

St. John's Ev. Lutheran Church & School

(Wisconsin Ev. Lutheran Synod)

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Maundy Thursday 3:15 & 7:00 p.m. April 1, 2010

Prayer: “For Your consoling Supper, Lord, Be praised throughout all ages! Preserve it, for in ev'ry place, The world against it rages. Grant that this sacrament may be, A blessed comfort unto me, When living and when dying.” Amen.

The Service of Word and Sacrament

(The Hymnal, page 26.)

The Hymns: 385 – 315 – 125, v. 4 – 309/135 – 588, vv. 1 & 7.

Organist: Donna Schmitz.

The Old Testament Reading: Exodus 12:1-14.

Psalm 116, page 107.

The Epistle Reading: Hebrews 10:15-25.

Special Music: A gr. 3-8 volunteer group will sing “In the Upper Room” in both services.

The Gospel Reading: Luke 22:7-20.

The Sermon: 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 –

We Preach Christ Crucified in Holy Communion

- I. We remember Christ crucified in Holy Communion.
- II. We receive Christ crucified in Holy Communion.
- III. We proclaim Christ crucified in Holy Communion.

We will celebrate our Lord's resurrection from the dead with festival services at 7:00 and 9:30 a.m. on Sunday. Our Senior Chimes will play in the early service; the Junior Choir will sing in the late service. We will serve an Easter breakfast of baked eggs, etc. between the services. There will be two seatings to accommodate those going to the early or late service. We can use YOUR help Saturday at 1:00 p.m. setting up for our Easter breakfast. Also, if you have an Easter lily/plant that we can use for our altar please have it here by Saturday at 1:00 p.m. Thank you.

Good Friday

1:30 p.m.

April 2, 2010

Prayer: “What language shall I borrow, To thank You, dearest Friend, For this, Your dying hour, Your pity without end? Oh, make me Yours forever, And keep me strong and true; Lord, let me never, never, Outlive my love for You.” Amen.

The Common Service

(The Hymnal, page 15.)

The Hymns: Insert – 129 – 125, v. 4 – 114 – 319.

Organist: Linda Nottling.

The Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 53:3-12.

Psalm 22, page 71. We will read the psalm responsively.

The Epistle Reading: Galatians 3:10-13.

Special Music: The Junior Choir will sing “God's Perfect Lamb.” Grades 6-8 will play “What Wondrous Love Is This” with the harmonicas during the distribution.

The Gospel Reading: John 19:17-30, 38-42.

Confession of Faith: We will use Luther's explanation to the Second Article to confess our faith in our dear Lord Jesus:

“I believe that Jesus Christ, true God, begotten of the Father from eternity, and also true man, born of the Virgin Mary, is my Lord.

“He has redeemed me, a lost and condemned creature, purchased and won me from all sins, from death, and from the power of the devil, not with gold or silver, but with His holy, precious blood and with His innocent sufferings and death.

“All this He did that I should be His own, and live under Him in His kingdom, and serve Him in everlasting righteousness, innocence and blessedness; just as He has risen from death, lives and rules eternally. This is most certainly true.”

The Sermon: Hebrews 7:26, 27 –

We Preach Christ Crucified – “He Meets Our Needs”

- I. He meets our need for a perfect priest.
- II. He meets our need for a perfect sacrifice.

Holy Communion will be celebrated. Since the Sacrament is also a public declaration of a unity of faith we practice Communion Fellowship. We ask that only members of our congregation or the Wisconsin Synod receive the Sacrament. Thank you.

