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ASH  
WEDNESDAY

**Ash Wednesday...**

is an ancient holy day in the Christian church calendar. It marks the beginning of the season of Lent – a time of penitence, discipline, and renewal. In the Ash Wednesday service we are reminded of our mortality, we confess our sins, and we experience forgiveness through Christ's death and resurrection. Ashes will be available to those who wish to receive them.

In Scripture, ashes serve both as a symbol of mortality and a sign of mourning and repentance.

But neither sin nor death are the final word. We leave the service in confidence and gratitude: Christ has conquered death, and nothing can separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus, our Lord.

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Celebrating our 78th year!

# WAR ROOM

## PRAYER IS A POWERFUL WEAPON

Movie and Bible study written by  
Alex Kendrick & Stephen Kendrick;  
Novelization by Christ Fabry

*War Room: Prayer is a Powerful Weapon* – a compelling drama with humor and heart that explores the power that prayer can have on marriages, parenting, careers, friendships, and every other area of our lives – is a novel, movie and now a Bible study! We will be using the Bible study as the basis of our Lenten series this year. We encourage you to get the Bible study and follow along with us. Come join us for an enriching time of worship and fellowship.

In order to accommodate the series, there will be traditional Ash Wednesday, Palm Sunday and Easter sunrise services, which shall bookend the “War Room” Lenten sermon series!

Our Sunday evenings will start with a soup and sandwich supper at 5:00 pm followed by worship at 6:00 pm. Our worship will be approximately 45-50 minutes. Child care will be provided by the same person, Kim MacEntee, each Sunday.

The exceptions are:  
Ash Wednesday, with worship at 7:00 pm,  
and Easter, with worship at 7:00 am.

The offering this year is going to Habitat for Humanity in Newburgh. Please make checks out to:  
*Walkill Valley Union Lenten Series.*

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### PRAYER IS A POWERFUL WEAPON

*“To get nations back on their feet,  
we must first get down on our knees.”*  
– Billy Graham

FEBRUARY 10TH – 7:00 PM

**Ash Wednesday**  
Walkill Reformed Church, Walkill  
Rev. Jim O’Connell preaching

Ashes will be available to those who wish to receive them. Fellowship & refreshments follow the service.

FEBRUARY 14, LENT 1

**Dealing with Spiritual  
Lukewarmness**

Brick Reformed Church, Montgomery  
Rev. Ken Kobza preaching

FEBRUARY 21, LENT 2

**Christian Accountability**  
Reformed Church of Shawangunk, Walkill  
Rev. Brian Randazzo preaching

FEBRUARY 28, LENT 3

**Grasping Grace  
and the Gospel**

First Reformed Church, Walden  
Rev. Gary Sissel preaching

MARCH 6, LENT 4

**Engaging in  
Spiritual Warfare**

New Hurley Reformed Church, Walkill  
Rev. Paul Roosa preaching

MARCH 13, LENT 5

**Trusting God in Prayer**

New Prospect Reformed Church, Pine Bush  
Rev. Howard Dalton preaching

MARCH 20

**Palm Sunday**

Gardiner Reformed Church  
Rev. Irving Rivera preaching

MARCH 27 – 7:00 AM!

**Easter Sunrise**

Walkill Reformed Church, Walkill  
Rev. Toni Macon preaching  
Breakfast and fellowship follow the service.

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*“But when you pray, go to your room,  
shut the door, and pray to your Father  
who is present in that secret place.  
Your Father who sees what you do in secret  
will reward you.”*

– Matthew 6:6