

## The Way

*I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert.*

- Isaiah 43: 19



***“The Way: You Don’t Choose a Life, You Live a Life”*** – This year’s Lenten theme is pilgrimage. Using the film, *The Way*, as a focal point, we will journey together, reflecting on the path through the wilderness, and what it means to make an intentional, spiritual journey.

We will begin our journey on Ash Wednesday and continue through the Sundays in Lent. On Thursday nights we will pause for Lenten Quiet Nights, reflecting together on the Way, and sharing a simple supper. \*\*On Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, the Rev. Nancy Wiens will lead a discussion on the film, and preach for us the following Sunday, reflecting on her journeying experience in worship.

### Lenten Activities

- Wednesday, Feb 14:** **Ash Wednesday** **The Way Back** (Joel 2: 12-13 Return to the Lord)
- Sunday, Feb 18:** **The Wandering Way** (Luke 4:1-2 Wilderness/Temptation)
- Thursday, Feb 22:** Quiet Night & Soup Supper, 6:00 p.m., Chapel.
- Saturday, Feb 24\*\*:** **The Way** film and Talk with Nancy Wiens 5:30 – 8:30 pm. Come for the potluck dinner and view *The Way*. Rev. Nancy Wiens will lead our conversation. Starring Martin Sheen, *The Way* follows American doctor Tom to France to walk the *Camino de Santiago*, following the death of his adult son who has died walking that Catholic pilgrimage route. Rev. Wiens and her daughter Erin Wiens-St. John walked the Camino together recently, and they will return this spring to walk a portion of it with Marion! (and Nancy’s husband Sam Yates).
- Sunday, Feb 25:** **Pilgrimage and Peregrination** (Nancy Wiens preaching – Reflections on her journeying experience in worship.)
- Thursday, Mar 1:** Quiet Night & Soup Supper, 6:00 p.m., Chapel.
- Sunday, Mar 4:** **The High Way** (Isaiah 55:1-9 Our Ways are not God’s Way)
- Thursday, Mar 8:** Quiet Night & Soup Supper, 6:00 p.m., Chapel.
- Sunday, Mar 11:** **The Way Home** (2 Cor 5: 16-17; Luke 15: 11b-32 Our Spiritual Home; The Prodigal comes home)
- Thursday, Mar 15:** Quiet Night & Soup Supper, 6:00 p.m., Chapel.
- Sunday, Mar 18:** **The Free Way** (Isaiah 43: 16-19; Phil 3: 13-14 God makes a way where there is none.)
- Thursday, Mar 22:** Quiet Night & Soup Supper, 6:00 p.m., Chapel.
- Sunday, Mar 25:** **Palm Sunday** **The Other Way** (Luke 19: 28-40 Jesus on the road with the Palms)
- Thursday, Mar 29:** **Maundy Thursday** Maundy Thursday service, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary.