

# THE PEOPLE GATHER

## WELCOME

### CALL TO WORSHIP (Responsive)

*One:* No longer strangers,  
we shall be God's friends.

*Many:* No longer separated, we are  
sisters & brothers in Christ.

*One:* No walls between us,  
but windows and doors  
to intimacy.

*Many:* From a far distance,  
we come to the heart  
of friendship  
and the mind of forgiveness.

*One:* We are part  
of the family of God,

*Many:* Members of the  
household of freedom.

**HYMN** "Were You There"

## BENEDICTION

**You are invited to depart this  
evening's service in silence.**

### **Maundy Thursday**

The traditional English name  
for the Thursday preceding Easter,  
derived from the Latin word  
"mandatae," which means  
"commandment." Maundy Thursday  
recalls the new commandment given  
by Jesus to "Love one another,  
just as I have loved you."

(John 13:34)

## **EASTER SERVICES**

**Canton 1st Presbyterian Church**

10:00 am

### **The Lord's Prayer**

Our father who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven,  
give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our debts  
as we forgive our debtors,  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil,  
for thine is the Kingdom  
and the power  
and the glory forever. Amen

The First  
Presbyterian Church  
On The Park



Maundy  
Thursday

April 14, 2022 7:00 p.m.

## **INVOCATION**

**HYMN**            *“Beneath the Cross”*

## **PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

Lord, so often we would hear a call to greatness, but we would not hear Your call to become servants of all. Too often we desire to be important, yet we would not choose to wash the feet of the disciples as You did. Forgive us, Lord, for our pride, and do whatever it takes to lead us to humbly love and desire to serve others for You. In Christ we pray. Amen.

## **ASSURANCE OF GRACE**

**APOSTLES’ CREED** (See handout.)

## **GLORIA PATRI**

**THE PEACE** (“And also with you.”)

## **PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION**

## **SCRIPTURE READING**

John 13:1-17; 33-35

## **HOMILY**

*“If You Have Love For One Another”*

## **RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

**HYMN** *“Let Us Break Bread Together”*

## **THE LORD’S SUPPER**

Invitation to the Table

Words of Institution

Serving & Partaking of Elements

(By Intinction)

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Lord’s Prayer (Debts / Debtors;

See back of bulletin.)