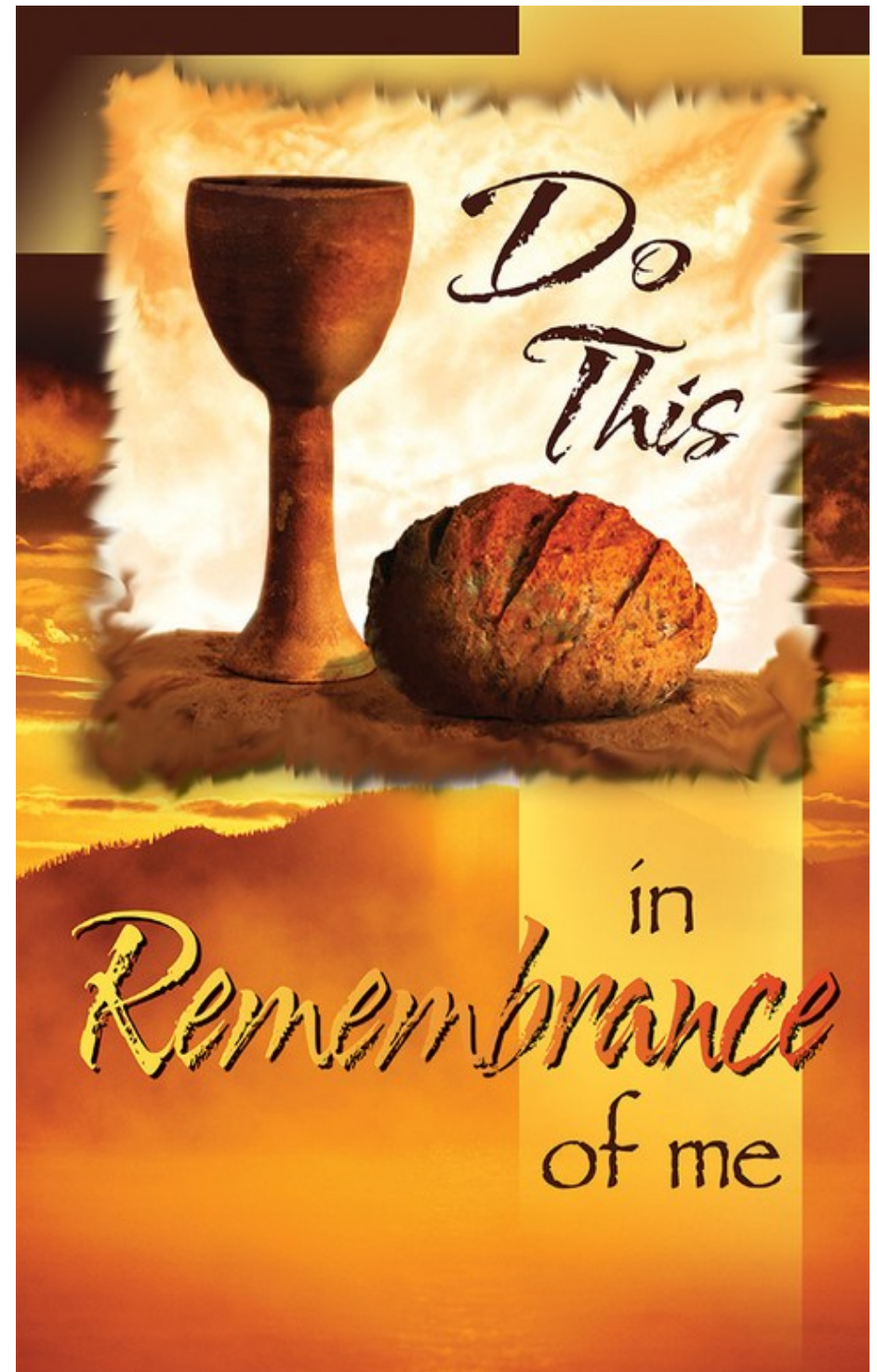


God's Blessings to **Landon Carlblom** as tonight he receives the bread and wine of Holy Communion for the first time. In honor of this milestone in his faith life, he and his family will commune first.



This evening our Lenten observance comes to an end, and we gather with Christians around the world to celebrate the Three Days of Jesus' death and resurrection. Tonight we remember Christ's last meal with his disciples, but the central focus is his commandment that we live out the promise embodied in this meal. As Jesus washed his disciples' feet, so we are called to give and receive love in humble service to one another. Formed into a new body in Christ through this holy meal, we are transformed by the mercy we have received and carry it into the world. Departing worship in solemn silence, we anticipate the coming days.



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April 2, 2026— Maundy Thursday

WELCOME TO WORSHIP! Welcome to you who are visitors among us; please sign our guest book, take a “Welcome” bag home, and do come worship with us again. *To those of you looking for a church home, we invite you to join this community of faith, as we seek to grow and serve in God’s grace and love.*

***Please stand, in body or spirit.**

Large print bulletins are available at the back table.

“Busy Bags” for small children’s use during Worship on back hand rail.

GATHERING

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Invitation to Confession

Our Confession & God’s Forgiveness: p. 258-259 ELW

Individual Absolution

You may come forward and stand/kneel at the Altar rail for Absolution with the laying on of hands. **(C: Amen.)**

Silent Prayer

Hymn: “Just as I Am” #592 ELW

Greeting & Prayer of the Day (Today’s Readings insert)

WORD

First Reading: Exodus 12:1-14

Responsive Psalm Reading: Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19

Second Reading: I Corinthians 11:23-26

***Gospel Acclamation:** p. 205 ELW

***Gospel Reading:** John 13:1-17, 31b-35

***Responses:** “Glory to you, O LORD”/ “Praise to you, O Christ.”

Sermon

Hymn of the Day: “What Feast of Love” #487 ELW

Prayers of Intercession (Hear us, O God... **Your mercy is great**)

MEAL

Our Tithes/Offerings to God

***Offertory Hymn:** “Create In Me” #188 ELW

***Offertory Prayer**

***The Great Thanksgiving** p. 206-208 ELW

***Lord’s Prayer**

Holy Communion (Kneel or stand at Communion rail)



All are welcome to join us in celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion, believing the Risen Christ is present with us in the bread and wine, assuring us of GOD’s love and forgiveness.

Please receive the bread in your hand and place your empty cup in the side basket. Gluten-free bread/juice are available. To be served in your pew, please raise your hand after pianist is served.

Post-Communion Prayer

SENDING

Hymn: “O Sacred Head, Now Wounded” #351 ELW

“Stripping of the Altar” Psalm 22

All depart in silence

Join us for...

Good Friday, April 3: **12 p.m.** Community Worship @ Our Savior’s Lutheran Church

6:30 p.m. Good Friday Worship @ TLC



Easter Sunday, April 5:

8:30 a.m. Fellowship (muffins, coffee, juice)

9:30 a.m. Worship/Holy Communion @ TLC

Our “THANKS!” to those who serve today:

Pastor: Rev. Diane Krumm **Accompanist:** Amy Anderson

Scripture reader/Communion Assistant: Boyd Westman

Special reader: Diane Kracht

Ushers: Roger & Rochelle Triebold