


Lenten Regulations 2017


Weekdays of Lent:

There is no obligation to fast. However, voluntary acts of self-denial are recommended.

Ash Wednesday and Good Friday:

 These are days of Fast and Abstinence from meat. There is a limit of one full meal on these days for all between the ages of 18 & 59 inclusive.

Days of Abstinence: (All Fridays in Lent)

 All who have reached their 14th year are bound to abstain totally from meat.

Easter Duty Obligation:

After they have received their First Holy Communion, Catholics are bound by the obligation of receiving Holy Communion at least once a year. This precept should be fulfilled during the Easter Season. Catholics are also bound to confess serious (mortal) sins at least once a year, but this is not limited to the Lenten/Easter Season.



Lenten Schedule

Ash Wednesday

Mass Schedule

St. Joseph 9am & 7pm

St. Mary's 12:05pm

St. Vincent's 12:05pm & 7pm

Lenten Weekday Masses:

St. Joseph (Mon.-Thurs. & Sat. 9am)

St. Mary's (Friday 12:05pm)

St. Vincent's (Wed. & Thurs. 12:05pm)

St. Joseph's Friday evening Soup Supper at 6pm in Cordier Hall

followed by Stations of the Cross in the Church at 7pm

St. Mary's Church Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm followed by Soup Supper

St. Vincent de Paul Stations of the Cross at 6:30pm followed by Soup Supper

Reconciliation (Confession)

St. Joseph and St. Mary's combined at St. Joseph Church

(Saturdays 3:30-4:30pm)

St. Vincent's (Saturdays 4:30pm)

Cluster Parish Penance Service:







We will have a Cluster Parish Penance Service at

St. Joseph Church

Thursday, March 30, 2017 at 7pm

Seven priests will be hearing confessions

March 2017







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Lenten Community Formation: ALTARATION This 5 week series, beginning the week of March 5th, is a unique learning experience that helps people come to see the Mass and the priesthood in a dramatically new way. It is designed to stir thought, create conversation, dispel myths and inspire people to a deep and lasting love for the Mass. Participant books are \$10 and are available at all parish offices. There are 5 offerings during the week to help you be ALTAR-ed this Lent!

April 2017

CLUSTER PARISH OFFICES CLOSED-APRIL 14, 17-21

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9  PALM SUNDAY	10	11	12	13 HOLY THUR	14  GOOD FRI	15  HOLY SATURDAY
16  EASTER SUNDAY	CLUSTER PARISH OFFICES CLOSED-NO DAILY MASSES					
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