Prayer for Illumination

Gracious God, open our hearts and minds to Your Word. Help us recognize Your presence in ordinary moments, see Your grace in the people around us, and respond with love in all we do. Amen.

John 13:1–17 NRSVUE

1 Now before the festival of the Passover, Jesus knew that his hour had come to depart from this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. 2 The devil had already decided that Judas son of Simon Iscariot would betray Jesus. And during supper 3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands and that he had come from God and was going to God, 4 got up from supper, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. 5 Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was tied around him. 6 He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" 7 Jesus answered, "You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand." 8 Peter said to him, "You will never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no share with me." 9 Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!" 10 Jesus said to him, "One who has bathed does not need to wash, except for the feet, but is entirely clean. And you are clean, though not all of you." 11 For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, "Not all of you are clean." 12 After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had reclined again, he said to them, "Do you know what I have done to you? 13 You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for that is what I am. 14 So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. 15 For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. 16 Very truly, I tell you, slaves are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. 17 If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.

This is the Word of God for the People of God!

Thanks Be to God!

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†OPENING PRAISE SONG *"Let God Arise"* **Lighthouse Praise Band**

CHILDREN'S TIME Noisy Pots Benefiting Holiday Gift Cards

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PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS



OFFERTORY SONG *"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER **On Screen**

CENTERING SONG *"He is Exalted"* **On Screen**

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INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

†CLOSING SONG *"Shine Jesus Shine"* **On Screen**

†DISMISSAL WITH BLESSINGS



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PRELUDE **Tanya Stegall, Accompanist**

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†OPENING HYMN UMH #559 *"Christ is Made the Sure Foundation"* **On Screen**

†STATEMENT OF FAITH FROM THE CHURCH OF CANADA **On Screen**

†GLORIA PATRI UMH #70 *"Glory Be to The Father"* **On Screen**

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OFFERTORY **Tanya Stegall, Accompanist**

†DOXOLOGY UMH #94 *"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"* **On Screen**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER **On Screen**

CHORAL ANTHEM *"Angels All Around"* **Chancel Choir**

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†CLOSING HYMN UMH #557 *"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"* **On Screen**

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POSTLUDE **Tanya Stegall, Accompanist**

Chancel Choir

Nick Lopez, Director. Kay Carlson & Tanya Stegall, Accompanists

Dean Atkinson, Jamey Mobley, Barbara Mobley, David Tiner, Roylene Tiner, Kay Carlson, Gail McCleese, Anne Mott, Jeannie Cluiss, Terri Guinn, Susan Wayne, Pam Jorgensen, Fred Miller, Jason Dykehouse, Bill Kinney