

ASH WEDNESDAY

Worship Service

7:00 PM – WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2016

PRELUDE “He Leadeth Me” William Bradbury

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*HYMN “Fairest Lord Jesus” #97

\*INVOCATION

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

FIRST LESSON 2 Corinthians 5:16 – 21

SECOND LESSON Matthew 6:1-21

LITANY OF CONFESSION

Leader: Jesus, we have sinned.  
We have not loved you with our whole heart.

**People: Jesus, Son of God, have mercy on us.**

Leader: Jesus, we have sinned.  
We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves.

**People: Jesus, Son of God, have mercy on us.**

Leader: Jesus, we have sinned.  
We have denied our need for grace.

**People: Jesus, Son of God, have mercy on us.**

**All: Forgive us, Lord, for we have sinned.  
Thank you for hearing our cries for mercy.**

THE SIGN OF THE ASHES

PRAYER OVER THE ASHES

IMPOSITION OF THE ASHES

*(Those who wish to receive the ashes are invited to come forward.)*

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

SCRIPTURE Psalm 51:1-12

SPECIAL MUSIC “Create in Me” Mary Rice Hopkins

SERMON

HYMN “In the Cross of Christ I Glory” #207

☞ SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION ☛

WORDS OF INSTITUTION Pastor Mark

ELDER’S PRAYERS

THE CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

*All followers of Christ are invited to share in the Lord’s Supper.  
Please partake of the bread as it is passed, but hold the cup  
to be taken in unison.*

\*HYMN “Amazing Grace” #546

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE “Sanctuary” John W. Thompson  
& Randy Scruggs

\*Please Stand.



*The ashes being used in tonight’s service are from palms  
used in previous Palm Sunday processions.*

**Please join us for Sunday Morning Worship**

9:40 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM Worship Service

