

Experience Holy Week

Join us for
Holy Week & Easter Worship



Maundy Thursday

March 29, Noon & 6:30 p.m.

Good Friday

March 30, Noon & 6:30 p.m.

Easter Vigil

March 31, 5:30 p.m.

Easter Sunday

April 1, 7:00 & 9:30 a.m.



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Please see the reverse side for more details about our Holy Week services.

Confession and Absolution – Three opportunities will be provided for private Confession and Absolution with the pastors during Holy Week: 6:00-9:00 a.m. on Mon, March 26; 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. on Tues, March 27; and 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. on Wed, March 28. During these timeframes, one of the pastors will be available in the sanctuary to hear private confession and to share Christ’s words of forgiveness. Please avail yourself of one of these opportunities, especially if you have particular sins that are weighing on your soul.

Maundy Thursday – Faith’s Maundy Thursday services on March 29 will be held at 12:00 and 6:30 p.m. Both services will culminate with the Lord’s Supper, focusing on Jesus’ words, “I AM the Bread of Life.” The 6:30 p.m. service will conclude with the stripping of the altar and chancel in preparation for Good Friday.

Good Friday *Tre Ore* – Faith will be hosting a *Tre Ore* (“three hours”) service this year. This will be held from 12:00-3:00 p.m. on Good Friday, March 30. These are the approximate hours in which Jesus hung on the cross. The service will include fifteen beautiful hymns along with messages from seven LCMS pastors from the Sioux Falls area as they reflect on Jesus’ seven last words from the cross. Due to the longer nature of this service, worshippers are encouraged to come and go as they are able.

Good Friday *Tenebrae* – This traditional service will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Good Friday, March 30. The focus of the service will be Jesus’s words, “I AM the Good Shepherd who lays down His life for the sheep.” The service will conclude with the extinguishing of seven candles as we hear Christ’s seven last words from the cross.

Easter Vigil – On Saturday, March 31, Faith will hold an Easter Vigil service at 5:30 p.m. Easter Vigil combines four services into one observance on this holy day on which Jesus rested in the tomb: A Service of Light; A Service of Scripture Readings; the Service of Holy Baptism; and the Service of the Lord’s Supper. The *Paschal* candle will be rededicated at the beginning of the service. (The *Paschal* (Easter) candle is lit throughout the Easter season and at baptisms, funerals, and other special occasions.)

Easter Sunday – We celebrate Jesus’ resurrection with services at 7:00 and 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, April 1. The theme will be Jesus’ words, “I Am the Resurrection and the Life.” In between the services, an Easter breakfast will be served by the youth group from 8:00-9:15 a.m. in the gym. An Easter egg hunt will take place at 8:45 a.m.