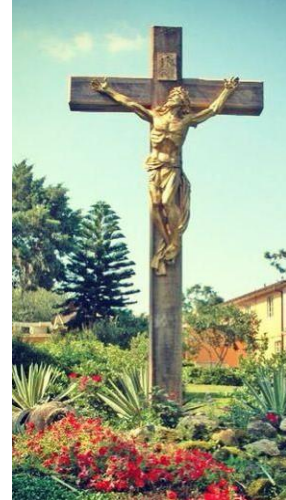


**THE PROMISE OF ASHES**  
**Walking the Way through Reflection & Meditation**

Sunday Morning Adult Education, 2018 Special Lenten Series  
(9:30-10:15 a.m., Parish Hall)  
February 18, 25 & March 4, 11, 18



- **Right:** Jean-Leon Gerome's controversial 1867 painting of Christ's passion in which we do not see Jesus directly. Instead, we see only the 3 shadows of Jesus and the thieves reflected on Golgotha's white, stone face.
  - **Left:** Albin Polasek's 1939 sculpture portraying not the agony of the crucifixion, but the triumph of victorious Christ.
- EACH SESSION**
- Participants will receive a handout with (1) short selections or artwork for exploration, (2) short biography of the artists, suggested reflection and meditation for upcoming week, and relevant Biblical passages.
  - The **February 18 session** will focus on the design of the sessions and an exploration Gerome, Polasek, and the 2 artworks provided above. You'll find a complete list of the artist-writers we will explore in the Church Bulletin.
  - The sessions are being designed and will be facilitated by Pamela Menke.