



# Ash Wednesday

## February 14, 2024

The Rev. Elizabeth Randall, Preacher

*Retired Rector of St. Andrew's, Denver*

**7am + 12noon + 5pm**

in-person and by Zoom

[aidanzoom.saintaidans.org](http://aidanzoom.saintaidans.org)

10am at The Pearl (2525 Taft Drive)

Drive Through Ashes @ St. Aidan's

8am to 10am and 1pm to 3pm

[Calendar of Events](#)



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[Click here to sign up for Bread+Belonging food Tuesdays at 6pm](#)

The deadline for this every-other-week email is on Wednesday the week before publication. Please send submissions to [office@saintaidans.org](mailto:office@saintaidans.org).

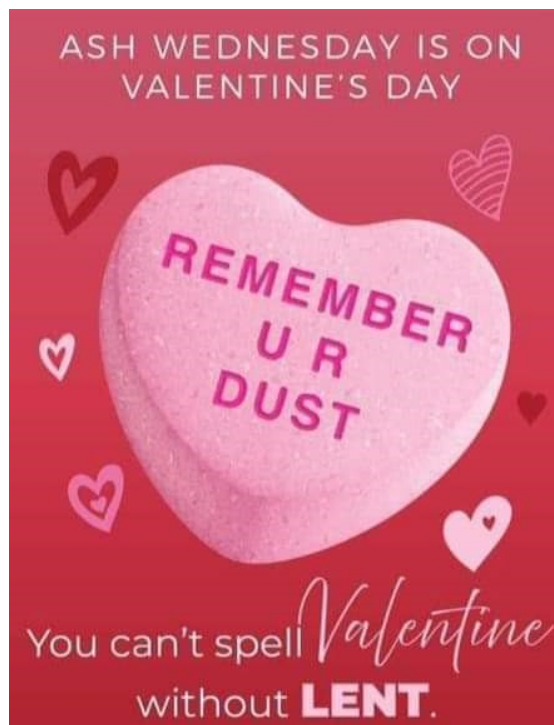
## News You Can Use

Dear Friends,

This week we turn in our liturgical year to Lent--the 40 days before Easter in which we prepare for the Resurrection with a season of prayer, fasting, self examination, and almsgiving. Find your Lent practice, and begin this week. May it bring you closer to the wideness of God's mercy.

Our Lent Study will be "**With Gladness: Holy Disciplines for Disciples**" offered on Tuesdays at 11am and 7pm, you can zoom or attend in person at either time.

In the middle of Lent, we have the joyous occasion of the [ordination to the diaconate](#) of Durango Jenkins and Charles Martin, (sponsored by St. Aidan's), and Amanda Barker, our Seminarian Intern who will join our staff as Curate later this year. Please join in our shared gift to them by donating to "Seminarian Support" and plan to celebrate them on Sunday, March 10 after worship.



This valentine for Ash Wednesday comes from the United Methodist Church--please share with your favorite beloved, or yourself, and

Lent Madness is a great way to learn about the lives of the saints and vote for the Golden Halo!

scroll down to learn about the contours of this Lenten season at St. Aidan's.

May your curiosity abound, and your Lent begin with love,  
M. Mary Kate Rejouis+

Find all information at [www.saintaidans.org/lent-and-holy-week](http://www.saintaidans.org/lent-and-holy-week)

### For your calendar....

- Tuesday, February 13, 5:30pm Mardi Gras Parish Potluck and B+B Dinner\*
- Wednesday, February 14 ASH WEDNESDAY @ 7am + 12noon + 5pm\*
- Friday, February 16, 5:10pm Stations of the Cross (and all Fridays during Lent)
- Sunday, February 18 after 10am church presentation from the Family Parent Coalition
- Sunday, February 18, 3pm NAACP Freedom Fund Celebration\*
- Tuesday, February 20, 11am and 7pm With Gladness Hybrid Lent Offering begins (all Tuesdays in Lent)\*
- Saturday, March 9, 10am ORDINATIONS at the **Cathedral** in Denver--read more [here](#) and give toward their ordination gifts from St. Aidan's.
- Sunday, March 10, after 10am Worship a Festive Reception for the Ordinands
- Sunday, March 17, 4-6pm BeLoved! Collaborative Youth Group for grades 6-12 (location TBD)

*\*denotes more information below*

See [online calendar](#) for weekly events, Choir, Bible Studies, and more.

