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<h1>LENTEN CALENDAR</h1> <h2>2017</h2>			1 MARCH <i>ATTEND</i> a UMC Ash Wednesday service. 	2 <i>BEGIN</i> each day with prayer & devotion to God.	3  <i>READ</i> Matthew 6:18 2 Timothy 1:9	4 <i>FAST</i> From distractions and focus on God. Read Matthew 6:18
			5 1st Sunday in Lent <i>For great is the Lord and most worthy of Praise...</i> Chronicles 16:25	6 <i>PRAY</i> for God's blessing in every corner of the world.	7 <i>REPENT</i> of your sins and pray for Jesus to be guide.	8 <i>GLORIFY</i> God for the gift of life and the promise of eternal life.
12 2nd Sunday in Lent <i>I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.</i> Luke 5:32	13  <i>SING</i> a hymn of praise...like Amen, Alleluia!	14 <i>FORGIVE</i> anyone who has wronged you in any way.	15 <i>PRAY</i> for our nation's peace & prosperity.	16  <i>READ</i> Mark 1:4-8	17 <i>LIFT UP</i> the mission & work of UMHEF in prayer.	18  <i>REJOICE</i> in God's creation on a nature hike today.
19 3rd Sunday in Lent  <i>Let all that you do be done in love.</i> 1 Corinthians 16:14	20 <i>SHARE</i> your story of Jesus' love with another today.	21  <i>PRAY</i> for all UM- related schools & students.	22 <i>WRITE</i> a note of thanks to a soldier or veteran.	23 <i>CHOOSE</i> to follow Jesus today!	24 <i>GIVE</i> to provide scholarships for UM students.	25  <i>VISIT</i> a shut in and take them a meal.
26 4th Sunday in Lent <i>We love because he first loved us.</i> 1 John 4:19	27 <i>PRAY</i> for our UMC leaders & future leaders.	28 <i>DISCIPLE</i> a new believer.	29 <i>THANK</i> your parents, a friend or a mentor who has guided you spiritually.	30 <i>PRAY</i> for God's blessing on The UMC.	31  <i>INVITE</i> someone to come to church with you.	1 APRIL <i>HELP</i> an elderly person with household chores.
2 5th Sunday in Lent <i>Never will I leave you. Never will I forsake you.</i> Hebrews 13:5	3  <i>PRAY</i> for the growth of The UMC.	4 <i>DECIDE</i> what you will want your legacy to be & work toward it today.	5 <i>PRAY</i> for UM students who will be our future Christian leaders.	6 <i>ASK</i> God to lead you & show you how to serve.	7  <i>FEED</i> the hungry at a shelter or food bank.	8 <i>TELL</i> the story of Jesus to a child while decorating eggs.
9  PALM SUNDAY Read Luke 19:28-44	10 <i>STUDY</i> The story of Easter this week. Begin with reading Luke 19:45-48	11 <i>CHOOSE</i> to follow Jesus today. Luke 20:1-21;38	12 <i>SERVE</i> as Jesus taught. John 13:1-20	13  <i>WORSHIP</i> at a Maundy Thursday service. Luke 22:7-53	14  <i>REMEMBER</i> the suffering & pain Jesus endured for you. Luke 22:54-23:55	15 <i>BE STILL</i> and think of Mary & how she felt after Jesus' death. Luke 23:56- 24:53

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WE HOPE this calendar will be an encouraging guide through the season of Lent. May you find opportunities to remember the sacrifice of Jesus through prayer, fasting and service.



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