

2023 LENTEN CALENDAR

ASH WEDNESDAY THRU EASTER SUNDAY · SEE REVERSE FOR DETAILS

TUESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY MONDAY WEDNESDAY 23 24 25 **€**X ASH FOR A MORE DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE WEDNESDAY MANY LENTEN EVENTS AT ST. MARGARET'S, **FAMILY STATIONS** PLEASE REFER TO THE CALENDAR OF EVENTS ON 6:30AM MASS, OF THE CROSS 8:15AM MASS, THE REVERSE SIDE. ALL EVENTS LISTED TAKE 3:45 CONFESSIONS 12PM SERVICE PLACE IN THE SMOS CHURCH UNLESS NOTED. W/ASHES 6:30PM 4:30PM MASS LED BY YOUTH MINISTRY 6:30PM MASS 26 27 28 1 2 **1ST SUNDAY** SCOUTS' BREAKFAST FOR DINNER OF LENT MARC 5PM - CHURCH HALL 8AM MASS, 10AM MASS WITH 3:45 CONFESSIONS STATIONS OF THE CROSS 4:30PM MASS RCIA CALL TO 7PM - LFD BY CONTINUING CONVERSION RESPECT LIFE 10 11 2ND SUNDAY "THE CONVERSATION" OF LENT 10AM-2PM - CHURCH HALL 8 MA8 3:45 CONFESSIONS 10AM MASSES 4:30PM MASS 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 **3RD SUNDAY** PARISH OF LENT PENANCE SERVICE 3:45 CONFESSIONS 8AM & CHILDREN'S CHOIR 10AM MASSES 7PM in CHURCH AT 4:30PM MASS 20 21 22 25 23 24 4TH SUNDAY YOUTH MINISTRY GRILLED OF LENT CHEESE & SOUP SUPPER 5:30-7:30PM CHURCH HALL 3:45 CONFESSIONS 8AM & STATIONS OF THE CROSS 4:30PM MASS 10AM MASSES 7PM - LED BY GUN SENSE TEAM 26 27 28 29 1 30 31 5TH SUNDAY FEASTIE BOYS FISH FRY 5-8PM SCHOOL CAFETERIA OF LENT APRII 8AM &10AM MASSES, 3:45 CONFESSIONS STATIONS OF THE CROSS LENTEN COMPLINE 4:30PM MASS 7PM - LFD BY 7:30PM in CHURCH LIVING JUSTICE 3 4 5 PALM HOLY HOLY SATURDAY SUNDAY **THURSDAY** FRIDAY EASTER VIGIL 8AM MASS. 7PM MASS 12PM STATIONS 8PM MASS 9:30 PROCESSION FROM 7PM SERVICE SCHOOL & 10AM MASS

EASTER SUNDAY

8AM & 10AM MASSES CATHOLICS 14* SHOULD ABSTAIN FROM MEAT ON ALL FRIDAYS DURING LENT.

ON ASH WEDNESDAY AND GOOD FRIDAY, IN ADDITION TO ABSTINENCE, CATHOLICS 18-59 SHOULD ALSO FAST, FASTING ALLOWS FOR ONE FULL MEAL A DAY, WITH TWO SMALLER MEALS AND NOTHING BETWEEN MEALS (LIQUIDS ARE PERMITTED). CATHOLICS SHOULD NOT TAKE THESE RECOMMENDATIONS LIGHTLY, THOUGH SERIOUS HEALTH CONDITIONS MAY EXCUSE ONE FROM THESE OBLIGATIONS.



CENTERING PRAYER
- WEDNESDAYS 8:30-9:30AM
in the CANMORE ROOM



DAILY MASS - MONDAY-FRIDAY 6:30AM



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION
- THURSDAYS 7AM-3PM
in the SVDP CHAPEL



SCHOOL MASSES - 8:15AM, SELECTED DATES



2023 LENTEN CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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CANDIDATES

The following individuals will enter into the fullness of our faith during the Easter season. Please pray for them during their final weeks of preparation.





A PRAYER FOR OUR RCIA CANDIDATES:

Holy God, you are the source of Life, and your Spirit stirs within us, calling all to be one in Christ. Look kindly upon those you have called to yourself. Guide and strengthen them in their journey of conversion, lead them to the table of the Eucharist, and seal them with the Spirit of your promise. We pray through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER, SACRAMENT, TRADITION



CENTERING PRAYFR

WEDNESDAYS, 8:30-9:30 AM CANMORE ROOM

MEDITATIVE CONTEMPLATION CONNECTS US TO AN ANCIENT PRAYER PRACTICE, AND TO GOD IN OUR MIDST NOW.



EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

THURSDAYS, 7AM - 3PM SVDP CHAPFI

TAKE AN HOUR (OR STOP IN FOR LONGER OR SHORTER) TO PRAY BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT.



CRS RICF BOWL DISTRIBUTION

RICE BOWLS WILL BE SENT HOME FROM SCHOOL AND ALSO DISTRIBUTED ON ASH WEDNESDAY IN THE BACK OF CHURCH. FILLED RICE BOWLS ARE COLLECTED HOLY THURSDAY MASS.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

FRIDAY, FEB 24, 6:30 PM FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 24, 31, 7PM IN THE CHURCH

PRAYERS FOLLOWING THE WAY OF THE CROSS LET US PARTICPATE IN CHRIST'S PASSION, OUR PARISH MINISTRIES LEAD US IN THIS LENTEN MEDITATION.



PENANCE SERVICE

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 7PM IN THE CHURCH

PREPARE YOUR HEART THROUGH COMMUNAL PRAYER AND AN OPPORUTNITY FOR INDIVIDUAL RECONCILIATION WITH SEVERAL PRIEST-CONFESSORS ON HAND, CONFESSORS WILL BE AVAILABLE UNTIL 7:45 OR UNTIL ALL CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD.



MY REFUGE. MY STRONGHOLD: I FNTFN COMPLINE SUNDAY, MARCH 26, 7:30 PM

IN THE CHURCH SEASONAL INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

30 MINUTES OF FOLLOWED BY SUNG NIGHT PRAYER, FEATURING SMOS MUSIC MINISTRY. COME FOR AN HOUR OF PEACE, REST, HOPE, AND PRAYER AS HOLY WEEK APPROACHES.

FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT ANY OF OUR PARISH LENTEN ACTIVITIES, CONTACT FFC@STMARGARETSTL.ORG OR CALL 314.776.0363

FRIDAY SUPPERS



SCOUT'S BREAKFAST

FRIDAY, MARCH 3rd - 5-7PM CHURCH HALL

ADORABLE CUB SCOUTS WILL SERVE PANCAKES AND TASTY BREAKFAST FIXIN'S TO BENEFIT THEIR PACK.



GRILLED CHEESE & SOUP SUPPER SFRVFD BY YOUTH MINISTRY

FRIDAY, MARCH 24th - 5:30-7:30PM CHURCH HALL

THE YOUTH GROUP SERVES UP HEARTY SOUPS AND GRILLED CHEESE SANDWICHES TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THEIR MINISTRY.



FEASTIE BOYS

FRIDAY, MARCH 31st - 5-8PM PARISH SCHOOL CAFETERIA

THESE TICKETS WILL SELL OUT! PTA SERVES UP SOME OF THEIR FAMOUS FISH DINNERS AND OTHER GOODIES.

LOOK FOR MORE SUPPER DETAILS ON FLYERS. IN THE BULLETIN, AND ON THE WEB. PRE-PAY AND RESERVE YOUR SPOT AT STMARGARETSTL. WESHAREONLINE, ORG. MAKE YOUR MEAL EXTRA SPECIAL BY SPENDING IT WITH YOUR PARISH FRIENDS AND GIVING BACK TO SOME HARD WORKING ORGANIZATIONS.

PALM SLINDAY

PALM SUNDAY COMMEMORATES THE TRIUMPHANT ARRIVAL OF CHRIST IN IFRUSALEM DAYS BEFORE HE WAS CRUCIFIED. PALM FRONDS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED AT ALL MASSES.

APRIL 2ND

(4:30PM SATURDAY MASS) **8AM MASS** 9:30 PROCESSION FROM SCHOOL & 10AM MASS

HOLY THURSDAY

MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

HOLY THURSDAY IS THE COMMEMORATION OF THE LAST SUPPER OF JESUS CHRIST.

> **APRIL 6TH 7PM MASS**

GOOD FRIDAY

MEMORIAL OF THE LORD'S **PASSION & DEATH**

GOOD FRIDAY IS THE COMMEMORATION OF THE CRUCIFIXION OF JESUS CHRIST.

APRIL 7TH

12PM STATIONS 7PM SERVICE

HOLY SATURDAY

THE GREAT EASTER VIGIL

ON THIS NIGHT WE WAIT FOR THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST. RCIA CANDIDATES WILL ENTER INTO FULL COMMUNION WITH THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

> **APRIL 8TH** 8PM MASS

FASTER SLINDAY

RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

THE LORD IS RISEN! WE CELEBRATE THE JOYFUL RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD. JESUS CHRIST. HAPPY EASTER!

APRIL 9TH

8AM MASS & 10AM MASS