

WELCOME

ADVENT | CHRISTMAS | EPIPHANY | LENT | EASTER | PENTECOST

To our visitors We are glad you have joined us to share in the gifts of our gracious Lord as we worship Him together in spirit and truth by receiving His Word and Sacraments. We invite you to pick up information and our Wittenberg Way newsletter at our welcome desk. If you have questions concerning the Christian faith or the Lutheran tradition, please let us know as our pastor would love to speak with you.

Children are welcome in our services Grace is a church family and we believe like any family we learn by doing things together. Bulletins are available for children that coincide with the liturgical calendar and scripture readings. We encourage parents to guide their children throughout the service, helping them to learn the language of the faith through the liturgy. A nursery with sound is located in the hallway outside the sanctuary to the right just before the glass door to the courtyard.

Holy Communion Our fellowship in the Lord’s Supper follows the Lutheran tradition grounded in the teaching of Holy Scripture. As one baptized into the Name of our Triune God and confessing the real presence of Christ’s body and blood in the Supper for the forgiveness of sins you are warmly invited to join us around the table for Holy Communion. If you are not communing but wish to be blessed, then simply cross your arms at the rail and you will be blessed by the celebrant.

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Please silence cell phones and be mindful of those preparing for worship.

Restrooms are available in the hallway outside the sanctuary.



MAUNDY THURSDAY

Maundy Thursday commemorates the Last Supper of Jesus Christ with his disciples, including the washing of their feet and the institution of the sacrament of Holy Communion. It's a day for reflection on Jesus' humility, love, and sacrifice, and a reminder of the commandment to love one another.

Collect:

O Lord, in this wondrous Sacrament You have left us a remembrance of Your passion. Grant that we may so receive the sacred mystery of Your body and blood that the fruits of Your redemption may continually be manifest in us; for You live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Luke 22:7-20

⁷Then came the day of Unleavened Bread, on which the Passover lamb had to be sacrificed. ⁸So Jesus sent Peter and John, saying, “Go and prepare the Passover for us, that we may eat it.” ⁹They said to him, “Where will you have us prepare it?” ¹⁰He said to them, “Behold, when you have entered the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you. Follow him into the house that he enters ¹¹and tell the master of the house, ‘The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I may eat the Passover with my disciples?’ ¹²And he will show you a large upper room furnished; prepare it there.” ¹³And they went and found it just as he had told them, and they prepared the Passover.

¹⁴And when the hour came, he reclined at table, and the apostles with him. ¹⁵And he said to them, “I have earnestly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer. ¹⁶For I tell you I will not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God.” ¹⁷And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said, “Take this, and divide it among yourselves. ¹⁸For I tell you that from now on I will not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes.” ¹⁹And he took 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.” ²⁰And likewise the cup after they had eaten, saying, “This cup that is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood.”

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Depart in Silence

** bold indicates standing*

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Pastor Rev. Brian Thomas
Director of Music Dale Sorenson

SERVING TODAY

Elder Jeremy Fullam
Altar Guild Kelley Clark
Lector Dcs. Doris Snashall
Usher John Downey

SERVING GOOD FRIDAY AT NOON

Lector Mark Jordan
Usher Harold Nichols

SERVING GOOD FRIDAY AT 6:30 PM

Lector Jason Huntley
Usher John Downey

SERVING EASTER VIGIL AT 9 PM

Lector Jason Huntley
Usher John Downey

SERVING EASTER SUNDAY AT 8:00 AM

Elder Steve Hollman
Altar Guild Huntley Family
Crucifer Spencer Huntley
Acolytes Andrew Gertz
Peter Gertz

Lector Mark Jordan
Usher John Downey

SERVING EASTER SUNDAY AT 10:30 AM

Elder Jeremy Fullam
Altar Guild Kelley Clark
Crucifer Citlali Gomez
Acolytes Georgia Thompson
JJ Sorrells

Lector Jeremy Fullam
Usher John Downey

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EASTER BRUNCH From 9:00 to 10:15 in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring something to share.

TNT - TUESDAY NIGHT THING at McGregor's on April 27 from 4-6 pm

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WED. BIBLE STUDY on recess until May 4 and May 7.



Maundy Thursday
6:30 p.m.



Good Friday
Noon & 6:30 p.m.



Easter Vigil
9:00 p.m.



Easter Sunday
8:00 & 10:30 a.m.

PRAYER LIST

FOR STRENGTH AND HEALING

Dave, Mike, Arleen, Eddie, Michelle, Mark, Steve, Kristi, and Daryl

FOR OUR EXPECTANT MOTHERS

Elsy Lehman

FOR OUR MISSIONARIES & SEMINARIANS

Rev. Dr. Tardelli Voss, Vicar Rowan Turner, and Vicar William Baker

FOR OUR MILITARY MEMBERS

Micah Burge, Nathan Farish, Matthew Morgan, Jeff & Jordan Gruetzmacher,
Joshua Simmons, and Thomas Spencer

FOR THOSE UNABLE TO ATTEND

Joyce Rochester, Herb & Marge Foelber, Janice Keitel

MAUNDY THURSDAY

April 17, 2025
6:30 pm



Proclaiming the Good News of God's grace in Jesus Christ

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