

## WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT MCFARLAND UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST!

April 14, 2022 ☩ Maundy Thursday

*\*Indicates please rise, in body or spirit.*

### OPENING WORDS OF WELCOME

***Whoever you are, wherever you are on life's journey, you are welcome here!*** McFarland UCC is Open and Affirming to people of all ages, races, physical and mental abilities, economic positions, religious backgrounds, sexual orientations and gender identities. We celebrate and share God's unconditional love by offering the opportunity for membership, fellowship and leadership to everyone.

### OPENING PRAYER *(unison)*

### OPENING HYMN

*"Won't You Let Me Be Your Servant" #539 NCH*

*Won't you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you?  
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.*

*We are pilgrims on a journey, we are travelers on the road;  
We are here to help each other go the mile and bear the load.*

*I will hold the Christ-light for you in the shadow of your fear;  
I will hold my hand out to you, speak the peace you long to hear.*

*I will weep when you are weeping; when you laugh, I'll laugh with you.  
I will share your joy and sorrow till we've see this journey through.*

*When we sing to God in heaven we shall find such harmony,  
Born of all we've known together of Christ's love and agony.*

*Won't you let me be your servant, let me be as Christ to you?  
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.*

### THE PASSOVER MEAL

Art & Reflections

**SCRIPTURE READING:** John 13:1-17

**THE BETRAYAL**

Art

Questions to ponder

**THE FOOT WASHING**

Art

Hymn

*“Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love” #498 NCH*

*Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love,  
show us how to serve  
the neighbors we have from you.*

*Kneels at the feet of his friends,  
silently washes their feet,  
Jesu, you acted as servant to them. [Refrain]*

*Neighbors are rich and poor,  
varied in color and race,  
neighbors are near and far away. [Refrain]*

*These are the ones we should serve,  
these are the ones we should love;  
all these are neighbors to us and you. [Refrain]*

*Loving puts us on our knees,  
showing our faith by our deeds,  
serving the neighbors we have from you. [Refrain]*

*Kneel at the feet of our friends,  
silently washing their feet,  
this is the way we should live with you. [Refrain]*

**THE GARDEN OF GETHSEMANE**

Art & Reflections

Questions to ponder

**THE HOUR HAS COME**

Art & Reflections  
Jesus's final healing miracle

**PETER'S DENIAL**

Art & Reflections  
Our own denial

**SONG**

*"Broken Body of Christ"*  
*By The Many (video)*

**THE SHARING OF COMMUNION**

**THE PRAYER OF JESUS**

**CLOSING SONG**

*"God's Love Will Hold Us"*  
*(video)*