

## Paschal Triduum & Easter Time

### Thursday, March 29

#### HOLY THURSDAY OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

No 8:00am Mass, St. John the Baptist Church  
5:30-7:15pm, Soup & Sharing Meal, Fremont Hall  
7:30pm, Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper: Holy Angels Church  
*Community Foot Washing, Eucharist, Eucharistic Procession*  
10:30pm, Prayer During the Night Watch, Holy Angels Church  
Ending at Midnight: Eucharistic Adoration at the Altar of Repose

### Friday, March 30

#### GOOD FRIDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

No 8:00am Mass, St. John the Baptist Church  
No Adoration or Benediction, St. John the Baptist Church  
9:00am, Prayer During the Morning Watch, St. John the Baptist  
*Via Crucis (en Español)*, 1:00pm, Holy Angels Grounds & Church  
3:00pm, Liturgia en Español  
7:30pm, Commemoration of the Lord's Passion (English),  
Holy Angels Church  
10pm, Tenebrae, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

### Saturday, March 31

#### HOLY SATURDAY

No 8:00am Mass, St. John the Baptist Church  
No Confessions Today  
9:00am, Prayer During the Morning Watch, Holy Angels Church  
8:00pm, Easter Vigil in the Holy Night, Holy Angels  
*Blessing of the New Fire, Preparation of the New Candle,  
Easter Proclamation, Liturgy of the Word,  
Sacraments of Initiation, Liturgy of the Eucharist*

### Sunday, April 1

#### EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)

### Sunday, May 20

#### PENTECOST SUNDAY

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
Saturday-7pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
1pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel

## Beat the Easter Sunday Morning Crowds! Read on...

It is great to see so many people "come home" to our parish at Easter; however, for those of us who are here every weekend, **we** sometimes may seem out of place! Why not beat the Easter Sunday morning crowds?! How? Come to the Easter Vigil! After all, it **is** the most holy night of the year, **and it fulfills your Easter Sunday obligation**. Plus, it leaves time on Sunday morning to prepare for your family time! As the saying goes, "Don't knock it until you've tried it!" *Read on!* ...

Every year as we get closer to Easter, some people wonder if they should go to the Easter Vigil Mass on Holy Saturday. They have heard it takes longer than usual and they don't really know what this "Vigil" part of it means. Some even doubt that it fulfills their Sunday obligation, when in fact it is the holiest celebration of the entire year!

A "Vigil" is a time of watching and waiting for something that is important to us. We vigil near the phone when a relative is expecting a baby or in a hospital while someone has surgery. Vigils are a time of reflection, of facing reality, and of promise. We do what we can to get through vigils: praying, talking, pacing, and the like.

On one night every year the whole Catholic Church keeps a special Vigil, one that, over sixteen hundred years ago, St. Augustine called "the mother of all Vigils." After twilight, in darkness, millions of Catholics around the world gather in churches, basilicas, chapels, and cathedrals to watch and wait, to pray and listen, and then—finally—to celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

The greatest Vigil of the Catholic Church is called the Easter Vigil, which we will celebrate in our parish on March 31 at 8:00pm in Holy Angels Church. We will begin outside by lighting the huge, new fire and a new Easter candle. We will hear God's Word throughout the ages and baptize new members into our Church. This Liturgy has four major parts and, yes, it is longer than a Sunday Mass. But don't let the extra time discourage you; remember that this is the greatest, holiest night of the **entire** year!

So...eat your dinner, take a nap, get dressed up and then come to church ready for a great spiritual experience. We **guarantee** you'll be glad you did! **Did you mark your calendar yet?** © Pastoral Press, Ed. S Adams

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200 E. Main St. (Chapel & Main Streets) — Downtown Newark

