

Easter Events



The Katonah United Methodist Church is planning several special events for the Lenten and Easter season. All are welcome to attend. Bring your friends!

On **Palm Sunday**, April 14, at 9:30 am, Katonah United Methodist Church will join the other churches of Katonah gathering at the old train station (now Peppino's Restaurant) for the annual ecumenical blessing of the palms and procession through the village.

On **Maundy Thursday**, April 18, at 6:30 pm, the church, joined by The United Methodist Church of Mt. Kisco, will hold its annual Agape Meal (Love Feast) and Service of the Shadows commemorating the Last Supper and Jesus' Passion. The first part of the service is a symbolic hand washing followed by a convivial potluck supper of simple finger foods. After the supper, we move into the dramatic telling of the Passion story by candlelight.

The annual **Easter Sunrise Service** will be held Sunday, April 21, at 6:30 am at the south end of the Cross River Dam on Reservoir Road. We will be joined by the United Methodist Church of Mt. Kisco and Katonah Presbyterian Church.

On Sunday, April 21, the joyous **Easter Service** at 10 am in the church sanctuary will feature special music. There will be a special fellowship hour after the service. Please sign up to bring something to share on the sign-up sheet in the parlor.

Help **decorate the cross** and bear witness to God's power and love to our community. All attending the Easter Service are encouraged to bring fresh cut flowers to hang on the cross standing outside on the church lawn. The flowers symbolically transform the cross - an instrument of suffering, humiliation, and death - into a symbol of resurrection, love, and victory.