



Maundy Thursday Communion

April 17, 2014 • 7:00 p.m.

The Organ Prelude – O Sacred Head, Sore Wounded Brahms
Mrs. Laura Lowe, guest Organist

The Choral Call to Worship WONDROUS LOVE
 What wondrous love is this, O my soul?
 That caused the Lord of bliss to bear the dreadful curse,
 What wondrous love is this, O my soul?

The Scriptural Call to Worship The Rev. J. Josiah Jones, *Pastor*

The Prayer of Invocation

† **The Hymn No. 422 (*Trinity Hymnal*)** ROCKINGHAM OLD
 'Twas on That Night When Doomed to Know

† **The Nicene Creed** *Trinity Hymnal*, page 846

† **The Doxology** OLD HUNDREDTH
 Praise God from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
 Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Old Testament Reading..... Isaiah 51:17-23

The Response – Pastor: This is the Word of God. **People:** Thanks be to Thee, O God.

The Offering and the Prayer of Dedication

The Offertory AnthemMason, arr. Martin

When I survey the wondrous cross on which the Prince of glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss, and pour contempt on all my pride.
Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, save in the death of Christ, my God!
All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to His blood.
See, from His head, His hands, His feet, sorrow and love flow mingled down!
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, or thorns compose so rich a crown?
Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small;
Love, so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all! Amen!

The New Testament Reading..... Matthew 26:36-46

The Response – Pastor: This is the Gospel of Christ. **People:** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

The Sermon – OUR SAVIOR’S CUP..... Rev. Jones

† **The Communion Hymn No. 92 (*Family Songs*)**CROSS OF JESUS

For the Bread, which Thou Hast Broken

The Sacrament of the Lord’s Table

† **Closing Hymn No. 246 (*Trinity Hymnal*)**HALLELUJAH! WHAT A SAVIOR!

Man of Sorrows! What a Name

† **The Benediction**

The Organ Postlude – Ah, Dearest Jesu, How Hast Thou OffendedBrahms

Holy Week Service Schedule

Good Friday Noonday Service

Including a duet by Dr. Nabholz and the Rev. Jones, and Dr. Oliver preaching from John 19:1-37: “The Interposition of Christ”

Good Friday Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.

Sarah Manthei Keister, guest soloist, and the Rev. Mantle Nance preaching from 1 Peter 2:24, “Ultimate Questions about Good Friday”

Resurrection Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Joyful music of the choir and organ, and the Rev. Jones preaching from Romans 6:1-14, “The Sanctifying Effects of the Resurrection”

Tenth Anniversary Resurrection Festival Service

5:30 p.m. (in the Sanctuary) – “The Poetry of George Herbert and Vaughan Williams’ ‘Five Mystical Songs,’” presented by Mrs. Ilona Law, Senior Instructor of English, University of South Carolina–Aiken.

6:00 p.m. – The choir with orchestra in music of Vaughan Williams and Rutter, with guest soloist, Eric Kessler; and the Rev. Jones preaching from 1 Peter 1:3-9, “Living Hope!”