



Uniontown Church of The Brethren

Maundy Thursday Service

April 17, 2025 7:00 pm

Welcome Bob Stein

Prelude Sue Metcalf

*Responsive Call to Worship Bob Stein

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*Invocation Prayer Bob Stein

***Hymn: 389 B "Take my life"**

Choral Anthem "Here at This Table" Chancel Choir

Scripture John 13:1-17

Moments of Meditation "Ugly Feet" Pastor Ed Moore

***Hymn: 357 B "O Master, let me walk with thee"**

Litany of Confession: Bob Stein

One: Merciful God, we have not loved you with all our heart and mind and strength and soul. Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

One: We have not loved our neighbors as you have taught us. Christ, have mercy.

All: Christ, have mercy.

One: We are indifferent to the saving grace of your Word and life. Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

One: Forgive and heal us by your steadfast love made known to us in the passion, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

The Service of Feet washing

Prayerful Instructions Sandy Stein

Silent Dismissal:

Women – Old Fellowship Hall

Men – Mixing Area

The Fellowship Meal

Scripture Luke 22:7-16

Michele Means

Prayer of Blessing Pastor Ed Moore

The Communion

Scripture Bob Stein

Matthew 26:26-29

Eric Gottheld

Breaking the Bread

One: He took the bread, gave thanks, broke it and gave it to them saying,

All: The bread which we break is the communion of the body of Christ.

Drinking from the Cup

One: And taking the cup, He gave thanks and said, 'Take this and divide it among you. For I tell you I will not drink again from the fruit of the vine until the Kingdom of God come.'

All: The cup which we bless is the communion of the blood of Christ.

Blest Be the Tie That Binds

Lenten Candle

(Day of Darkness)

Sandy Stein

As we conclude the Maundy Thursday service, we ask that you please exit the upper room in silence. We will meet again on Easter Sunday at 10:30 am and together celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. There will NOT be Sunday School nor Children's Church on Easter Sunday.

Responsive Reading:

One: On this Maundy Thursday evening, we remember the meal shared in the upper room, the prayer in the garden, and the death of one so dear to us, The Savior, Christ the King. As a seed must pass through death to sprout new life,

All: So Jesus Christ was obedient unto death.

One: We wait, and remember the words of our Lord, "Thy Will be done."

All: We remember how our Lord washed the feet of his disciples teaching them how to love and serve one another.

One: We remember the kiss of betrayal, the denial of his disciple.

All: We acknowledge our Lord's good way, his obedience to the Father's will.

One: Taking the nature of a human, a servant.

All: He made himself nothing.

One: He humbled himself by becoming obedient to death.

All: Even death on a cross!

One: For three days, we wait with him,
for death to accomplish its purpose.

All: For Christ's sacrifice to be made meaningful.

One: For Christ to conquer death.

**All: We grieve, even while we are hopeful. We acknowledge
Your good way that brings us toward Life and Hope.**



Front Door Greeter
Back Door Greeter
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Choir Pianist/Flutist
Service Accompanist

Bill Ozanich
Ed Hyjurick
Michele Means
Pam Jacobs/Kelly Galand
Sue Metcalf

... he **humbled** himself
and became **obedient**
to the point of **death** —
even **death on a cross.**

PHILIPPIANS 2:8, NRSV