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# TUESDAY FEBRUARY 13

## MARDI GRAS POTLUCK

St. Aidan's & Bread+Belonging  
TOGETHER!

Bring a hearty dish to share or a salad or dessert!

The kitchen will provide rice!

- 5:30 bring food, set-up and prepare
- 6pm eat
- 6:30 games and feats of strength

Please sign up by Feb. 11



Click [here](#) to email your sign up information and we'll add it to the sign up in the parish hall. Plan to bring ONE of these categories: a main dish that has meat; or is vegetarian; or is vegan; a side or salad; a dessert.



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[Link to Zoom for Ash Wednesday Liturgies](#)

# SUNDAY MORNINGS IN LENT

AFTER 10AM CHURCH FORMATION AND EVENTS

**18**  
FEBRUARY

PARENT FAMILY COALITION  
PRESENTATION

**25**  
FEBRUARY

WHAT IS ORDINATION AND WHY DO  
THEY WEAR THAT?

**3**  
MARCH

INGRID FOTINO AUTHOR TALK ON  
"REBIRTH: OUTLIVING THE SOVIET GRIP  
ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ATLANTIC"

**10**  
MARCH

RECEPTION FOR ORDINANDS DURANGO  
JENKINS AND CHARLES MARTIN

**17**  
MARCH

HOLY WEEK AND INTRODUCTION TO  
EASTERTIDE FORMATION ON LAST THINGS

**MARCH 24 IS PALM SUNDAY**

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# LENT AT ST. AIDAN'S



## WITH GLADNESS: HOLY PRACTICES FOR DISCIPLES TUESDAYS 11AM AND 7PM HYBRID FEBRUARY 20 - MARCH 19

A small group Lenten teaching offered by Zoom and in-person. You are welcome to join in person or by Zoom at the times offered. 45 to 60 minutes.

**Zoom link:** [aidanzoom.saintaidans.org](https://aidanzoom.saintaidans.org) **Password:** 10000

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS FRIDAYS AT 5:10PM FEBRUARY 16 - MARCH 29

A 20 minute walking liturgy of prayer and contemplation on the 14 stations toward the cross

## SUNDAY MORNINGS THE GREAT LITANY FEBRUARY 18 AND MARCH 10

A traditional Lenten litany of prayer for all sorts and conditions of people.

*I invite you, therefore, in the name of the Church, to the observance of a holy Lent, by self examination and repentance; by prayer, fasting, and self-denial; and by reading and meditating on God's holy Word.*  
--The Ash Wednesday Liturgy

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## Announcements

### 2024 NAACP Freedom Fund Celebration

Sunday February 18 at 3:00pm - CU's Macky Auditorium

Featuring guest speaker Mr. Anthony Ray Hinton who spent 30 years on Alabama's death row for a crime he did not commit. Also featuring the talented entertainer and musician, Danielle Ponder. Tickets are free, but space is limited. Reserve your tickets [HERE](#).

### Winter Clothing Drive

Our partners with Boulder Food Rescue/Food Not Bombs are collecting used or new winter clothing (especially coats, gloves, hats, warm pants and socks). There is a collection bin in the Parish Hall, and items will be collected over the next several weeks of winter.

Did you know that Food Not Bombs prepares food every Saturday at 11am at St. Aidan's to be delivered to unhoused persons in downtown Boulder? If you'd like to volunteer to help, you can show up on a Saturday or email [here](#) for more information.

### Wednesday Mornings 7am Hybrid Holy Eucharist and Bible Study

For decades a small group gathered at 7am for Holy Eucharist in the Chapel, with a rigorous, thoughtful, charitable, and deep Bible Study. Then COVID happened, and we've been meeting by Zoom at 7am since then. Now we're going to offer this in both formats. Wednesday mornings can be a great way to be in church every week, especially if other things take you away over the weekends. Consider making a (Lenten) habit of it, and seeing if it is a good fit for you. On Wednesday, February 21 we will begin the book of Genesis, reading 1 chapter a week.

