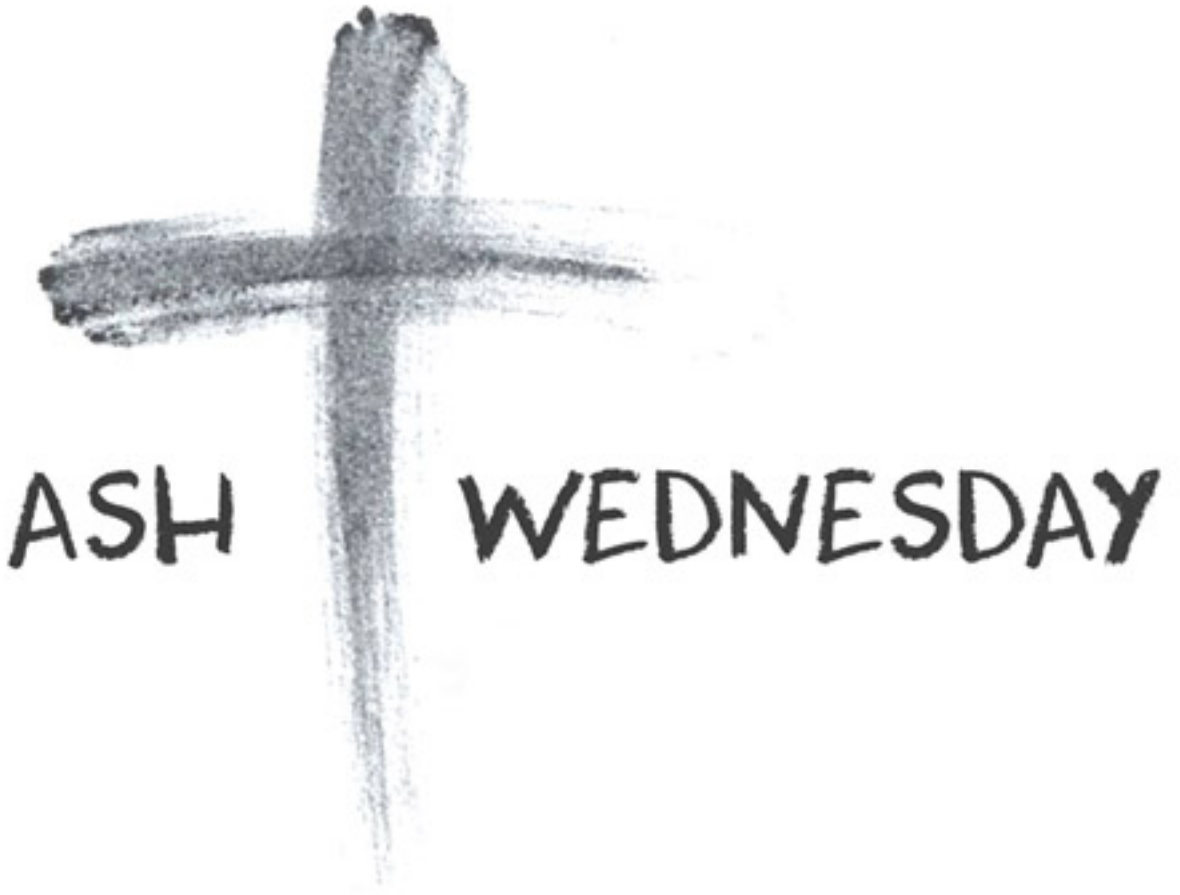


You are merciful to all, O Lord, and despise nothing that you have made. You overlook people's sins, to bring them to repentance, and you spare them, for you are the Lord our God.

(Wisdom 11:24, 25, 27)

(Liturgy for Ash Wednesday-Entrance Antiphon)