

Participants Today

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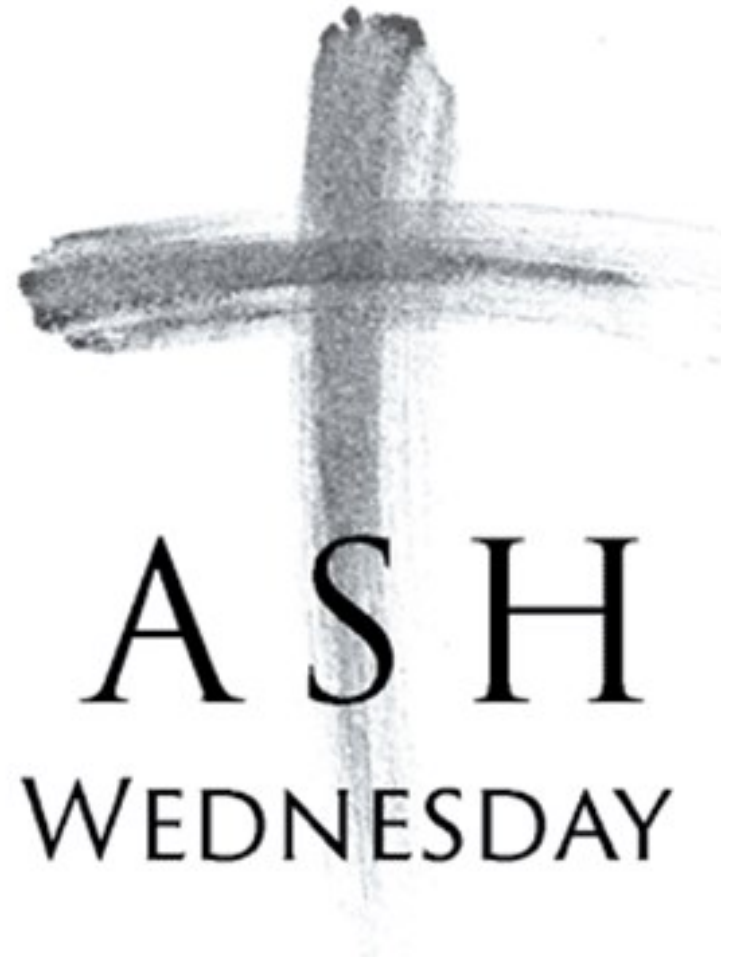
Chancel Choir

Andrew Boag, Don Boyd, Margaret Groninger,
David Houggy, Helen Houggy, Dee Hoyt, June Hurh,
Zelene Hutchison, Fran Jetcyk, Beth Lockwood,
Kelly Lynch, Brian Miller, Scott Miller, Gwen Minshall,
Jerry Minshall, Louise van Mook, Logan Newman,
Jack Oehrle, Ray Overmyer, Wilberta Pickett,
Takako Petek, Audrey Russo, Polly Swanson,
Joanne Welsh, Zachary Wood

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February 22, 2023

7:00 p.m.

**Ash Wednesday Worship
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Prelude Prière (Prayer) for Cello and Organ
Paula Tuttle, 'cello Camille Saint-Saëns

Welcome Rev. Ginger Thomas

Introit Call to Remembrance Richard Farrant
Call to remembrance, O Lord, thy tender mercies and loving kindness, which hath been ever of old. O remember not the sins and offences of my youth, but according to thy mercy think thou on me, O Lord, for thy goodness. (Psalm 25:6-7)

Call to Worship Psalm 51:10-12, 15
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
And put a new and right spirit within me.
Do not cast me away from your presence,
And do not take your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
And sustain in me a willing spirit.
O Lord, open my lips,
And my mouth will declare your praise.

***Hymn 166** Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days St. Flavian

Prayer of Confession
O Lord our God, you call us to work for a world where all will be fed and have dignity, but we find ourselves distracted by our own desires. You call us to seek justice and peace, but we are satisfied with injustice and discord. You call us to bring liberty to the oppressed, but we do not insist on freedom for all. Forgive us, O Lord. Turn us to your will by the power of your Spirit, so that all may know your justice and peace; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

Silence

First Reading Isaiah 58:1-12

Silence

Offering

Offertory Out of the Deep (from Requiem) John Rutter
Out of the deep have I called unto thee, O Lord, hear my voice. O let thine ears consider well the voice of my complaint. If thou, Lord, wilt be extreme to mark what is done amiss; O Lord, who may abide it? For there is mercy with thee; therefore shalt thou be feared. I look for the Lord. My soul doth wait for him, and in his word is my trust. My soul fleeth unto the Lord, before the morning watch I say, before the morning watch. O Israel, trust in the Lord, for with the Lord there is mercy. And with him is plenteous redemption. And he shall redeem Israel from all his sins. (Psalm 130)

Silence

Second Reading Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

Sermon The Dress Rev. Rebecca DePoe

***Hymn 167** Forty Days and Forty Nights Aus der Tiefe rufe ich

Prayer over Ashes

Imposition of Ashes

Hymn 433 Sign Us with Ashes Phoenix
(during the imposition of ashes)

Assurance of Forgiveness
Hear the good news of the gospel:
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven!
Thanks be to God! Amen.

Benediction

Postlude Elegy for Cello and Organ Sam Batt Owens

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You are invited to exit the sanctuary in silence.