#### Holy Angels Church

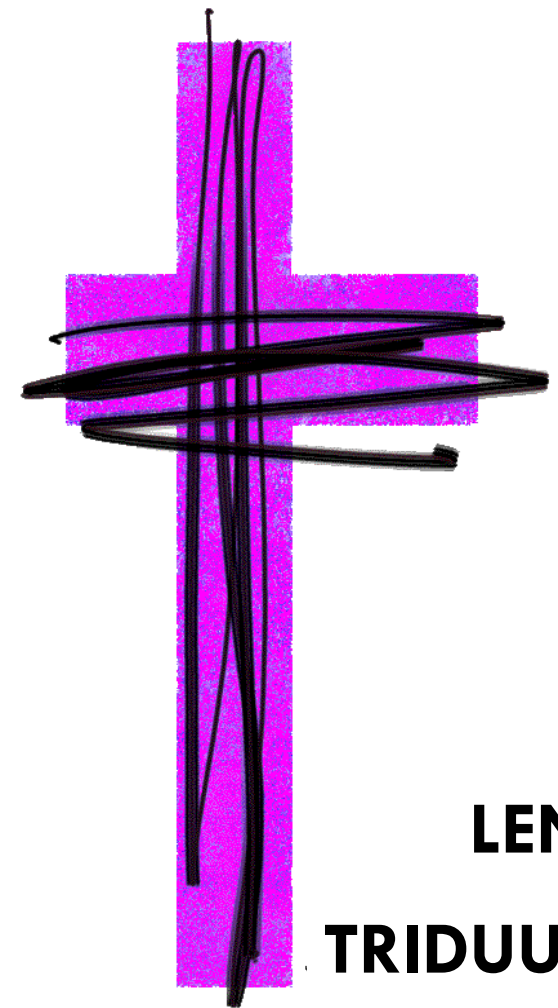
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# LENT

# TRIDUUM

# EASTER

# 2018

## Schedule of Parish Liturgies & Activities

St. John the Baptist—Holy Angels  
Roman Catholic Parish  
Newark, Delaware

# Season of Lent - 2018

**MORNING PRAYER SERIES**  
FEBRUARY 22, MARCH 5, MARCH 20, MARCH 28  
10:00am, Holy Angels Church

## Wednesday, February 14

### ASH WEDNESDAY

8:00am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:00am, Holy Angels Church, Liturgy of the Word  
12:05pm, St. John the Baptist Church, Liturgy of the Word  
12:15pm, Holy Angels Church, Liturgy of the Word  
6:30pm, Holy Angels Church, Liturgy of the Word  
7:00pm, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
7:30pm, Holy Angels Church, (Misa en Español)

## Weekdays Year-Round (Except March 29-31)

### DAILY MASS

8:00am, St. John the Baptist Church  
(Confessions follow on Saturdays except March 31.)

## Thursday Mornings in Lent

### PRAY WITH THE SCRIPTURES

10:30am, Parish Center

## Fridays Year-Round (Except March 30)

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

8:30am, St. John the Baptist Church

## Friday, February 16

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel (English)  
8:00pm, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

## Sunday, February 18

### FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel

## Friday, February 23

### FISH FRY DINNER AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS

3:00-6:00pm, Fremont Hall (take-out only)  
7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel (English)  
8:00pm, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

## Sunday, February 25

### SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel

## Wednesday, February 28

### FILM: ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI - CATHOLICISM SERIES

7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel

## Friday, March 2

### FISH TACO DINNER AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS

5:30-8:00pm, Fremont Hall  
7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel (English)  
8:00pm, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

## Sunday, March 4

### THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
*First Scrutiny (Exorcism & Prayer over RCIA Elect),*  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel  
*RCIA Presentation of the Nicene Creed at Vespers*

## Friday, March 9

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel (English)  
8:00pm, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

## Sunday, March 11

### FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
*Second Scrutiny (Exorcism & Prayer over Elect)*  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel

## Tuesday, March 13

### LENTEN PENANCE SERVICE

7:00pm, Holy Angels Church

## Wednesday, March 14

### FILM: A CELTIC PILGRIMAGE

7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel

## Friday, March 16

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel (English)  
8:00pm, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

## Sunday, March 18

### FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
*Third Scrutiny (Exorcism & Prayer over Elect)*  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel  
*RCIA Presentation of the Lord's Prayer at Vespers*

## Friday, March 23

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS

7:00pm, St. Michael Chapel (English)  
8:00pm, Holy Angels Church (en Español)

## Sunday, March 25

### PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION

Saturday-3pm, Confessions, Holy Angels Church  
Saturday-5pm, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
*Procession with Palm Commemorating the Lord's Entrance into Jerusalem at the 5pm Mass, Beginning Outside of Holy Angels Church*  
8am & 10am, St. John the Baptist Church, Mass  
10:30am, Holy Angels Church, Mass  
1:00pm & 7:30pm, Holy Angels Church (Misa en Español)  
6:00pm, Vespers, St. Michael Chapel