

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

February 11	4:00 p.m.	Frosty Festival Ecumenical Service First United Church – All are welcome!
February 14	7:00 p.m.	Ash Wednesday BAS/HE Imposition of Ashes
February 22	6:00 p.m.	Potluck Supper/Time of Fellowship
March 1	7:00 p.m.	World Day of Prayer Service at Our Lady of Families Church
March 10	12 noon 11 a.m. service.	AGM to be held immediately following the (Alternate date is Sunday, March 17.)

WEDNESDAY'S IN LENT

Lenten Services/Bible Study (Beginning Feb. 21/2024)

- **Bible Study** will be held every Wednesday morning at **10:30 a.m.** The theme will be **"Followers of Jesus."** There are five studies which look at the New Testament characters who encountered Jesus at a point in their lives and the effect that encounter had upon them. If you are interested in attending, please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the entrance of the church or call the office.
- **Lenten Services** will be held every Wednesday evening at **7:00 p.m.** Our guest preacher will be **Reverend Joleen Peters**. The service will be BCP Service of Compline. Our mid-week Lenten series theme is **"Silent Witnesses"**- What testimony would be given if things could speak! Each week we will look at objects related to the crucifixion and hear their testimony.
 - **Week one:** **The Thorn**
 - **Week two:** **The Robe**
 - **Week three:** **The Nail**
 - **Week four:** **The Spear**
 - **Week five:** **The Shroud**

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

March 24 – Palm Sunday	11:00 a.m. Palm Sunday of the Passion
March 27 – Wednesday	7:00 p.m. Tenebrae, Led by Senior Choir
March 28 – Maundy Thursday	7:00 p.m. BAS HE/Stripping of the Altar
March 29 – Good Friday	12 noon Celebration of the Lord's Passion
March 30 – Holy Saturday	7:00 p.m. Easter Vigil/BAS HE Reaffirmation of Baptismal Vows
March 31 – Easter Sunday	BAS/HE

LENTEN OUTREACH PROJECT



This Lent, we have partnered with St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank. With food insecurity on the rise in this province, your donations of food items are greatly appreciated. However, there are other items needed to help individuals maintain a home outside of food items, such as cleaning supplies, etc. This Lent, we will be collecting these items. You may choose to donate some of the items listed here or other cleaning supplies you feel are necessary. St. Margaret's Boat will once again be utilized to collect your items. St. Margaret of Scotland is chiefly remembered for her generosity to the less fortunate of Scotland. She ensured relief was provided for the homeless, the hungry and the orphaned. Along with her title as Queen of Scotland, she held the greater title for a Christian of **"Helper of the Poor"**.

We will present your generous donations to a representative from The St. Vincent de Paul Food Bank at the Palm Sunday Service. Thank you for your support of this worthwhile Lenten Outreach Project.

Dish Detergent

Laundry Detergent

Floor Cleaner (All Purpose, Mr. Clean, Pine Sol, etc.)

Bathroom Cleaner

Hand Soap

Bleach

Paper Towels

Furniture Polish

Cleaning Rags, Scrubbing Pads (New)

Window Cleaner

Baking Soda

Garbage Bags

Lysol Wipes