



Ravensworth

BAPTIST CHURCH

Ash Wednesday Evening Service

March 2, 2022, 7pm, Zoom

Words of Welcome

Leah Davis

Call to Worship, based on Psalm 90

Phil Carpenter

Lord, you have been our dwelling-place in all generations.
Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever you had formed the earth
and the world, from everlasting to everlasting you are God.
You turn us back to dust, and say, 'Turn back, you mortals.' For a thousand
years in your sight are like yesterday when it is past, or like a watch in the night.
You sweep them away; they are like a dream, like grass that is renewed in the
morning; in the morning it flourishes and is renewed; in the evening it fades
and withers.

So teach us to count our days that we may gain a wise heart.

This is our prayer. Let us worship God

Evening Prayer

Phil Carpenter

Hymn No. 12

Source and Sovereign, Rock and Cloud †

ABERYSTWYTH

Source and Sovereign, Rock and Cloud, Fortress, Fountain, Shelter, Light
Judge, Defender, Mercy, Might, Life whose life all life endowed:
May the church at prayer recall that no single holy name
but the truth behind them all is the God whom we proclaim.

Word and Wisdom, Root and Vine, Shepherd, Savior, Servant, Lamb,
Well and water, Bread and Wine, Way who leads us to I AM:
May the church at prayer recall that no single holy name
but the truth behind them all is the God whom we proclaim.

Storm and Stillness, Breath and Dove, Thunder, Tempest, Whirlwind, Fire,
Comfort, Counselor, Presence, Love, Energies that never tire:
May the church at prayer recall that no single holy name
but the truth behind them all is the God whom we proclaim.

Lesson from the Prophets

Joel 2:1, 17, 21-22

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Reflection

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Musical Meditation

Peace Within
Pianist, Rosanne Conway

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Call to Confession

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Prayer of Confession & Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Return to the Lord your God, for God is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and abounding in love. You are loved. You are forgiven. Be at peace.

Imposition of Ashes

You are invited to impose ashes on yourself with oil, ashes, or simply by marking your forehead or hand with the mark of the cross. As you practice the ancient marking, remember these words:

You are dust. And to dust you shall return. And the steadfast love of God endures forever. Amen.

..Special Music

Bless the Lord, My Soul †
Women's Ensemble

Jacques Berthier & Taize

Benediction

Leah Davis

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