

<sup>12</sup> After he had washed their feet, had put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them,

'Do you know what I have done to you? <sup>13</sup> You call me Teacher and Lord - and you are right, for that is what I am. <sup>14</sup> So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. <sup>15</sup> For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you. <sup>16</sup> Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them.

<sup>17</sup> If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them. <sup>31</sup> Now the Son of Man has been glorified, and God has been glorified in him. <sup>32</sup> If God has been glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself and will glorify him at once. <sup>33</sup> Little children, I am with you only a little longer. You will look for me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, "Where I am going, you cannot come."

<sup>34</sup> I give you a new commandment, that you love one another. Just as I have loved you, you also should love one another. <sup>35</sup> By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.'

### **Post-communion**

Lord Jesus Christ, we thank you that in this wonderful sacrament you have given us the memorial of your passion: grant us so to reverence the sacred mysteries of your body and blood that we may know within ourselves and show forth in our lives the fruit of your redemption, for you are alive and reign, now and for ever.

# Thursday 1st April 2021

## Maundy Thursday

### 7.00 p.m.

#### Service: Holy Communion

No Hymns

## Welcome to St. Saviour's Church

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**Vicar:**

The Revd. Dorothy Stewart

**Churchwardens:**

Mrs. Grace Studholme;

Mr. Patrick Preston

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**Children in Church**

Children are most welcome to our services.

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**Refreshments.**

Sadly, we are unable to provide refreshments after the service

*Please take this service sheet home with you*

### **Collect of the Day** Maundy Thursday

God our Father, you have invited us to share in the supper which your Son gave to his Church to proclaim his death until he comes: may he nourish us by his presence, and unite us in his love; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### **Exodus 12.1-4, 11-14**

<sup>1</sup> The Lord said to Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt: This month shall mark for you the beginning of months; it shall be the first month of the year for you. <sup>3</sup> Tell the whole congregation of Israel that on the tenth of this month they are to take a lamb for each family, a lamb for each household. <sup>4</sup> If a household is too small for a whole lamb, it shall join its closest neighbour in obtaining one; the lamb shall be divided in proportion to the number of people who eat of it.

<sup>11</sup> This is how you shall eat it: your loins girded, your sandals on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and you shall eat it hurriedly. It is the passover of the LORD. <sup>12</sup> For I will pass through the land of Egypt that night, and I will strike down every firstborn in the land of Egypt, both human beings and animals; on all the gods of Egypt I will execute judgements: I am the LORD.

<sup>13</sup> The blood shall be a sign for you on the houses where you live: when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and no plague shall destroy you when I strike the land of Egypt. <sup>14</sup> This day shall be a day of remembrance for you. You shall celebrate it as a festival to the LORD; throughout your generations you shall observe it as a perpetual ordinance.

### **1 Corinthians 11.23-26**

Beloved:

<sup>23</sup> I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, <sup>24</sup> and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, 'This is my

body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.'

<sup>25</sup> In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood.

Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.'

<sup>26</sup> For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

### **Gospel Acclamation**

Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory.

I give you a new commandment says the Lord: Love one another as I have loved you.

**Praise to you O Christ, King of eternal glory.**

### **John 13.1-17,31b-35**

<sup>1</sup> 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. <sup>2</sup> The devil had already put it into the heart of Judas son of Simon Iscariot to betray him. And during supper <sup>3</sup> Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, <sup>4</sup> got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. <sup>5</sup> 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. <sup>6</sup> He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, 'Lord, are you going to wash my feet?'

<sup>7</sup> Jesus answered, 'You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand.'

<sup>8</sup> Peter said to him, 'You will never wash my feet.'

Jesus answered, 'Unless I wash you, you have no share with me.'

<sup>9</sup> Simon Peter said to him, 'Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!'

<sup>10</sup> 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.' <sup>11</sup> For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said,

'Not all of you are clean.'