

The first four days fall of March fall during the liturgical season known as *Tempus per Annum* or **Ordinary Time** (formerly known as *Time after Epiphany*) which is represented by the liturgical color green. Green, the symbol of hope, is the color of the sprouting seed and arouses in the faithful the hope of reaping the eternal harvest of heaven, especially the hope of a glorious resurrection. The remainder of the month of March is the liturgical season of **Lent** which is represented by the liturgical color violet or purple — a symbol of penance, mortification and the sorrow of a contrite heart. All saint days that are usually Memorials are shifted to Optional Memorials during the season of Lent.

The Holy Father's Intentions for the Month of March 2025

For families in crisis: Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

MONTH of MARCH 2025

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | March | | | | | SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon BINGO – 6:30pm |
| Children's Liturgy 10:15am Knights Pancake Breakfast after all Masses | Office CLOSED | Religious Ed 6:30pm | Adoration 8:30am- 11am Ash Wednesday 8am, 12noon and 7pm Mass Stations of The Cross – after Mass | 6 | 7 World Day of Prayer 10am - 12noon | SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon |
| First Sunday of Lent Children's Liturgy 10:15am Baptism at 1:30pm CWL General Mtg 1:30pm | 10 Office CLOSED | St Joseph Novena - Begins Religious Ed 6:30pm | St Joseph Novena Adoration 8:30am- 11am K of C mtg – 7:30pm Stations of The Cross – after Mass | 13 St Joseph Novena | St Joseph Novena | St Joseph Novena SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon ST PATRICK'S Dinner 5:30pm Guelph Country Club |
| Second Sunday of Lent St Joseph Novena Children's Liturgy 10:15am | St Joseph Novena | St Joseph Novena Religious Ed 6:30pm | FEAST of ST JOSEPH Adoration 8:30am- 11am Stations of The Cross – after Mass | 20 | 21 | SATURDAY MASS – 9am Confessions: 11am -12noon |
| 23 Third Sunday of Lent Children's Liturgy 10:15am 30 Fourth Sunday of Lent | 24 CLOSED | Religious Ed 6:30pm | Adoration 8:30am- 11am Stations of The Cross – after Mass | 27 | 28 | SATURDAY MASS – 9am Martyr Shrine – Relics 9:30 to 3pm Confessions: 11am -12noon |