



February 18, 2026



grow
cultivating a living faith

Ash Wednesday:
Empty Pots



Welcome to Worship

Walking together on our journey of faith

Hearing Devices available at the tech booth

Prelude

David Hegarty

Meditation on LAND OF REST

Welcome

Rev. Caleb Williams

Hymn

red hymnal 269

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

Introduction to Ash Wednesday

Duet

W. A. Mozart

Ave verum corpus
sung in Latin by Sean Galloway and Ken Young

Hail, true body, born of the Virgin Mary,
Who truly suffered, sacrificed on the Cross for man,
Whose pierced side overflowed with water and blood,
Be for us a foretaste in the test of death.

Ash Wednesday Prayer

Hymn

black songbook 2128

Come and Find the Quiet Center

Scripture

John 12:20-26

Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." Philip went and told Andrew, then Andrew and

Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, “The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain, but if it dies it bears much fruit. Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honor.

Message

Empty Pots

Rev. Caleb Williams

Receiving Ashes

Chancel Choir

Michael Larsen

Create in Me
Create in me a clean heart, O God,
and renew a right spirit within me.
Cast me not away from your presence,
and take not your Holy Spirit from me.
Restore to me the joy of your salvation,
and uphold me with your free spirit.

Hymn

red hymnal 338

Where He Leads Me

Blessing

Postlude

arr. Robert J. Powell

Forty Days and Forty Nights

Generosity

Giving is an act of worship that also serves our community



Get ready to grow!

It's time for faith to get personal.
This Lent, we're learning how to tend the garden of
our soul and cultivate a living faith.
Each week, we're digging into the means of grace:
daily practices to grow a relationship with Jesus

Soil Feb 22

Seed Mar 1

Water Mar 8

Pruning Mar 15

Fruit Mar 22



Wednesdays in Lent

Starting February 25th

For 5 weeks before Easter,
we're meeting at 5:15 in the
Fellowship Hall on Wednesdays
for Food, Faith, & Fellowship.

Enjoy a free soup dinner,
followed by teaching from
Pastor Caleb on "Meeting
Jesus Again for the First Time."

Then, stay for fellowship or
small group time.



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