## **COMMUNION MUSIC** Is There One Who Feels Unworthy?

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION** 

God of grace, we give you thanks for the feast of redemption we have shared in the body and blood of our Savior. As you have nourished us with love, let our lives proclaim your great love for the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

STRIPPING OF THE CHURCH

SILENCE

**PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION** 

**PASSION READING**, in many voices John 18:1–19:42

SILENT REFLECTION

Solo

Grace Flows Down

**THE SOLEMN INTERCESSION** 

**PRAYER RESPONSE** 

Joshua Allen

**River** Evers

Joshua Allen

## SOLEMN PROCESSION

This is the cross that held the Savior of the world. Come, let us worship God.

I Will Talk to My Heart

## SOLEMN REPROACHES OF THE CROSS

You may approach the cross and kneel, bow, or add a nail for prayer.

Holy God, Holy and mighty,

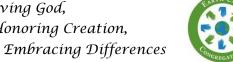
Holy and immortal One, have mercy on us... \*HYMN #228 Were You There

All depart in silence

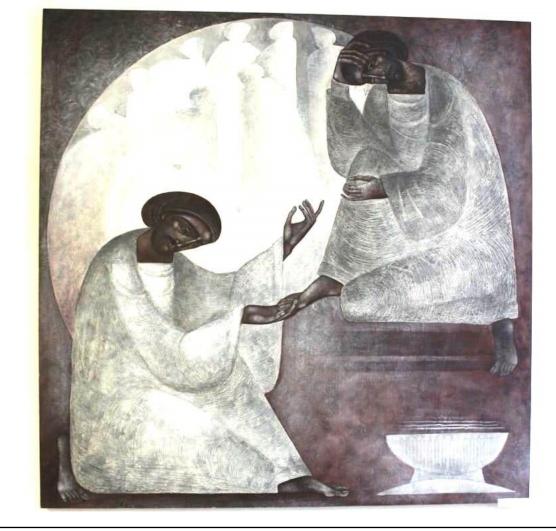


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SUGIT PRESERVICE	Serving God, Honoring Creation,	

Rev. Michele R. Goff......Pastor 



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## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HENDERSON, TX

Worship for Maundy Thursday and Good Friday

April 14, 2022

(\*) Please rise in body or in spirit **Bold Italic letters** indicate congregational response

Gathering —

PRELUDE WELCOME \*CALL TO WORSHIP The Old Rugged Cross

Joshua Allen Rev. Michele Goff Liturgist: John Hillin

Jesus said: I give you a new commandment, that you love one another.

Just as Christ has loved us, let us love one another.

\*PRAYER OF THE DAY

\*Hymn #507 Confession Come to the Table of Grace

Eternal God, whose covenant with us is never broken, we confess that we fail to fulfill your will.

Though you have bound yourself to us, we will not bind ourselves to you. In Jesus Christ you serve us freely, but we refuse your love and withhold ourselves from others. We do not love you fully or love one another as you command.

In your mercy, forgive and cleanse us. Lead us once again to your table and unite us to Christ, who is the bread of life and the vine from which we grow in grace. DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

The mercy of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting. I declare to you, in the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven. *Thanks be to God.* 

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. And also with you.

- Word -

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION GOSPEL HOMILY ASCRIPTION OF PRAISE

John 13:1-17, 31-35

— Response —

\*Hymn #630

Fairest Lord Jesus

**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Nicene Creed

> We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

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We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven... debts/debtors... and the glory, forever. Amen RITUAL OF WASHING

WASHING MUSIC

Jesus Loves Me

Joshua Allen

\_ Fucharist \_\_

INVITATION TO OFFERING

**OFFERING MUSIC** 

\*DOXOLOGY #607 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Christ, all people here below;

*Praise Holy Spirit evermore; praise Triune God, whom we adore. Amen.* \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

You have shown us, O God, the sacrifice that you desire.

Now use these gifts— and use our lives—

to liberate the oppressed, to break the bonds of injustice,

to feed the hungry, welcome the poor, and unite the human family;

all in the name and for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

\*INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE GREAT THANKSGIVING BREAKING OF THE BREAD