

COMMUNION HYMN:
324 – SWEET SACRAMENT DIVINE

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ,
we thank you that in this wonderful
sacrament
you have given us the memorial of your
passion:
grant us so to reverence the sacred
mysteries
of your body and blood
that we may know within ourselves
and show forth in our lives
the fruit of your redemption,
for you are alive and reign, now and for ever.
Amen.

After the meal Jesus and his disciples sung
a hymn and then went out to the Mount of
Olives.

HYMN:

316 – Now my tongue the mystery telling
*We remember Jesus moving to the
garden of Gethsemane*

GOSPEL OF THE WATCH: Matt 26: 36-46

STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR

Choir sing Psalm 88

*Congregation watch and wait, then leave in
silence.*



St Mary's Lapworth

MAUNDY THURSDAY



GATHERING HYMN:

131 - Blessed by the Sun the Olive Tree

*During the hymn the oils blessed by the
Bishop at the mornings Chrism Mass are
processed into church and laid on the altar.*

In the name of the Father, ✠
and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,
The love of God,
And the fellowship of the Holy Spirit
Be with you
and also with you.

Informal Introduction to the service

PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Our Lord Jesus Christ says:
'If you love me, keep my commandments.'
'Unless I wash you, you have no part in me.'
Let us confess to almighty God our sins
against his love,
and ask him to cleanse us.

**Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
and against our neighbour
in thought and word and deed,**

through negligence, through weakness,
through our own deliberate fault.

We are truly sorry

and repent of all our sins.

For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,

who died for us,

forgive us all that is past

and grant that we may serve you in

newness of life

to the glory of your name. Amen.

Have mercy on us, O God,
in your great goodness;
according to the abundance of your
compassion
blot out our offences.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

Against you only have we sinned
and done what is evil in your sight.

Christ, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy.

Purge us from our sin and we shall be clean;
wash us and we shall be whiter than snow.

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

May the Father forgive *you* ✠
by the death of his Son
and strengthen *you*
to live in the power of the Spirit
all *your* days.

Amen.

GLORIA

During the singing of the Gloria a bell is rung

**Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.**

Lord God, heavenly King,

almighty God and Father,

we worship you, we give you thanks,

we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,

Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take away the sin of the world:

have mercy on us;

LORD'S PRAYER

Let us pray with confidence as our Saviour
has taught us

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 trespasses,

**as we forgive those who trespass against
us.**

And lead us not into temptation;

but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom,

the power and the glory,

for ever and ever.

Amen.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

We break this bread
to share in the body of Christ.

**Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share in one bread.**

THE INVITATION

Jesus is the Lamb of God
who takes away the sin of the world.
Blessed are those who are called to his
supper.

**Lord, I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word, and I shall be
healed.**

**Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.**

**Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.**

who, in the same night that he was betrayed,
took bread and gave you thanks;
he broke it and gave it to his disciples,
saying:
Take, eat; this is my body which is given for
you; do this in remembrance of me.

In the same way, after supper
he took the cup and gave you thanks;
he gave it to them, saying:
Drink this, all of you;
this is my blood of the new covenant,
which is shed for you and for many for the
forgiveness of sins.
Do this, as often as you drink it,
in remembrance of me.

Therefore, heavenly Father,
we remember his offering of himself
made once for all upon the cross;
we proclaim his mighty resurrection and
glorious ascension;
we look for the coming of your kingdom,
and with this bread and this cup
we make the memorial of Christ your Son
our Lord.

Great is the mystery of faith:
Christ has died:
Christ is risen:
Christ will come again.

Accept through him, our great high priest,
this our sacrifice of thanks and praise,
and as we eat and drink these holy gifts
in the presence of your divine majesty,
renew us by your Spirit,
inspire us with your love
and unite us in the body of your Son,
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Through him, and with him, and in him,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
with all who stand before you in earth and
heaven, we worship you, Father almighty,
in songs of everlasting praise:

**Blessing and honour
and glory and power
be yours for ever and ever. Amen.**

**you are seated at the right hand
of the Father:
receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father.
Amen.**

COLLECT

God our Father,
you have invited us to share in the supper
which your Son gave to his Church
to proclaim his death until he comes:
may he nourish us by his presence,
and unite us in his love;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING:
Exodus 12: 1-14

EPISTLE:
1 Cor 11: 23-26

GRADUAL HYMN:
313 - My God and is thy table spread

GOSPEL READING

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to John.
Glory to you, O Lord.

John 13.1-17, 31b-35

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON

THE WASHING OF FEET

Lord Jesus Christ,
you have taught us
that what we do for the least of our brothers
and sisters
we do also for you:
give us the will to be the servant of others
as you were the servant of all,
and gave up your life and died for us,
but are alive and reign, now and for ever.
Amen.

INTERCESSIONS

PEACE

Jesus says: 'Peace I leave with you; my
peace I give to you. Do not let your hearts be
troubled, neither let them be afraid.'
The peace of the Lord be always with you
and also with you.

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

OFFORTORY HYMN:

318 – O Lord who at thy Eucharist didst pray



PRAYER OF PREPARATION

Jesus, true vine and bread of life,
ever giving yourself that the world might live,
let us share your death and passion:
make us perfect in your love. **Amen.**

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER A WITH SHORT PREFACE MAUNDY THURSDAY

The Lord is here.
His Spirit is with us.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give thanks and praise.

It is indeed right,
it is our duty and our joy,
at all times and in all places
to give you thanks and praise,
holy Father, heavenly King,
almighty and eternal God,
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

And now we give you thanks
because, having loved his own who were in
the world,
he loved them to the end;
and on the night before he suffered,
sitting at table with his disciples,
he instituted these holy mysteries,
that we, redeemed by his death
and restored to life by his resurrection,
might be partakers of his divine nature.

Therefore with angels and archangels,
and with all the company of heaven,
we proclaim your great and glorious name,
for ever praising you and saying:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of
the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

Accept our praises, heavenly Father,
through your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ,
and as we follow his example and obey his
command, grant that by the power of your
Holy Spirit these gifts of bread and wine
may be to us his body and his blood;