I love the LORD, because he has heard the voice of my supplication,* because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.

10 How shall I repay the LORD *
for all the good things he has done for me?

11 I will lift up the cup of salvation *
and call upon the Name of the LORD.

12 I will fulfill my vows to the LORD *
in the presence of all his people.

13 Precious in the sight of the LORD *
is the death of his servants.

- 4 O LORD, I am your servant; *
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid;
you have freed me from my bonds.

15 I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving *
and call upon the Name of the LORD.

16 I will fulfill my vows to the LORD *
in the presence of all his people,

17 In the courts of the LORD's house, *
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem.
Hallelujah!

The Epistle

1 Corinthians 11:23-26

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 re-membrance of me." In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, say-ing, "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.

Sequence Hymn, standing

Hymnal 301

Holy Gospel

John 13:1-17, 31b-35

Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. Then he poured water into a ba-sin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" Jesus answered, "You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand." Peter said to him, "You will never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no share with me." Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!" Jesus said to him, "One who has bathed does not need to wash, except for the feet, but is entirely clean. And you are clean, though not all of you." For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, "Not all of you are clean."

After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord--and you are right, for that is what I am. So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.

"Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I

said to the Jews so now I say to you, "Where I am going, you cannot come." I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you also should love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."

The Homily, seated.

The Rev. James B. Stutler, D. Min.

The Foot Washing

The Invitation

All those who wish to have their feet washed are invited to come forward.

The Prayers of the People, kneeling or standing

Greetings and Announcements

The Confession and Absolution

The Peace, standing

BCP 359

BCP 360

THE HOLY COMMUNION

All baptized Christians are welcome to receive Communion, all may receive a blessing at the altar.

The Offertory

The Doxology, standing

The Great Thanksgiving - Prayer B

The Sursum Corda ,

The Sanctus ,

The Canon , kneeling or standing.

THE GREAT AMEN

The Lord's Prayer

(tune: Hymnal 380 v.3)

Hymnal S114

BCP 367

BCP 368

BCP 369

BCP 364

Breaking of the Bread

Fraction Anthem—Agnus Dei

Prayer of Humble Access

The Invitation and Administration

Communion

Post Communion Hymn

Post Communion Prayer, kneeling or standing

BCP 365

Hymnal S157

BCP, 365

BCP, 365

Instrumental music

Hymnal 448

BCP 366

The Solemn Prayer over the People

Processional of the Blessed Sacrament to the Altar of Repose

Hymnal 143

The Dismissal Response: "Thanks be to God."

BCP 366

The Stripping of the Altar

Members of the Altar Guild and others will now quietly remove the furnishings of the sanctuary.

When directed, Psalm 22 is read responsively by whole verse, See next page.

After the Psalm, the lights around the altar are dimmed indicating the end of the service. The ministers will then leave silently, followed by the people.

The Vigil which follows the service at the Altar of Repose is open to any-one desiring to join in quiet contemplation and adoration. This is done in re-membrance of the request of Jesus to his disciples as the entered Geth-semane to "sit and pray". The Vigil will end with the Mass of the Presancti-fied Gifts just after midnight at 12:01 am on Good Friday.

**1 My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? *
and are so far from my cry and from the words
of my distress?**

2 O my God, I cry in the daytime, but you do not answer; *
by night as well, but I find no rest.

**3 Yet you are the Holy One, *
enthroned upon the praises of Israel.**

4 Our forefathers put their trust in you; *
they trusted, and you delivered them.

**5 They cried out to you and were delivered; *
they trusted in you and were not put to shame.**

6 But as for me, I am a worm and no man, *
scorned by all and despised by the people.

**7 All who see me laugh me to scorn; *
they curl their lips and wag their heads, saying,**

8 "He trusted in the Lord; let him deliver him; *
let him rescue him, if he delights in him."

