



Holy Week 2018 at Christ Episcopal Church

PALM SUNDAY (The Sunday of the Passion)

The liturgy of the palms is the entrance rite for the service. The congregation gathers at the church and processes after the blessing of the branches of palm or other trees. The liturgy of the palms includes a reading of one of the gospel accounts of Jesus' entrance into Jerusalem.

SUNDAY
MARCH 25, 2018

8:00 AM
10:30 AM

TENEBRAE SERVICE

The distinctive ceremonial of Tenebrae includes use of fifteen lighted candles, often set on a special, triangular stand. One candle is extinguished as each of the fourteen appointed psalms is completed. The fifteenth candle, symbolic of Christ, is left lighted at the end of the final psalm.

WEDNESDAY
MARCH 28, 2018

7:00 PM

MAUNDY THURSDAY

The ceremony of washing feet was also referred to as "the Maundy." Maundy Thursday celebrations also commemorate the institution of the Eucharist by Jesus "on the night he was betrayed."

THURSDAY
MARCH 29, 2018

7:00 PM

GOOD FRIDAY

The Friday before Easter Day, on which the church commemorates the crucifixion of Jesus. It is a day of fasting and special acts of discipline and self-denial.

FRIDAY
MARCH 30, 2018

12:00 PM
7:00 PM

EASTER VIGIL

The primary celebration, the Great Vigil, begins in darkness, with the lighting of the Pascal candle, with scripture and prayer.

SATURDAY
MARCH 31, 2018

7:00 PM

EASTER SUNDAY

The Feast of Christ's resurrection.

SUNDAY
APRIL 1, 2018

8:00 AM
10:30 PM



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