

# 2013 Lenten Calendar through Palm Sunday 2013

St. Patrick - Most Holy Redeemer - St. Canice

**LENTEN GUIDELINES** Catholics between the ages of 18 and 59 are obliged to fast [two small meals and one regular meal, no eating in between] on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. In addition, all Catholics 14 years old and older must abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday and all Fridays of Lent. **FASTING** is to be observed by all 18 years of age and older, who have not yet celebrated their 59<sup>th</sup> birthday. On a fast day, one full meal is allowed. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to each one's needs, but together they should not equal another full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids, including milk and juices are allowed. **ABSTINENCE** is observed by all 14 years of age and older. On days of abstinence no meat is allowed. Note that when health or ability to work would be seriously affected the law does not oblige. When in doubt concerning fast and abstinence the parish priest should be consulted [CCL, Nos. 1251-1252] Fasting, almsgiving and prayer are the three traditional disciplines of Lent. The faithful and catechumens should undertake these practices seriously in a spirit of penance and of preparation for baptism or of renewal of baptism at Easter.

## **ST. PATRICK LENTEN WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE**

St. Patrick, Shieldsville	Tuesday	8:30 a.m.
	Fridays in Lent	8:30 a.m.

## **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION DURING LENT**

Most Holy Redeemer	February 16, 2013	4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.
St. Canice	February 23, 2013	10:00 a.m.—Noon
Most Holy Redeemer	“ “ “	4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.
MHR Faith Formation	February 27, 2013	6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	March 2, 2013	4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.

**March 5, 2013 Communal Penance Service and individual confessions as part of the Parish Mission in Most Holy Redeemer. All three communities are invited to participate. More priests are available.**

St Canice	March 9, 2013	10:30 a.m.—11:30 a.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	“ “ “	4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.
St Patrick Faith Formation	March 13, 2013	6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
St. Patrick	March 14, 2013	6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	March 16, 2013	4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.
St. Patrick	March 19, 2013	9:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m.
St. Canice	March 20, 2013	6:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m.
HRS School Children	March 21, 2013	1:30 p.m.—3:00 p.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	March 23, 2013	4:00 p.m.—4:45 p.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	March 26, 2013	6:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	March 28, 2013	10:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m.

## **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

St. Patrick, Shieldsville	All Wednesdays inn Lent	7:00 p.m.
Most Holy Redeemer	Wednesdays in Lent	2:00 p.m.
	Wednesday, February 20 led by Faith Formation	7:00 p.m.
	Good Friday	3:00 p.m.
St. Canice	Fridays of Lent	7:00 p.m.
	Wednesday, February 20 led by Faith Formation	7:00 p.m.

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## **CHRISM MASS**

Cathedral of St. Paul, St. Paul Tuesday, March 19, 2013

7:00 p.m.

## **40 HOURS ADORATION**

Most Holy Redeemer Chapel February 28<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 a.m. thru March 1<sup>st</sup> at Midnight

**PARISH MISSION** This is open to all three parishes. Held at Most Holy Redeemer - Monday, March 4 through Wednesday, March 6 from 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. each evening

## **CANTATA & MEATLESS MEAL**

Most Holy Redeemer Friday, March 15, 2013

6:30 p.m.

Most Holy Redeemer Good Friday (Cantata Only)

6:15 p.m.

## **St. Patrick Activities during Lent**

**Kitui Kenya Water Project** Open to the parish and ongoing through Lent The people of Kitui need to have clean water for cooking and drinking. Money helps dig wells and build water filtration systems. Envelopes available by water bottle in narthex. Please make checks payable to St. Patrick and we write one check. In Memo line write: KITUI WATER Coin, Cash and Envelopes may be dropped in bottle.

**Mass Journals** We invite you to take a Mass Journal and each week, bring it with you to Mass. Before you leave Mass, jot a thought, inspiration, challenge, idea, or movement of your heart that occurred during Mass. By recalling just an idea every week from Mass we will begin to pay closer attention to Mass, we'll see how God is moving in our lives, and it will give us a simple, but very tangible way of growing in our faith. You may even want to continue your journal after Lent.

**Cash For the Area Food Shelf** This is ongoing through Lent. Instead of collecting food we are asking a monetary donation. For a \$10 donation Area Food Shelves can purchase 3 times as much food as you can. Envelopes are located on the Lenten table in the narthex. Checks may be made out to St. Patrick and all money collected will be given to the Faribault Area Food Shelf. Our Goal is to collect \$500. If each family gave \$2 we would more than surpass our goal.

**World Thanks Offering** This is ongoing through Lent and replaces our Rice Bowl Activity. Pick up a sheet. Go home and go through the list. Money collected will be sent to Catholic Relief Services. Please join this eye-opening and meaningful Lenten observance.

**Palm Braiding** Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. Faith Formation Classes will attend. Anyone who can help with Palm Braiding is appreciated, even if you only know one type of braid. Please contact Tracy in the office.

**St. Patrick's Day Celebration** Sunday, March 17 Mass @ 10:30 a.m.

\*11:30 a.m. Mulligan Stew lunch \* 12:15 p.m. Cindy McCormick will play her harp & the St. Patrick's Choir will entertain with Irish Songs \*12:45 p.m. Bingo for Fun and Prizes