

**Departing**

\*HYMN

*Sent forth by God's blessing*

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\*BENEDICTION

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\*Congregation stands in body or spirit.



**Serving Today**

Pastor: Rev. Angela Finet

Sound Technician: Dell Boshnaugle

Pianist: Gloria Hess

Thank you to the deacons who served us today.  
All are invited to share in the service of cleanup.

***Love Feast***

*Mountville Church of the Brethren*

*October 5, 2025*

*11:30 a.m.*

# LOVE FEAST

OCTOBER 5, 2025 11:30 A.M.

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## WORDS OF WELCOME INVOCATION

\*HYMN *Be present at our table Lord*

Be present at our table, Lord.  
Be here and ev'rywhere adored.  
These mercies bless and grant that we  
may feast in paradise with thee.

We thank thee, Lord, for this, our food,  
for life, and health, and ev'ry good.  
Let manna to our souls be giv'n  
the bread of life sent down from heav'n.

### Preparing for Love Feast

TIME OF SELF-EXAMINATION  
SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION  
WORDS OF ASSURANCE

Matthew 5:23-24

### Serving One Another

\*HYMN *Here in our upper room* Insert

During supper Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going to God, got up from the table, took off his outer robe, and tied a towel around himself. 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.

Jesus came to Simon Peter who said to him:

**“Lord, are you going to wash my feet?”**

Jesus answered, “You do not know now what I am doing, but later you will understand.”

**“You will never wash my feet.”**

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

**“Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!”**

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.” For he knew who was to betray him; for this reason he said, “Not all of you are clean.”

After he had washed their feet, he put on his robe, and had returned to the table, he said to them, “Do you know what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord – and you are right, for that is what I am.

“So if I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. For I have set you an example, that you also should do as I have done to you.

**“Very truly, I tell you, servants are not greater than their master, nor are messengers greater than the one who sent them. If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them.”**

## INVITATION AND INSTRUCTIONS HAND AND FOOT WASHING

### Gathering Around the Table

PRAYER  
EATING TOGETHER

### Sharing Communion

SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 11:23-26  
INVITATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

The Bread

**The bread which we break is the communion of the body of Christ.**

The Cup

**The cup which we bless is the communion of the blood of Christ.**

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

## Here in our upper room

HOLLEY LM

1 Here in our up - per room with you, a - round your  
 2 As you our bless'd Ex - am - ple, taught, we kneel to  
 3 We share with you the feast of love as hearts are  
 4 With heart, and not with hands a - lone, we keep the

hal - lowed ta - ble, Lord, may we with deep hu -  
 serve our neigh - bor's need, the cleans - ing of your  
 knit in one ac - cord. Oh, may your Spir - it  
 or - di - nance a - new, and through these sa - cred

mil - i - ty ful - fill the pre - cepts of your word.  
 Spir - it sought in heart and mind, in thought and deed.  
 in us move our wills to love you more, dear Lord.  
 sym - bols prove in serv - ing oth - ers we serve you.

## Sent forth by God's blessing

ASH GROVE 66 11. 66 11D

Unison

1 Sent forth by God's bless - ing, our true faith con - fess - ing,  
 2 With praise and thanks - giv - ing to God ev - er - liv - ing

the peo - ple of God from this dwell - ing take leave.  
 the tasks of our ev - 'ry - day life we will face.

The sup - per is end - ed. Oh, now be ex - tend - ed  
 Our faith ev - er shar - ing, in love ev - er car - ing,

the fruits of this ser - vice in all who be - lieve.  
 em - brac - ing the chil - dren of each tribe and race.

Harmony

The fruit of Christ's teach - ing, re - cep - tive souls reach - ing,  
 With your feast you feed us, with your light now lead us,

shall blos - som in ac - tion for God and for all.  
 u - nite us as one in this life that we share.

Unison

His grace did in - vite us, his love shall u - nite us  
 Then may all the liv - ing with praise and thanks - giv - ing

to work for God's king - dom and an - swer his call.  
 give hon - or to Christ and his name that we bear.