

Lent 2021 at Good Shepherd

Ash Wednesday, February 17th

We begin the season of Lent with a reminder both of our mortality and God's enduring love for us.

Ashes To Go in Covid times

Rather than imposing ashes, you are invited to receive a tangible (and safe) sign of this day. Pastor Sue and Pastor Kathy will be out along Foulk Road for prayer and blessing. Watch your email and our Facebook page for specific times for this event.

Lent at Home Kit and Communion Supplies

Like in Advent, we are offering Lent at Home Kits with devotional materials and other things to help us mark this season and enhance our worship in Holy Week. Please stop by Good Shepherd to pick up a Lent at Home Kit and supplies for communion through Lent and Holy Week. 10 am -2 pm

Collection for February at the Garden Cart

Our Donation Cart will gather diapers of all sizes (infant, toddler and adults) to share with our local pantries. Please drop off items between 10 am and 2 pm.

Worship on Zoom for Ash Wednesday, 7 pm

We will gather to begin the Lenten season in worship at 7 pm. We will share Holy Communion at this service.

Sundays in Lent, beginning February 21st

We gather for worship each Sunday at 9:30 am on Zoom. We will celebrate Holy Communion on February 28, March 14 and 28 as well as during Holy Week.

Adult Study: GOD SAYS > we say: How We Rewrite God's Covenant

Sundays at on Zoom following morning worship

This five-week series will use videos prepared by leaders from our Delaware-Maryland Synod Racial Justice Ministry to reflect on the biblical passages in the lectionary for Lent. Each 20 minute video will explore our human tendency to rewrite God's plans, promises, and worldview into something that serves our selfishness or promotes our own understanding of the way things should be.

February 21	Session 1: God says, "blessed." We say, "cursed."	Based on Genesis 9:8-28
February 28	Session 2: God says, "welcome." We make divisions.	Based on Genesis 17
March 7	Session 3: God says, "worship." We say, "profit."	Based on John 2:13-22
March 14	Session 4: God liberates. We turn back to bondage.	Based on Numbers 21:4-9
March 21	Session 5: God says, "forgiven." We say, "Really?"	Based on Jeremiah 31:31-34

Sunday School for students resumes, Sundays at 10:45 am on Zoom

Little Sprouts for Pre-schoolers continues, Sundays at 9 am on Zoom

Wednesdays in Lent: Zoom Gatherings for Lent at Home

7 pm beginning February 24th

Each Wednesday we will come together for a time of conversation, reflection and prayer. We will consider how this is a season of change in our lives, exploring the beloved passage from Ecclesiastes 3 alongside stories from Mark's Gospel that will help us think more deeply about the spiritual practices and disciplines of Lent. All are welcome. We will use the Sunday Worship Zoom link.