LENT AND HOLY WEEK 2017 — FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF LEBANON

LENT IS A TIME FOR US TO REFLECT upon our relationship with God, to examine our walk with Jesus, and to take stock of our lives as we prepare for the great miracle and gift of Easter.

LENT IS A TIME TO LOOK WITHIN our souls and hearts, to set aside those things that separate us from God and God's people.

LENT IS A TIME TO JOURNEY into the wilderness, so that we may fully enter into the New Creation.

Journey with us during Lent this year in worship, study, reflection, and service.

JOINING IN WORSHIP

March 1—Ash Wednesday

6:30 pm: Ecumenical Service, Imposition of Ashes, Sanctuary

April 9—Palm Sunday

10 am: Liturgy of the Palms, Sanctuary

April 13—Maundy Thursday

7 pm: Service of Communion and Tenebrae, Stripping of the Altar

April 14—Good Friday

12-3 pm: Quiet Meditation on the Seven Last Words, Sanctuary

3 pm: Ecumenical Stations of the Cross Walk (details TBA)

7 pm: Service of the Word and Prayer, Sanctuary

April 16—EASTER SUNDAY

6 am: Ecumenical Sunrise Service, Colburn Park

6:30 am: Community Breakfast to benefit Second Growth, Parish Hall

10 am: Festival Service, Sanctuary

Engaging the Word, Serving Our Sisters and Brothers

Sundays in March, 9:00 am—The Book of Ruth: Four Chapters, Four Weeks

Enrich your Lenten experience with this study of the Book of Ruth, rich with themes about family, Jesus' ancestry, hospitality, and the stranger among us—all of which resonate today.

March 5-April 9-Church School Lenten Lunch Bag Collection

A special annual offering supporting David's House and the children of San Jose Villanueva, El Salvador.

Sunday, March 26—One Great Hour of Sharing

A nationwide UCC mission offering for worldwide initiatives.

Sundays, March 26 and April 23, 5:00 pm—Community Dinner at FCC

Daily Lenten Reflections

Every day from Ash Wednesday through Easter Sunday, receive a devotional reflection by email. Sign up by sending a message to silver@fccleb.org.