

ASH WEDNESDAY WORSHIP 7:00 PM

PRELUDE

WELCOME

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Bless the Lord who forgives all our sins.

People: God's mercy endures forever. Amen.

OPENING PRAYER

O God, maker of every thing and judge of all that you have made, from the dust of the earth you have formed us and from the dust of death you would raise us up. By the redemptive power of the cross, create in us clean hearts and put within us a new spirit, that we may repent of our sins and lead lives worthy of your calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

OPENING HYMN

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

TIME OF REFLECTION AND RECOGNITION OF OFFERING

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Joel 2:1-2, 12-17

HYMN

"Create in me a Clean Heart O God"

MESSAGE

"Grace, Love and Forgiveness"

SERVICE OF ASHES

Invitation

Imposition of Ashes

During the imposition of ashes, the stone will be carried to the front where the sign of the cross will be placed on the stone. You will keep the stone, bring it with you to the Good Friday Service.

Confession And Pardon:

Psalm 51:1-17

Pardon

HYMN

"I Surrender All"