Liturgical Ministers Mass Preparation Guide – **Ash Wednesday – Year ABC**

**Readings:**

* + Joel 2:12-18
	+ 2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2
	+ Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

**Servers: 3 Total**

* Crucifer
* 2 Torches

**Decorations:**

* NO flowers decorating the altar
* Leave enough room in front of altar for priest and deacon to pass during the Liturgy.

**Music:**

* NO Gloria
* NO Alleluia
* Lenten Gospel Acclamation

**Ushers:**Normal

**Sacristans:**

* Liturgical Color: Purple
* Two small bowls with ashes on small table in sanctuary
* Holy Water bucket and aspergillum
* Extra bowl with soap, extra pitcher with water and 2 extra towels for hand washing after distribution of ashes