

Maundy Thursday Hymn sheet

OPENING

 Love is his word, love is his way, feasting with all, fasting alone, living and dying, rising again; love, only love, is his way.

Chorus Richer than gold is the love of my Lord, better than splendour and wealth.

- Love is his way, love is his mark,
 sharing his last Passover feast,
 Christ at the table, host to the twelve;
 love, only love, is his mark.
- 3 Love is his mark, love is his sign, bread for our strength, wine for our joy, 'This is my body, this is my blood.' Love, only love, is his sign.
- Love is his name, love is his law, hear his command, all who are his: 'Love one another; I have loved you.' Love, only love, is his law.

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GRADUAL

1 From heaven you came, helpless babe, entered our world, your glory veiled; not to be served but to serve, and give your life that we might live.

Refrain This is our God, the Servant King, he calls us now to follow him, to bring our lives as a daily offering of worship to the Servant King.

- There in the garden of tears, my heavy load he chose to bear; his heart with sorrow was torn, 'Yet not my will but yours,' he said.
- 3 Come see his hands and his feet, the scars that speak of sacrifice, hands that flung stars into space, to cruel nails surrendered.
- 4 So let us learn how to serve, and in our lives enthrone him; each other's needs to prefer, for it is Christ we're serving.

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THE WASHING OF THE FEET

Ubi caritas et amor, ubi caritas Deus ibi est.

Living charity and steadfast love, living charity shows the heart of God.

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OFFERTORY

High voices We break this bread

to share in the body of Christ:

Low voices We break this bread

to share in the body of Christ:

All Though we are many,

we are one body, because we all share, we all share in one bread. Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share, we all share in one bread.

High voices We drink this cup

to share in the body of Christ:

Low voices We drink this cup

to share in the body of Christ:

ΑII

Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share, we all share in one cup. Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share, we all share in one cup.

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ANTHEM Elgar: Ave Verum Corpus

THE STRIPPING OF THE SANCTUARY

Stay with me, remain here with me, watch and pray, watch and pray.

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