

Season Of Lent 2022

Day	Description
25/03/2022	<p>FRIDAY: THE SOLEMNITY OF ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD This Solemnity takes precedent over the Lenten weekday. However, we will still keep the Friday Evening Services. <i>Both fasting and abstinence can trace their usage back to Old Testament times, and the concept of intentionally limiting the amount or types of food eaten was not foreign to the first Christians. To them, it was not only a sign of one's sorrow and penance before God, but it was also a pious work that helped unite them more closely to the passion of Jesus.</i></p> <p>SERVICES: 07:00 pm to 09:00 pm St. Peter Chanel † WAY OF THE CROSS † MERCY HOURS (Holy Hour and Sacrament of Reconciliation) DAY OF PRAYER FOR FAMILY LIFE</p>
27/03/2022	<p>FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (Year C) <i>The Lord Who Welcomes Sinners: We celebrate this Mass in the joy of forgiveness, and gratefully eat manna, the food that our Father gives us for our journey to the kingdom where his banquet is prepared for us. (The Sunday Missal)</i> MASS OF SECOND SCRUTINY (Year A Readings) <i>Our Shepherd-King in this Valley of Darkness: We walk in the darkness of this world, often assailed by fear and misgiving. But Christ, the Shepherd-King, the second David, lights up our way for us and cures our congenital blindness as he leads us to his kingdom. (The Sunday Missal)</i></p>
01/04/2022	<p>FRIDAY of the Fourth Week of Lent: <i>"Let the grace of your baptism bear fruit in a path of holiness. Let everything be open to God; turn to him in every situation. Do not be dismayed, for the power of the Holy Spirit enables you to do this, and holiness, in the end, is the fruit of the Holy Spirit in your life (cf. Gal 5:22-23)."</i> (Pope Francis, Gaudete et Exsultate, no. 5) As Lent reaches its higher point, let us recommit ourselves to prayer, fasting, and almsgiving to purify our hearts for the Paschal feast.</p> <p>SERVICES: 07:00 pm to 09:00 pm St. Peter Chanel † WAY OF THE CROSS † Sermon on "RESURRECTION" † MERCY HOURS (Holy Hour and Sacrament of Reconciliation)</p>
02/04/2022	<p>SATURDAY of the Fourth Week of Lent: Veiling Images for Passiontide <i>In the Roman Missal we find the instruction, "the practice of covering crosses and images throughout the church from the fifth Sunday of Lent may be observed. Crosses remain covered until the end of the Celebration of the Lord's Passion on Good Friday, but images remain covered until the beginning of the Easter Vigil."</i></p>

03/04/2022	<p>FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT (Year C) <i>The Lord Who has wiped out our Past Sinfulness: The utter completeness of Christ's forgiveness is almost incredible. When he says to us 'Neither do I condemn you', the pas is dead, snuffed out like a wick, forgotten. Laughter and song fill our hearts. It seems like a dream.</i> (The Sunday Missal)</p> <p>MASS OF THIRD SCRUTINY (Year A Readings) <i>Christ breathes not us His Living Spirit: Today we open ourselves to Christ's life-giving Spirit. We pray too for those who are to be given the new life of the Spirit in Baptism this Easter.</i> (The Sunday Missal)</p>
08/04/2022	<p>FRIDAY of the Fifth Week of Lent: <i>The seasons and days of penance in the course of the liturgical year (Lent, and each Friday in memory of the death of the Lord) are intense moments of the Church's penitential practice. These times are particularly appropriate for spiritual exercises, penitential liturgies, pilgrimages as signs of penance, voluntary self-denial such as fasting and almsgiving, and fraternal sharing (charitable and missionary works).</i> (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 1438)</p> <p>SERVICES: 07:00 pm to 09:00 pm St. Peter Chanel ✠ WAY OF THE CROSS ✠ MERCY HOURS (Holy Hour and Sacrament of Reconciliation)</p>
10/04/2022	<p>PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD (Year C) <i>On this day the Church celebrates Christ's entrance into Jerusalem to accomplish his paschal mystery. Accordingly, with the procession or the solemn entrance before the principal Mass, with the simple entrance before the other Masses.</i> (The Sunday Missal)</p> <p>Liturgical Notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The Commemoration of the Lord's Entrance ✓ The Reading of the Passion Narratives: It is proclaimed without candles, incense, greeting, signs of the cross, or final acclamation.