

Watch the video. Use the words from the box to fill in the blanks:

Ash Wednesday



palms

end

better

cross

oil

burnt

dust

first

fasting

Ash Wednesday is the _____ day of the Lenten season. Holy Thursday marks the _____ of Lent. It is a day of _____ and penance for many Catholics. On Ash Wednesday the priest traces a _____ on the forehead of church members. The _____ from the last years' Palm Sunday service are _____ to get the ashes. Holy _____ is added to these ashes. The ashes remind us that we are _____ and to dust we shall return. We will all die. We think about what we can do to make things _____.