

***Welcome to Maundy Thursday Worship at
Warwick Memorial United Methodist Church***

Welcome! We are so glad you have decided to join us for this important time to recall and participate in the Last Supper. The tone of our service this evening is reflective and prayerful, so that we may tune our hearts and minds to the power of Jesus' experiences and commands. We will celebrate Communion as part of the service. All are welcome. Our pastors will provide guidance at that point in the service. May God richly bless your time of worship with us.

Childcare is provided in our nursery this evening for small children.

Our Pastors are Rev. Bert Cloud and Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud.
Our choir is directed by Page Williams

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Other Events This Week:

Friday: Whisper of the Passion Service at 7:30pm, Celebration Center

Easter Sunday Services:

6:30am Sunrise Service

Sunrise breakfast following the service

8:30am and 11:15am - Sanctuary Services

9am - Contemporary Worship Service in the Celebration Center

Child care provided for all events/services except the 6:30am Sunrise service.

**April 2, 2015
7:30pm
Maundy Thursday**

Order of Worship for April 2, 2014

7:30pm

Centering Music: *What Wondrous Love is This*

USA Folk Hymn
arr. by McChesney
Gloria Dei Ringers

Pastoral Greeting

Call to Worship: *Come and Fill Our Hearts*, FWS 2157 - Repeat while seated and prayerfully seek the peace of God that surpasses all understanding.

Opening Words of Reflection

Collective Prayer

Eternal God, we come to you now to remember and also to be present with you for in the sharing of a meal your Son established a new covenant for all people, and in the washing of feet he showed us the dignity of service. Grant that by the power of your Holy Spirit these signs of our life in faith may speak again this night to our hearts, feed our spirits, and refresh our bodies, until the day when we feast with you eternally. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

* **Hymn of Preparation:** *Fill My Cup, Lord*, UMH 641 (repeat through prayerfully)

The Gospel Reading Luke 22:7-20

Sermon Reflection: "Imagine Feasting" Rev. Gina Anderson-Cloud

***Hymn:** *What Wondrous Love Is This?* UMH 292

Offering: *Tonight's offering goes toward our Lenten contribution to the UMC's "Imagine No Malaria" campaign for bed netting and health education to help end malaria in Africa.*

Offertory: *Jesus, Remember Me*, UMH #488 (You are invited to sing this in repetition as our offering is collected)

***Doxology:** UMH 298, Vs. 4 - *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

Were the whole realm of nature mine,
That were an offering far too small; love so amazing, so
Divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.

*Prayer for the Offering

Anthem: *Come Into God's Embrace*

McDonald
Praise and Chancel Choirs

The Feast - Holy Communion

The Blessing at The Altar

Tonight our pastors will stand ready at each side of the altar railing to offer a blessing following your receiving Holy Communion. When Jesus tenderly washed the feet of his disciples, it was a blessing they could feel – and he himself was blessed by the touch of a loving woman who washed his feet with oil. In remembrance of this loving kindness, in which the Beloved Community of the Church was born, our pastors will bless you as you are led, laying hands on head and shoulders. The pastor will say these or similar words: "May God embrace you and bless you in tender mercies. Amen."

The Gloria Dei Ringers will ring the following pieces during communion:

Ah, Holy Jesus

When I Survey The Wondrous Cross

Were You There

Cruger
arr. by Wagner
Mason
arr. by McChesney
African-American Spiritual
arr. by McChesney

Prayer after Holy Communion

***Hymn:** *Sing Alleluia to the Lord*, FWS 2258

*Blessing for the Dark

Exit in Silent reflection

Parts of the service amended from the work of Nancy Rockwell from "The Bite in the Apple."