

# **Maundy Thursday “Tenebrae” Service**

**Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm**

Please join us for a simple meal of soup and bread, followed by a candlelit service of Tenebrae, in our Foundation Room on Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. Tenebrae (or Service of Shadows) has been practiced by Christians since Medieval times. It is a recreation of the last supper and leads participants into quiet reflection as they enter Good Friday.

All are welcome to attend! No registration is required. Please feel free to share this information with your friends, family and neighbors.

## **Easter Services:**

### **Sunrise Service on Soapstone Mountain**

**Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00am**

Celebrate the resurrection of Jesus as you watch the sunrise on a mountain overlook! Our Easter Sunrise Service will be held at the top of Soapstone Mountain in Somers (near the observation tower). This outdoor lay-led service will begin at 6:00am on Easter Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup>. A free breakfast will immediately follow the service at the same location.

Soapstone Mountain is located on Gulf Road in Somers, CT. As you drive from the main entrance, head towards the top of the mountain (near the observation tower). Parking will be along that road. Please dress according to the weather and be advised that seating is not provided. This service is open to the public and we hope to see you there!

Note: If there's inclement weather, the Sunrise Service and breakfast will be moved to the Foundation Room of the Somers Congregational Church at 6:00am.

### **Easter Service at Somers Congregational Church**

**Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:30am**

A traditional Easter service will be held in our sanctuary on Easter Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:30am. This celebration of Christ's resurrection will include music from our choir and organist, and an Easter message from Rev. Gary Smith. Our church has ample parking and our sanctuary is handicap accessible, with elevators reaching all levels. Please invite friends, family and neighbors to attend this special service.