

Life on the Road

Updates from City Road Chapel



February 15, 2026

3rd Sunday



Ash Wednesday

marks the beginning of the season of Lent, a 40-day journey leading us to Easter. It is a sacred time in the life of the Church—a time for reflection,

repentance, prayer, and renewal. On this day, we pause to remember both our human frailty and God's great mercy.

During an Ash Wednesday service, ashes are placed on the forehead in the shape of a cross. These ashes, traditionally made from the burned palm branches of the previous year's Palm Sunday, remind us of the words spoken in Scripture: "Remember that you are dust, and to dust you shall return." While these words are sobering, they are also filled with hope. The cross marked in ashes points us to Christ and to the promise of forgiveness, grace, and new life.

Lent invites us to draw closer to God—through prayer, acts of kindness, self-examination, and intentional spiritual growth. Ash Wednesday sets the tone for that journey. It is not a day of despair, but a day of honest reflection and renewed commitment.

We invite you to join us for our **Ash Wednesday Service on February 18 at 6:00 p.m. here at City Road Chapel**. This meaningful service will include prayer, Scripture, reflection, and the imposition of ashes.

Whether you have observed Lent for many years or are experiencing it for the first time, we welcome you to begin this holy season with us. May this Lenten journey prepare our hearts to fully experience the joy of Easter.



Why did Noah have to punish the chickens on the ark? *They were using fowl language.*

This Week at City Road Chapel

Sunday, February 15, 2026

- Praise Team Rehearsal – 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday Worship – 9:00 a.m.
- Discipleship Classes – 10:30 a.m.

Monday, February 16

- Showers of Blessing – 7:00 a.m. to noon

Wednesday, February 18

- Showers of Blessing – 7:00 a.m. to noon
- Wednesday Prayer via Zoom – 2:00 p.m.
- Ash Wednesday Service – 6:00 p.m.

Thursday, February 19

- Men's Prayer Breakfast – 6:30 to 7:30 a.m.

Sunday, February 21

- Praise Team Rehearsal – 8:00 a.m.
- Sunday Worship – 9:00 a.m.
- Discipleship Classes – 10:30 a.m.



Faithful Servants



Welcome Desk

- February 15 – Reed Reding
- February 22 – Mac Smith

Liturgists

- February 15 – Margie Broadrick
- February 22 – Esther Walden

Scripture Readers

- February 15 – Joy Campbell
- February 22 – Susan Moore

If you would like to participate in worship by serving as acolyte, scripture reader, assisting with communion, ushering, greeting, or in another role, we would love to have you involved. Just let us know!