

LENT 2022

GRACE FAMILY LENT NEWSLETTER

WHAT IS LENT?

Lent is a season of the church that lasts 40 days, excluding Sunday's. During lent we repent and prepare for Holy Week and Easter (death and resurrection of Jesus).

A practice during lent is to give up something such as chocolate or tv time. We give up something as a practice of lent to prepare for Holy Week just as Jesus gave up things while he spent 40 days in the desert.

This year at Grace, we are learning about those whose lives are on the margins. Join us to learn and serve those who God loves, those whose live on the margins.



WEDNESDAY LENT PROGRAMMING

Adults

Wednesday evenings in Lent will continue the "Life on the Margins" theme on zoom. Join us from 7-8 pm on Wednesdays, March 9-April 6 for thought-provoking presentations, prayer, and devotions. Zoom is hosted by Grace Lutheran, Royersford Baptist Church, Royersford United Methodist Church, and First United Church of Christ. Come to learn, grow, and meet other people of faith!
Zoom Meeting ID: 891 0054 9575 Passcode: 023449

Youth

Each Wednesday, we invite families to put together snack bags for Bread Drop and participate in a family daily devotion, learning about those who live on the margins. *Snack bags can be dropped off by Sunday's at Grace.* Weekly devotions and directions for snack bags can be found each Wednesday in lent on Facebook/Instagram and through weekly newsletters!

WEDNESDAY SERVICE PROJECT

Bread Drop works with community food programs by helping provide food. We are helping build snack bags!

Directions:

In a sandwich-sized Ziploc bag pack 5 total items (listed below) (mix of sweet and savory).

Items that can be packed:

Sweet items: fruit snacks, mini-chocolates, raisins, chewy granola bars, cookies;

Savory items: 1 oz bag of potato chips, peanut butter crackers, cheese crackers, mini slim jims.

Please follow the directions for items to pack, amount to pack, and all in a sandwich size ziploc. Drop-off by Sundays 11:30am at Grace Lutheran Church to Kelsey or church office!

LENT BEGINS MARCH 2ND ASH WEDNESDAY

**DRIVE-THROUGH PRAYER & ASHES AT
GRACE PARKING LOT FROM 12-2PM**

**7PM WORSHIP IN-PERSON & LIVESTREAM
(YOU CAN PICKUP ASHES AT CHURCH
OFFICE PORCH)**

"For I was hungry, and you gave me something to eat; I was thirsty, and you gave me something to drink; I was a stranger, and you invited me in."

Matthew 25:35