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**HOLY TRINITY TO REMEMBER THE MILITARY ON ASH
WEDNESDAY AS LENT BEGINS**

Holy Trinity Anglican Church will begin its Lenten commemoration on Ash Wednesday with an evening service. On February 21st, there will be a 7:00 PM Liturgy of Ash Wednesday which contains remembrances for those fighting to preserve freedom in the American Armed Forces.

“Ash Wednesday is a day to recall just how fragile our lives really are” said the Rev. Mr. Jeffrey Monroe, Pastor of Holy Trinity. “The members of our military face extreme dangers everyday and it is fitting that they be thought of at the beginning of the Penitential season of Lent.” Veterans of all faiths are invited to the Liturgy which includes the imposition of ashes on the forehead to recall what is included in the service “that man comes from dust and to dust he shall return.”

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