Lent

**Church Service Activities**

Ash Wednesday Service, Wednesday, March 5

Palm Sunday, Sunday, April 13

Holy Week Services, Monday – Friday, April 14 – 18

 Invite Pastors and Musicians to Speak/Perform

 Delane Will Be in Charge of the Soup Lunches

Maundy Thursday, Thursday, April 17

Easter, Sunday, April 20

 **What special things do we want to do during our Sunday church services to celebrate the Lenten and Easter season?**

**Group Activities for Lent**

Lent Study for Adults – Should we try 2 offerings? Maybe one on Wednesday night, one on Thursday afternoon?

Weekly Children’s Church for Kids during the 9 am service – Immersive experience each week walking through Holy Week

Take home parent sheets for families with ideas for talking about and extending the lesson

Self-paced youth self-reflection and study activities with opportunities to share ideas

Sunday Night Youth Event – Joint event

A Wednesday After School Event for Children (S.T.E.A.M. with a Theme)

**Individual Activities for Lenten**

We could encourage members to participate in a program of Ten for Lent. In the program participants make a commitment to themselves to engage in a spiritual growth activity for ten minutes each day. Activities could be Read Your Bible (give suggested reading outline), Journaling (could have a one-time workshop on journaling ideas), reach out to our community (could have a bulletin board with ideas for simple acts of kindness and outreach that members could choose from)

**Communication Time Line**

We should commit to activities by February 11.

All self-study option materials should be created by Sunday, March 2.

Communication with the congregation should begin no later than Sunday, February 23.

Once we have firmly decided on activities, we can begin to create a communication calendar and task list.