

## Intercessions

### Ash Wednesday—March 2, 2022

**Cantor: Oyenos. mi Dios....**

- For the whole church and for all Christians: that this Lenten season may be for us a time of deep, whole-hearted repentance and renewal. *Knowing that the time is now, we pray,*
- For generous support that eases the suffering of the world's poor, marginalized and besieged...especially in Ukraine; and for prayer that opens our hearts to the needs of others. *Knowing that the time is now, we pray,*
- For silence in a culture where noise, conflict and distraction abound; and for fasting that purifies our hearts and reminds us of all who are hungry. *Knowing that the time is now, we pray,*
- For the grace to seek and promote reconciliation with one another--especially those we most resist. *Knowing that the time is now, we pray,*
- For the sick and dying among us; for those who have died; and for those who most need our loving care in this community and beyond. *Knowing that the time is now, we pray,*
- We pray now our own needs and for the awareness that God is speaking to us through events (*pause*). *Knowing that the time is now, we pray,*