**9 Yet you are he who took me out of the womb, *
and kept me safe upon my mother's breast.**

10 I have been entrusted to you ever since I was born; *
you were my God when I was still in my mother's womb.

**11 Be not far from me, for trouble is near, *
and there is none to help.**

12 Many young bulls encircle me; *
strong bulls of Bashan surround me.

**13 They open wide their jaws at me, *
like a ravening and a roaring lion.**

14 I am poured out like water; all my bones are out of joint; *
my heart within my breast is melting wax.

**15 My mouth is dried out like a pot-sherd;
my tongue sticks to the roof of my mouth; *
and you have laid me in the dust of the grave.**

16 Packs of dogs close me in, and gangs of evildoers
circle around me; *
they pierce my hands and my feet;
I can count all my bones.

**17 They stare and gloat over me; *
they divide my garments among them;
they cast lots for my clothing.**

18 Be not far away, O Lord; *
you are my strength; hasten to help me.

**19 Save me from the sword, *
my life from the power of the dog.**

20 Save me from the lion's mouth, *
my wretched body from the horns of wild bulls.

**21 I will declare your Name to my brethren; *
in the midst of the congregation I will praise you.**

22 Praise the Lord, you that fear him; *
stand in awe of him, O offspring of Israel;
all you of Jacob's line, give glory.

**23 For he does not despise nor abhor the poor
in their poverty;
neither does he hide his face from them; *
but when they cry to him he hears them.**

24 My praise is of him in the great assembly; *
I will perform my vows in the presence of those
who worship him.

**25 The poor shall eat and be satisfied,
and those who seek the Lord shall praise him: *
"May your heart live for ever!"**

26 All the ends of the earth shall remember
and turn to the Lord, *
and all the families of the nations shall bow before him.

**27 For kingship belongs to the Lord; *
he rules over the nations.**

28 To him alone all who sleep in the earth
bow down in worship; *
all who go down to the dust fall before him.

**29 My soul shall live for him;
my descendants shall serve him; *
they shall be known as the Lord's for ever.**

30 They shall come and make known to a people yet unborn *
the saving deeds that he has done.

UPCOMING EVENTS

NEW MAILING ADDRESS:
St Clement's Episcopal Church
PO Box 36
Holly Springs, GA 30142-0001

- Update address book
- Update Bill Pay
- Update Banks.

Daughters of the King
4/27 1:00pm Davis Hall Contact Trish Cole trishcole4@gmail.com
Please note change of date!

Holy Week Services:

Good Friday
4/18 12:00-3:00pm The Three Hours
7:00pm The Liturgy of the Day

Holy Saturday
4/19 9:00am The Liturgy of the Day

Easter Sunday
4/20 7:30, 9:00, & 11:00am Holy Eucharist
10:15am Easter Egg Hunt

Tuesdays
Men's The Group 11:30am at IHOP, 3010 Northside Parkway, Canton
Contact: stclementsmens-group@gmail.com

Bible Study 1:00-3:00pm in Davis Hall.
"The Lord's Prayer"

Wednesdays
Rector's Bible Study 12:00 noon via Zoom
We are studying the Psalms. Contact the office for the link.

- 6:15pm Holy Eucharist followed by meal
- 7:00pm EYC 1st and 3rd Wednesdays
- 7:00pm Bible Study

Thursdays
Path to Shine 2:00-5:00pm in Davis Hall.
This is a school children's mentoring group.

Friday
Centering Prayer 12:30pm in church.. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. If

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interested, please contact Fr. Jamie (770.324.2035) or Diane Hodgins (850.338.8540).

Grief Share
This session of Grief Share is complete. The next session will begin on September 8, 2025.