### Looking for a Monthly Bible Study for Women?

Canon Katie Pearson at St. John's Cathedral, Denver, leads a marvelous Bible Study Monthly on 2nd Tuesdays at 5pm by Zoom. Currently studying the genealogy of Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew, read the Book of Ruth and join on February 13, March 12, and April 9. **Email** Canon Pearson for the Zoom link.

### 2023 Giving Statements

Statements were emailed to all 2023 donors in January (and mailed by USPS to some donors for whom an email address was not available). Please check your statement to ensure it is correct and reflects your giving for 2023 by February 15 2024. If you did not receive one, please also email Kelly Champion, Donation Manager [here](#).

### Lay Leaders Needed for Stations of the Cross on Fridays in Lent

Can you lead these prayers on a Friday at 5:10pm this Lent? You need to be able to arrive at 5pm, unlock a door or two, turn on lights, and welcome people in addition to leading the Stations of the Cross. Orientation provided. Reach out to M. Mary Kate if you can volunteer for a Friday between and including February 16 to March 29.

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### Writers' Group: Fruits of our Labors

Our Writers' Group has more a few more works that they would generously like to share with us. If you're curious about joining the Saint Aidan's Writers Group, reach out to [Paul Voakes](#). Enjoy these works!

[Watching Lives Unfold: One at a Time](#) by Maud Kenyon

[He's My Hero!](#) by Marty Evans

[Santa: Parts I and II](#) by Paul Voakes

And Ellen Weekly's [Christmas Recipe](#)

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### Centering Prayer is Back!

Join us Fridays in the Chapel from 3 - 3:45pm from now until May 10.

Curious what this time may look like? Find out more info [HERE](#).

A time of prayer and silence is a great Lenten discipline to try--every

week or just once this Lent.



### St. Aidan's Book Group on Wednesdays at 10am

This group meets by Zoom Video on Wednesdays from 10 to 11:30 am. All are welcome, friends and neighbors too! The reading schedule is on the [church calendar](#). We are currently reading E. L. Doctorow's civil war historical novel "The March" (published 2005).

If you are interested and are not currently receiving book group emails, please email [Jim Paine](#) to receive the weekly Zoom meeting ID and password, and other information about the schedule and readings (and for any questions).

### Monday Night Healing Prayer at 7pm by Zoom

The Healing Team invites you to a quiet time of praying silently and voicing the requested prayers of our community. The prayer room is also open for individual, confidential prayer.

New Meeting Link as of 1/15/24  
is  
[www.tinyurl.com/HealingMeet](http://www.tinyurl.com/HealingMeet)

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### Commended to our Prayers

For our [CU Campus](#), and especially the [Bread+Belonging community](#) and the [LCM Board](#) during this time of transition and search for the next Chaplain for our shared Campus Ministry.

Pray for an [end to war throughout the world](#), for an end to war in the Middle East and freedom for all hostages of October 7, and for all who have died, been injured, and lost homes and livelihood.

[For those in need of bodily healing](#): Roy Faverty, Kay Gibson, Troyanne Thigpen, Bob Moore, Dowell Williams, Ruth, Lou Patterson, Mike Metzdorff, Greg Smith, Pat



Galvin, David Huff, Kelly Boyer and family, Nancy Costello, Kevin Costello, Sally Chesnick Ingraham, Mary and Dave Kraus, Emily, and Dave, Kristen MacDonald.

**For those seeking God's guidance and strength:** all who seek employment, Patrick Costello and family, Diane Hayes, Luke, Barb Williams, Travis, Jonathan Nelson, Heidi, Derek and Lauren Huff, Tyler, Jack, Jennie, Christianne, the Ingraham family, Debbie, Frank, for all who struggle with addiction.

**For those in need of prayers for our mission abroad:** Richard and Catherine Ranger, former parishioners of St. Aidan's, are missionaries with SAMS, (Society of Anglican Missionaries and Senders) and serve Uganda Christian University (UCU).

**For those who serve in the US Military, especially:** Parker Rost (Marine Corps), Commander Michael Stengel, for soldiers deploying and their chaplains and families.

**For those who have died:** Beth Ingraham-Culpepper.

**For those celebrating birthdays:** Kate Gerard (2/14), Matthew Stolte (2/15), David Huff (2/19).

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Thurs, Fri 9am to 3pm

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