

### APRIL 18, 2024, 7:30 PM HOLY WEEK SERVICE

## **GATHER IN GOD'S NAME**

**PRELUDE** Were You There Charles Callahan

#### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

# † OPENING PRAYER

Humble Savior, who stoops to wash our feet, open us to the closeness you long to share with us, the wisdom you seek to give to us, and the love you willingly pour out for us, that you may be glorified through us in our day and age.

#### **OPENING SCRIPTURE**

The word Maundy comes from Latin meaning commandment. This is the day that we celebrate Jesus giving the new commandment – that we love one another as he loves us. Hear God's word for us found in John 13:12-15 and 34-35

† HYMN Were You There Hymn 228

### THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER Hymnal Page 35

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

COMMUNION OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

# MOVING TOWARDS THE CROSS

Patrick M. Liebergen ANTHEM In the Shadow of the Tree Chancel Choir FIRST READING Matthew 26:20-25 Luke 22:39-48, 54 SECOND READING HVMN Hymn 218 Ah, Holy Jesus THIRD READING Matthew 26:69-75 FOURTH READING Matthew 27:11-14, 20-29 FIFTH READING Matthew 27:31-43 O Sacred Head Now Wounded Hymn 221 HYMN SIXTH READING Mark 15:33-39 SEVENTH READING Matthew 27:57-60 CHORAL RESPONSE Iesus, Remember Me Hymn 227

All depart in silence.

CLOSING PRAYER

### **WORSHIP NOTES**

#### LENTEN PARAMENTS

The Lenten paraments are crafted in a batik fabric, in various hues of purple - the color used during our two seasons of preparation (Advent and Lent). Emphasizing this season of simplicity, the Table paraments include no additional decoration or symbols. The lectern parament and the pastor's stole are emblazoned with the "passion cross." The pointed ends of the cross evoke the spear that pierces Jesus side at his crucifixion. These paraments provide a stark contrast to the splendor of the paraments for the Season of Easter.

**VISITORS**, please **complete a visitor card found** in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. We are glad to have you worship with us!

WE RECORD OUR SUNDAY WORSHIP ATTENDANCE. We invite each member of your family in attendance to sign the friendship pad at the end of each pew. We are glad to have you worship with us!

#### CHILDREN'S CHRIST CANDLES

Parents and grandparents, please have your children look for the Christ candle near the activity table. They can light their own tea candle and place it with the larger one.

#### PERSONAL PRIVACY DURING LIVESTREAM OF SUNDAY WORSHIP

It is important for our members, guests, and visitors to be aware that we livestream our worship service. If you are joining us for in person worship but prefer not to appear on the livestream video, we have 2 specific areas in the sanctuary where you can sit comfortably and not appear on the video. The first area is the left transept on the main floor and the second is the center balcony area. An usher will be happy to help you find these areas.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### EASTER MORNING FELLOWSHIP

Come join us on Easter morning prior to the service for a time of fellowship to celebrate the resurrection of our lord. There will be coffee, tea, and light refreshments. We will be in the parlor from 9:30 to just before the services. Should you have any questions, you can reach out to Debbie.vita56@gmail.com. Hope to see you there.

Welcoming all who seek to know God, Glenshaw Presbyterian Church invites individuals and families to join in our journey of faith as we share the love of Jesus Christ with one another, the community, and the world.



### The GPC Session

April Klein, Clerk pro tem

Class of 2025

Class of 2026

Class of 2027

Larry Bock

April Klein

Chick Pfeiffer

Donna Walker

Tom Tabor

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Larry Bock

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Alain Richardson

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