

NASSAU PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Ash Wednesday

February 14, 2024

12:00 PM

At the sign ♦ you may stand. Bold text is read or sung in unison.



Gathering

Prelude

Attende Domine

Jeanne Demessieux

"Look down, O Lord, and have mercy,
for we have sinned against you."

♦ Call to Worship

Psalm 34:1, 6, 8

I will bless the Lord at all times;

God's praise shall continually be in my mouth.

This poor soul cried, and was heard by the Lord,
and was saved from every trouble.

O taste and see that the Lord is good;

happy are those who take refuge in God.

Come, let us worship God!

Invitation to the Discipline of Lent

♦ Opening Hymn Lord, Who throughout These Forty Days Printed in back

Prayer of Confession

Merciful God,

who spoke and formed us out of dust,

we confess we have sinned against you.

**We have been indifferent to the needs of our neighbors,
and we have not given thanks for your many blessings.**

In this wilderness season,

help us to repent and turn again to your ways,

so that our lives bear witness

to the life, death, and resurrection of Christ

in all that we say and do. Amen.

Silence

Response

O Lord, Have Mercy

Guarani Melody

Paraguay

Assurance of Forgiveness

Friends in Christ, hear and believe the good news of the Gospel.
In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God.

Proclaiming the Word

Prayer for Illumination

**Loving God,
our dwelling place in all generations,
speak to us by your Holy Spirit,
as we follow Christ into this Lenten season. Amen.**

Solo

Turn Thee to Me
(Psalm 25:16-18,20)

Antonín Dvořák

Turn Thee to me and have mercy,
for I am desolate and sore distressed.
Great are the sorrows of my heart;
bring me out of my distress.
Oh be merciful, look on my sorrow,
see mine affliction and forgive me all my wickedness.
Oh, keep my soul in safety and deliver me.
Let me never be confounded, for my hope is in Thee.

Scripture Lesson

Isaiah 40:1-8

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Sermon

Andrew Scales

Thanksgiving

♦Sermon Hymn

Lamb of God

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The Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Invitation

The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts. **We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give God thanks and praise.

The Words of Institution

Sharing of the Bread & Cup/Imposition of Ashes

Music

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

arr. Michael Burkhardt

Concluding Prayer



Sending

♦ Closing Hymn When I Survey the Wondrous Cross Printed in back

♦ Benediction

Postlude Ah Lord, Forsake Not This Poor Sinner Johann Kuhnau

Preacher

Andrew Scales

Liturgists

Len Scales

Emily Knoth

Grecia Hernandez Perez

Isabella Shutt

Elizabeth Snyder

Musicians

Elem Eley, soloist

Noel Werner, organist

Livestream & Sound

Linda Gilmore

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Lenten Worship

In the Sanctuary unless otherwise indicated.

*Services that will be livestreamed.

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February 14, 12:00 PM*

ISAIAH 40 : 1-8

Lent I (Communion)

Sunday, February 18, 9:15* & 11:00 AM

LUKE 10 : 25-37

Lent II

Sunday, February 25, 9:15* & 11:00 AM

LUKE 8 : 26-39

Lent III

Sunday, March 3, 9:15* & 11:00 AM

LUKE 15

Lent IV

Sunday, March 10, 9:15* & 11:00 AM

ACTS 8 : 26-40

Lenten Communion

Tuesday, March 12, 1:30 PM

at Stonebridge

JOHN 17 : 1,11-13

Lent V (Youth Sunday)

Sunday, March 26, 11:00 AM*

(education for all ages at 9:30 AM)

ACTS 5 : 16-29

Lenten Communion

Tuesday, March 19, 1:30 PM

at Windrows

JOHN 17 : 1,11-13

Palm Sunday

March 24, 9:15* & 11:00 AM

LUKE 7 : 11-17

Service of Wholeness & Healing

March 24, 2:00 PM

Niles Chapel

ROMANS 8 : 26-28

Maundy Thursday (Communion)

March 28, 7:30 PM*

Tenebrae Readings:

MATTHEW 26 : 20-25;

LUKE 22 : 39-44;

MARK 14 : 26-31, 66-72;

MATTHEW 26 : 59-67;

MARK 15 : 12-20; LUKE 23 : 33-46

Good Friday

March 29, 12:00 PM*

The Way of the Cross:

MARK 15 : 1-20;

LUKE 23 : 26-49; JOHN 19:25-29

Easter Sunday

March 31, 6:30 AM

Princeton Cemetery

Easter Sunday

March 31, 9:00 & 11:00 AM*

MARK 16 : 1-18

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