

Maundy Thursday Communion Service

Riverview Reformed Church
1700 Burleigh, Yankton, SD

Pastor Jake Van Der Linden
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MAUNDY THURSDAY COMMUNION SERVICE

April 17, 2025, 7:00 PM

Prelude

Greetings and prayer

Congregants travel to 6 stations around the Church

Danielle Van Der Linden & Renae Bouza provide instructions
(Song reflections played while people begin/return)

Hymn 125 "Jesus Paid It All"

Hymn 113 "Old Rugged Cross"

Hymn 127 "Hallelujah, What a Savior"

COMMUNION

Time of Silence as we depart



This is an evening of contemplation, a time to remember the sacrifice of our Lord. In respect for those who may be doing business with God this evening, and are meditating on the gift of Christ we will be silent following our worship this evening.



SONGS FOR REFLECTION

"Last Words" (Tenebrae) by Andrew Peterson

Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do

Forgive them, they know not what they do

Today you will be with me in Paradise. You will be with me today.

Behold your son, behold your mother, behold your son

My God, my God, why have you forsaken me? Why have you forsaken me?

I thirst, I thirst. It is finished, it is finished.

Father, into your hands, into your hands, I commit my spirit.

(Writers: Ben Shive, Andrew Peterson)

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“Well Done, Good and Faithful” by Andrew Peterson

VERSE: Why has my God, my soul forsook, nor will a smile afford

Thus, David once in anguish spoke and thus our dying Lord
Oh, it's Your chief delight to dwell among Your praising saints
And yet You hear us groan as well and pity our complaints
Our fathers trusted in Your name and great deliverance found
But he's a worm, despised of men who trot him to the ground
Men shake their heads and pass him by and laugh his soul to scorn
“In vain he trusts in God,” they cry, neglected and forlorn
But You are he who formed his flesh by Your own mighty word
And since he hung upon the breast, his hope was in the Lord
Why would his father hide his face when foes stand threatening 'round?
In his dark hour of deep distress and not a helper found
PRE-CHORUS: *Why, oh why, my God? Why, oh why, my God?*
CHORUS: *For the joy set before him, he endured*
And is seated at the right hand of the throne

Well done, good and faithful, well done. Well done, good and faithful one.

VERSE: Behold Your dear one left alone with the cruel and the proud
As mighty bulls so fierce and strong, as lions roaring loud
For mirth and hell and sorrows meet to multiply the pain
They nail his hands, they pierce his feet and mock him yet again.
Yet if Your sovereign hand let loose a rage in earth and hell
Why would my Heavenly Father bruise the son He loved so well?
He prayed in dark Gethsemane, “Withhold this bitter cup”
But he resigned his will to Thee and drank the sorrows up
Our Savior cried with David's grief, “In groans I waste my breath
Thy hand has brought me down beneath the bitter dust of death”
And then he gave his spirit up to trust it in Your hand
His dying flesh reposed in hope, to rise at Your command.

PRE-CHORUS...

CHORUS...

(Writers: Andrew Peterson, Aedan Peterson)

“Always Good” by Andrew Peterson

Do You remember how Mary was grieving? How You wept and she fell at Your feet?
If it's true that You know what I'm felling, could it be that You're weeping with me?

Arise, O Lord, and save me. There's nowhere else to go.

You're always good, always good. Somehow this sorrow is shaping my heart like it
should. And You're always good, always good.

Well it's so hard to know what You're doing. Why won't You tell it all plain?

But You said You'd come back on the third day, and Peter missed it again and again.

So maybe the answer surrounds us, but we don't have eyes to see.

That You're always good, always good. This heartache is moving me closer than joy
ever could. And You're always good.

My God, my God, be near me. There's nowhere else to go.

And Lord, if You can hear me, please help Your child to know.

That You're always good, always good. As we try to believe what is not meant to be
understood. Will You help us to trust Your intentions for us are still good.

'Cause You laid down Your life. And You suffered like I never could.

You're always good, always good. You're always good, always good.

(Writer: Andrew Peterson)

“God Rested” by Andrew Peterson

VERSE: So they took His body down

The man who said He was the resurrection and the life

Was lifeless on the ground now

The sky was red as blood along the blade of night

As the sabbath fell they shrouded Him in linen

They dressed Him like a wound

The rich man and the women

They laid Him in the tomb

CHORUS: *Six days shall you labor*

The seventh is the Lord's

In six He made the earth and all the heavens

But He rested on the seventh

God rested

He said that it was finished

In the seventh day He blessed it

God rested.

VERSE: So they laid their hopes away

They buried all their dreams above the kingdom He proclaimed

And they sealed them in the grave

As a holy silence fell on all Jerusalem

But the Pharisees were restless

Pilate had no peace

And Peter's heart was reckless

Mary couldn't sleep

HOOK: *But God rested*

CHORUS: *Six days shall you labor*

The seventh is the Lord's

In six He made the earth and all the heavens

But He rested on the seventh

God rested

He worked 'til it was finished

In the seventh day, He blessed it

He said that It was good

And the seventh day, He blessed it

God rested

The sun went down

The sabbath faded

The holy day was done and all creation waited.

(Writers: Andrew Peterson)