DOK's Christmas in April
Please donate to the DOK's efforts to supply Christmas gifts for the children of homeless veterans. Funds are being collected during April. You can give online or contact Trish Cole tris-coe4@gmail.com


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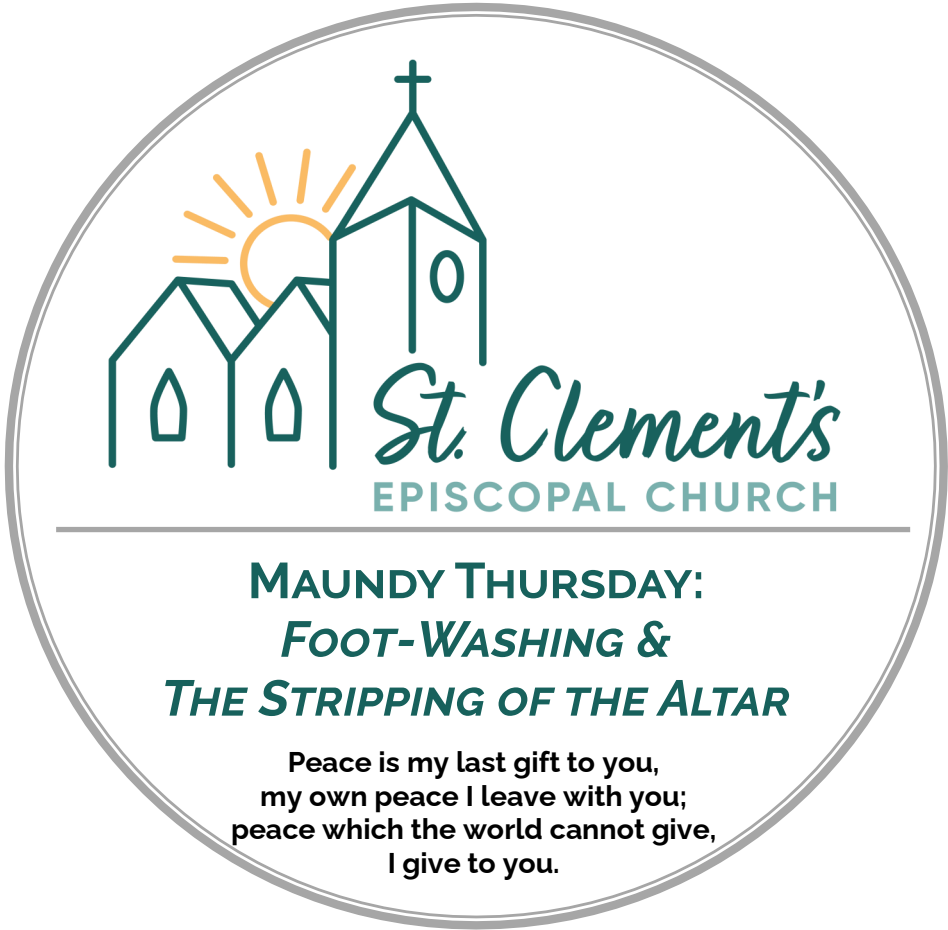


Serving Today:
Crucifer: Jeff Pawlik
Gospel Torch: Wayne Smoak
Epistle Torch: Janelle Walker
LEM: Janelle Walker
Reader: Brad Vaughan

 **Birthdays this week:**
Danette Schilling 4/17

 **Anniversaries this week:**
Tom and Sandy Carlson
4/15

TREASURER'S SUMMARY as of February 2025	
Pledges YTD	\$49,970
Total Income	\$76,630
Total Expenses	\$58,550



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**Peace is my last gift to you,
my own peace I leave with you;
peace which the world cannot give,
I give to you.**

Welcome Visitors!

If you are visiting for the first time, let us know you are here by filling out a visitor's card and ask an usher about a gift we have for you in the narthex (foyer).

WEEKLY SERVICES & MEETINGS

SUNDAY SERVICES //9am Contemporary //11am Traditional
First Sunday of each month// 10am Combined Service

EASTER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, APRIL 13
Palm Sunday
Services 9am and 11am
DAILY
Morning Prayer 9am
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16
Tenebrae
Service 6:15pm
THURSDAY, APRIL 17
Maundy Thursday
Service 7pm
Morning Watch
8:00pm—12:01am

FRIDAY, APRIL 18
Good Friday
The Three Hours
12:00—3:00 pm
Stations of the Cross
6:30pm
Liturgy of Good Friday
7:00 pm

SATURDAY, APRIL 19
Holy Saturday
Service 9:00am

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