



# LENT

## Preparing our Hearts for Easter...

Prayer

"In the face of so many wounds that hurt us and could lead to a hardness of heart, we are called to dive into the sea of prayer, which is the sea of the boundless love of God, in order to experience his tenderness."

Fasting

"Fasting makes sense if it really chips away at our security and, as a consequence, benefits someone else, if it helps us cultivate the style of the good Samaritan, who bent down to his brother in need and took care of him. Fasting should "exercise the heart" in order to recognize what is absolutely essential and to teach one how to share with others."



Almsgiving

"Almsgiving is a practice that should be common among all Christians, but especially during Lent. Christians give concrete help and attention to those in need, asking nothing in return, as they recognize how much God has given them even though that they were not deserving."

### JOIN US FOR MASS

- Saturday 4:30 p.m.
- Sunday 11:00 a.m.
- 6:00 p.m.
- Mon, Wed. Fri. 12:05 p.m.
- Tuesday 8:00 p.m.

### AND THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

- For Students:
- 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. every Tuesday in the Daily Chapel
  - 9:00 - 11:00 p.m. on Wed., April 1 with multiple confessors
- For Permanent Community:
- 4:00 - 7:00 p.m. on Wed., April 1 - "Leave the Light On" throughout the Diocese
  - Deanery Penance Service:
    - 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 25 at St. Catherine Parish



### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**Tuesdays 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. and Fridays 12:30 - 4:00 p.m. (except March 6 and 13, and Good Friday, April 10) in the Daily Chapel**

### LENTEN CARE BAGS

Help support local pantries and shelters by collecting non-perishable food items and toiletries in a paper bag and bring it to the Kirtland Classroom (the room to the right of the bathrooms) **no later than Palm Sunday, April 5.** Volunteers may also be needed to help deliver the bags on April 6.

### PICK UP YOUR CROSS!

It's a tradition at Corpus Christi to wear a Lenten Cross throughout Lent as a visible reminder of the season. Pick up yours in the Gathering Space!



### LENTEN BOOKLETS -

**DAYBREAK** BY FR. RON ROLHEISER, OMI Provided FREE for you during Lent, the Daybreaks booklets written by Fr. Ron Rolheiser, OMI draw on Scripture, literature, and personal experience to show that God's love is unconditional and challenges us to be more loving and forgiving Christians.

## FORMATION OPPORTUNITIES

### SPRING FORMATION SERIES

Join Dr. Peter Feldmeier as he guides you through the topic of **Spirituality**. Come when you can!  
**Every Wednesday 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. March 4 - April 8 at Corpus Christi.**

### PARISH MISSION

Join St. Catherine's Parish for their Parish Mission. The topic is "Find Your Way Home" with speaker Christine Watkins, MTS, LCSW. March 22 - 24 at 7:00 p.m.

### BACIK LECTURE

Fr. Jim Bacik will give a lecture titled "The Samaritan Woman at Jacob's Well: An Inspiration for our Spiritual Life" Thurs., March 12 from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. in the Franciscan Center at Sylvania Franciscan Village. Tickets are \$10 reserved: \$15 at the door. Reserve tickets online ([www.sylvaniafranciscanvillage.org](http://www.sylvaniafranciscanvillage.org)) or by phone 419-824-3515.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

#### EVENING COMMUNAL PRAYER

Friday, March 20 at 7p.m. - We will be praying the Stations aloud together. Join us as we journey through Christ's Passion with vocal prayer and song.

#### WEEKLY

Meditate on the Stations of the Cross during Lent. Booklets are available at the first Station located in the floor in Church. **(Mon.-Wed., & Fri.. 10:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.)**

### LENTEN CONCERT

**Thursday, March 26 from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.** in the Church. Join Fr. Jeremy, his father Ron Miller, and other musical guests for an evening of music and reflection.

### GRAD STUDENT RETREAT

**Saturday, March 21 from 3:00 - 8:30 p.m.** Register at <http://bit.ly/ccupspringgradretreat>

### WALK FOR WATER

Even though this event is after Easter, consider registering for this annual 5k as part of your Lenten almsgiving! Money raised provides clean water for the world! Race and walk begins at **2:00 p.m. Sun., April 19 at Centennial Mall on UT's campus.** Pre-register at [walkforwatertoledo.com](http://walkforwatertoledo.com) or register the day of.

## HOLY WEEK

Palm Sunday	Holy Thursday	Good Friday	Holy Saturday	Easter Sunday
April 4/5 Sat. 4:30 p.m. Sun. 11:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	April 9 Mass of the Lord's Supper at 7:30 p.m.  Adoration until Midnight	April 10 Passion Liturgy 12 noon  Seven Last Words 7:00 p.m.	April 11 Easter Vigil 8:30 p.m.	April 12 Mass 11 a.m.