

Welcome! Warm greetings and love in Christ are extended to all members and guests.

*If you presently have no church home,  
we hope you will consider making Loch Raven Church your home.*

Thank you for signing the pew registration book.

*(Addresses, phone numbers, & email addresses help us to personally thank you for your visit.)*

Please call the Church Office if you have any questions or if we can be of assistance to you.

**Large print bulletins are available. See an usher.**

### Church Calendar for Holy Week

Friday		<i>Church Office closed</i>	
	7:00 PM	<b>Good Friday Worship Service</b> <i>Cantata – Once Upon a Tree</i>	Sanctuary
Saturday	10:30 AM	<b>Community Easter Egg Hunt</b>	LRUMC Lawn
Sunday	6:30 AM	<b>Easter Sunrise Worship</b>	Front Lawn
	followed by	<b>Breakfast</b>	Fellowship Hall
	9:00 AM	<b>Sunday School (for all ages)</b>	
	10:00 AM	<b>Easter Traditional Worship</b>	Sanctuary

**MINISTERS & EVANGELISTS:** The People of Loch Raven United Methodist Church

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## Maundy Thursday

April 18, 2019

7:00 PM

Very truly, I tell you,  
servants are not greater than  
their master, nor are  
messengers greater than the  
one who sent them.

John 13:16, NRSV



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# The Order of Worship

**GATHERING THOUGHT:** Friends, let us be servants of one another. Let us break bread and share in this gift of love.

## GATHERING

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** *In Memory, Lord, of Thee* Southbridge

**Lighting of the Altar Candles**

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

*Leader:* God's love has called us here.

*People:* **We come in the shelter of love.**

*Leader:* Christ's service guides our steps.

*People:* **We come in the service of God.**

*Leader:* The Spirit's presence welcomes us all.

*People:* **We come in the promise of blessing and renewal.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *Jesu, Jesu* UMH 432

## OPENING PRAYER *(seated and in unison)*

Loving Christ, on this night of remembrance, we remember your loving gift of life, and we celebrate your presence amongst us. Send your Holy Spirit upon us, that we may sense your presence and bathe in your grace. Send your Holy Spirit on the sacred gifts of bread, wine, water, and towel, that they may become for us your living presence, full of mercy and grace. In your loving name, we pray. Amen.

ANTHEM *He Never Said a Mumbling Word*  
Helen Blakey, soloist

## \*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Have mercy on us, O God. Where depression lingers, grant us hope. Where fear threatens, grant us comfort. Where strength fails, give us courage. Where faithfulness wanes, grant us endurance. Where sin invades, grant us forgiveness. Shine upon us with your love and grace, O God. In your blessed name, we pray. Amen.

FIRST LESSON *Exodus 12:1-14* Pew Bible p. 51

SECOND LESSON *John 13:1-17, 31b-35* Pew Bible p. 876,877

HYMN OF PREPARATION *I Love You, Lord* TFWS 2068

SERMON Rev. George Winkfield

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION UMH p. 15

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT *Were You There* UMH 288

## THE STRIPPING OF THE ALTAR

*As the sanctuary is stripped of adornment,  
please sing "Glorify Thy Name" TFWS 2016.  
Repeat until all items have been removed.*

## \*THE SENDING FORTH



*\*Please rise if you are able*

**Bold print: in unison**

TFWS: *The Faith We Sing* UMH: *U.M. Hymnal* W&S: *Worship and Song*

*Offering plates are available  
in the front and rear of the Sanctuary.*