ST. BRENDAN LENT CALENDAR 2025			Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			 March 5 ASH WEDNESDAY 9:00AM Mass School/Parish 12:00PM Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes 7:00PM Bilingual Mass 	6 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	7 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 6:00PM Soup Supper • 7:00PM Stations of the Cross	8 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 2:30-4PM Confessions • 5:00PM Vigil Mass
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday				
9 1st Sunday of Lent 8:00AM/10:00AM Mass 12:00PM Misa en Español	10 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	11 No Mass	12 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 5:30PM Fish Fry • 6:00PM Adult Education	13 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	14 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 6:00PM Soup Supper • 7:00PM Stations of the Cross	15 • 7:30AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 2:30-4:00PM Confessions • 5:00PM Vigil Mass
16 2nd Sunday of Lent 8:00AM/10:00AM Mass 12:00PM Misa en Español	17 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 5:00PM Potato Bake	18 No Mass	19 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 5:30PM Fish Fry • 6:00PM Adult Education	20 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	21 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30PM Mass • 6:00PM Soup Supper • 7:00PM Stations of the Cross • 8:00PM Stations of the Cross in Spanish	22 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 2:30-4:00PM Confessions • 5:00PM Vigil Mass
23 3rd Sunday of Lent (Scrutiny #1 at 12PM Mass) 8:00AM/10:00AM Mass 12:00PM Misa en Español	24 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	25 No Mass	26 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 5:30PM Fish Fry • 6:00PM Adult Education	27 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	28 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 6:00PM Soup Supper • 7:00PM Stations of the Cross	29 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 2:30-4:00PM Confessions • 5:00PM Vigil Mass • 6:30-8:00PM Confessions
30 4th Sunday of Lent (<i>Scrutiny # 2 at 10AM Mass</i>) 8:00AM /10:00AM Mass 12:00PM Misa en Españo l	31 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	April 1 No Mass	2 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 5:30 PM Fish Fry • 6:00PM Adult Education	3 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	4 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 6:00PM Soup Supper • 7:00PM Stations of the Cross	5 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 2:00-4:00PM Confessions • 5:00PM Vigil Mass
6 5th Sunday of Lent (Scrutiny # 3 at 8AM Mass) 8:00AM /10:00AM Mass 12:00PM Misa en Español	7 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass	8 No Mass	9 • 8:00AM Mass	10 No Mass	11 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 6:30PM Soup Supper • 8:00PM Living Station of the Cross	12 • 7:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 2:00-4:00PM Confessions • 5:00PM Vigil Mass
13 Palm Sunday	14 Holy Week •6:30-8:15AM Confessions •8:30AM Mass •9:30-11:00AM Confessions	15 No Mass	16 • 7:30-8:15AM Confessions • 8:30AM Mass • 8:30PM Tenebrae	17 HOLY THRUSDAY • 8:45AM School foot washing • 7:00PM Mass of the Lord's Supper Bilingual • 8:30PM- Midnight Adoration	18 GOOD FRIDAY • 9:00AM Living Stations with school • 10:00-11:30AM Confessions • 12:00-3:00PM Seven Last Words • 3:00PM Divine Mercy Novena • 7:00PM The Lord's Passion	19 HOLY SATURDAY • <i>No morning Mass</i> • <i>No AM or PM confessions</i> • 9:00AM OCIA Retreat • 8:30PM (dusk) Easter Vigil
April 20 Easter Sunday 7:45AM/10:00AM Mass 12:15PM Misa en Español	Dying, You Destroyed Our Death. Rising, You Restored Our Life. LORD JESUS, Come in Glory!					

<u> Ash Wednesday – March 5</u>

- 9AM Mass with Distribution of Ashes.
- 12PM English Prayer Service with Distribution of Ashes.
- 7PM Mass/Bilingual with Distribution of Ashes

Extended Morning Confessions March 6th through March 15th

• 7:30AM – 8:15AM Mon | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat

Extended Morning Confessions March 17thth through April 12th

• 7:15AM – 8:15AM Mon | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat

Additional Confession times:

- March 29 | Saturday | 6:30PM-8:00PM
- April 14 | Monday | 6:30AM 8:15AM & 9:30AM – 11:00AM
- April 16 | Wednesday | 7:30AM 8:15AM
- April 18 | Friday | 10:00AM 11:30AM

Adult Education (Narthex)

- Wednesday at 6:00pm in English
 - March 12, 19 & 26 | April 2

Friday Stations of the Cross

- March 7, 14, 21 & 28 | 7:00PM English
- March 21 | 8:00PM Spanish
- April 4 | 7:00PM English
- April 11 | 8:00PM Living Stations

The Divine Mercy Novena Begins Good Friday

Join us as we pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy Novena every day at 3:00PM in the Nave, starting on Good Friday (April 18) until Divine Mercy Sunday (April 27)

Divine Mercy Sunday April 27

- 3:00PM Divine Mercy Chaplet
- 3:15PM Benediction



Lent at St. Brendan

The Lenten season prepares us to celebrate the most important feast of the year, the Easter Triduum, when we commemorate the central events of our salvation: Jesus' last supper, death, and resurrection. The 40 days are spent in prayer, fasting, and penance as we prepare to be joined with Christ's death and resurrection through the Sacraments of Initiation. Everyone needs a time of prayer and penance on a regular basis. To benefit the most from our observance of Lent today, it may be helpful to consider one of the Lenten Opportunities listed on this page. May our Lenten observance renew us and bring us to a meaningful celebration of Easter.

LENTEN OPPORTUNITIES

<u>The Triduum</u>

Rehearsal Times for Liturgical Ministers

- Wednesday, April 16, 6:00PM Servers, Sacristans, Ushers
- Friday, April 18, 4:00PM Servers, Sacristans, Ushers
- Saturday, April 19, 1:30PM Lectors, Servers, Sacristans, Ushers

Holy Thursday—April 17

- 8:45AM School Foot Washing | Prayer Service
- 7:00PM Mass of the Lord's Supper (Bilingual)
- 8:30PM to Midnight Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Good Friday—April 18

- 9:00AM Living Stations of the Cross with School
- 12:00PM-3:00PM Seven Last Words
- 3:00PM Divine Mercy Novena Begins
- 7:00PM Solemn Celebration of the Lord's Passion (Bilingual)

Holy Saturday—April 19

- 9:00AM OCIA Retreat
- 8:30PM Easter Vigil Mass (Bilingual) Celebration of the Sacraments of Initiation & reception after the Vigil.

Easter Sunday—April 20

Mass at 7:45AM, 10:00AM, and 12:15PM (Spanish)

Easter Egg Hunt after 7:45AM & 10:00AM Masses

Lenten Discipline

The Church calls all Catholics to observe Lent through the ancient disciplines of fasting and abstinence from meat by:

FASTING on Ash Wednesday and on Good Friday for all who are 18 through 59 years of age. Fasting consists of only one full meal with two smaller meals allowed if necessary. (Fasting is not required but encourage for people older than 59 if physically able).

ABSTAINING from meat for those 14 years of age and older on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all Fridays.

Tenebrae (—Latin for "darkness") is a religious service of Western Christianity held during the three days preceding Easter Day, and characterized by gradual extinguishing of candles, and by a "strepitus" or "loud noise" taking place in total darkness near the end of the service.

Parish Office Closed

- Good Friday, April 18
- Easter Monday, April 21
- Easter Tuesday, April 22

