

East Stroudsburg Presbyterian Church  
**MAUNDY THURSDAY**  
**April 6, 2023 – 6:00 p.m.**

PRELUDE                    “O Sacred Head, Now Wounded”                    ARR. CHUCK SINCLAIR

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Our help is in the name of the Lord

**P: Who made heaven and earth.**

L: Jesus said: “I give you a new commandment that you love one another.”

**P: Just as he loved us, we also should love one another.**

L: On this day

**P: Christ took a towel and washed the disciples’ feet, giving us an example that we should do to others as he had done to us.**

L: On this day

**P: Christ, the Lamb of God, gave himself into the hands of those who would slay Him.**

L: Christ, our God, gave us the holy feast,

**ALL: that we who would eat the bread and drink the cup, may proclaim His holy sacrifice and be partakers of His resurrection and at the last day may reign with Him in heaven!**

HYMN NO. 220                    “Go to Dark Gethsemane”

PRAYER

**Jesus, You have washed our feet; now empower us to wash the feet of those we do not understand. You have fed us with spiritual food; now strengthen us to feed those we cannot love on our own. You allowed yourself to be crucified; now enable us to go with you. Amen.**

HYMN NO. 31                    “Let Us With A Gladsome Mind”

SCRIPTURE LESSON

*John 13: 12-35 (Pg. 107)*

HOMILY                    “Traditions?”                    Pastor Nicki

SPECIAL MUSIC                    “Go to Dark Gethsemane”                    ARR. CINDY BERRY  
Linda Schaller – Piano

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

INVITATION

WORD OF INSTITUTION

SHARING THE MEAL

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

\*THE LORD’S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen**

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SOLO                    “Were You There?”                    Rick Sanker

At the conclusion of the service, please leave in silence.

