ASH WEDNESDAY INVITATION FOR YOU!! FROM LAC + USC HOSPITAL CHAPLIN REV. ELIZABETH GIBBS ZEHNDER



As you might imagine, Ash Wednesday is a very busy day at LA County/USC Hospital!

Christians around the world observe Ash Wednesday by encountering their mortality and receiving an ash cross that reaffirms their repentance from sin and their belief in the Gospel. Because of their illness or a 12-hour shift, many Christians are bound to the hospital grounds and unable to receive this blessing. Last year, the chaplains and community volunteers shared this blessing with over 1400 people at LAC+USC Hospital!

----This Is Where You Come In :-)

If you are interested in helping us out, we would love it!

Ash Wednesday is February 26, 2020.

Basically the ashes are offered all day long to patients, their families and hospital staff, but the peak demand is in the morning, between 9 am-1:30 pm.

Both clergy and laity are welcome to lend a hand.

If you are interested to joining us from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m, or if you have questions, please email me at <u>Elizabeth.GibbsZehnder@gmail.com</u>.