



Holy Week Services and Events

- **PALM SUNDAY, March 28, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. (please note the service times)**

Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra present selections from the beautiful and ethereal *Lux Aeterna* by Morten Lauridsen. The Reverends Gary Miller, Peter Grandy and Erica Thompson will be preaching on the texts presented in this 21st century requiem that focuses on hope and light. A beautiful start to your Holy Week observances. During the 10:30 a.m. service children will begin the morning in worship with their families and recess out of the sanctuary for a special Spirit Hill program. The Easter story will be told thoughtfully and creatively through art, drama, and meal preparation. All Spirit Hill children can be picked up in the chapel at the conclusion of the worship service.

Pancake Brunch – 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon in Drew Hall. \$5.00 for an individual, \$20.00 max. per family. All proceeds support the youth of AHCC going on the mission trip to Galveston, Texas in April. Please come, eat, fellowship, and support our young people!

Chamber Concert – 4:00 p.m. *Lux Aeterna* by Morten Lauridsen will be presented in its entirety as the AHCC choir is joined by the choir from Immanuel Congregational church and orchestra under the direction of Steven Mitchell.

- **MAUNDY THURSDAY, April 1, 7:00 p.m.**

Amid the softness of candlelight and the haunting melodies of the beautiful chants of the Taizé community of France, experience the depth and wonder of Maundy Thursday. Rev. Peter Grandy leads the service.

- **GOOD FRIDAY, April 2, 12:00 noon – 3:10 p.m.**

Journey of the Passion. Participants from the Asylum Hill Christian community process from church to church (7 in all) in the Asylum Hill neighborhood as brothers and sisters in faith. We begin at Trinity Episcopal Church, 120 Sigourney Street, and conclude at Immanuel Congregational Church. There will be a brief time of meditation at each site. The procession is scheduled to stop at AHCC at 12:55 p.m. Rev. Erica Thompson will lead the service at AHCC.

7:00 p.m. A service of penitence and confession with Holy Communion. Petitions are placed upon the cross in a dramatic understanding of the crucifixion. Rev. Erica Thompson brings the meditation.

- **EASTER WEEKEND SERVICES**

Holy Saturday, April 3, 5:00 p.m. Easter Vigil service in the chapel. Rev. Gary Miller brings the meditation.

Easter Sunday, April 4, 6:30 a.m. Community sunrise service at Elizabeth Park Overlook. Come greet the Easter dawn. Special music and meditation from community church leadership. Bring your lawn chair – and wear warm clothes.

Easter Sunday, April 4, 8:00 a.m. An Easter Liturgy of Word and Sacrament in the chapel. Rev. Gary Miller leads the service.

Easter Sunday, April 4, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. (please note the service times) Rev. Gary Miller brings the meditation both services; no Spirit Hill.