

Worship Team Report

2/21/21

- ✚ Pastors Chad and Sarah preached on the Week of Compassion
- ✚ Focus is the season of Lent
 - Ash Wednesday at the windows (10 cars)
 - Thanks to Dave Auble for plowing snow and Brian Hurd for helping park people and attend to their sled dogs
 - Distributed ashes, devotionals and candles
 - Ordered 30 devotionals (*Leaning In and Letting Go* by Nicole Massie Martin, 2018) and distributed 15 to date
- ✚ Dottie Summerlin designed a new banner for Lent: *Living the Resurrection*
 - Sandi Kossick ordered and hemmed banners
 - Jodie Thompson painted one banner
 - Joy Wyatt completed the other
 - Banners will hang every Wednesday service at the windows during Lent
- ✚ Themes for Lent: *Compassion, Repentance, Reach, Equity and Transformation*
 - *Katie Baird has asked that the Elders utilize these themes in their meditations*
- ✚ Youth involvement
 - Ally Hurd has contacted and supplied pictures to color (similar to what we did for Advent)
- ✚ Music:
 - Jan Green has been wonderful recording whatever we have asked of her
 - Joy Wyatt, Beth Schabel and Dave Auble have sent audio files of recordings they have made
 - Jon Secaur, The Hurd Family Singers (Steve, Philip, Ally and John), Beth Schabel, Pam Auble and Peggy Painley, and Carol and Emma Magyarics are all working on arrangements for special music

✚ Holy Week:

- Palm Sunday will be at the windows
 - Sandi is contacting Burton Floral to acquire palms to distribute
 - Linda Idoine will create decorations for windows
- Maundy Thursday?? (In recent years hosted by Hilltop CC)
- Good Friday?? (Discussion with Hiram CC)
- Easter Sunday
 - Sunrise?? (Discussions with Hiram CC)
 - Worship at the windows

✚ On the horizon/Other stuff we are pondering:

- Day of Kindness
- Earth Day
- Creating a preaching schedule between (Chad, Sarah and Pam)
- Summer

✚ Transition:

- Pam Auble graciously and generously volunteered to re-engage with the Worship Team after a short, but well-deserved sabbatical. She and Rick will co-chair the team through Lent. (Rick will transition out of chair responsibilities to resume and restart the Building Committee.)

Respectfully submitted,

Rick Painley, Worship Chair, *pro temp*