

# 2018 LENT, HOLY WEEK & EASTER CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**This Lenten Season:** (1) We will be offering an additional **12 Noon daily Mass**, February 14 through Wednesday, March 28. (2) We will be offering extended **Adoration of the Holy Eucharist**. 9AM-7PM Monday through Friday, Feb. 15 through March 23. (3) Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are obligatory **days of fasting** (no eating between meals) **and abstinence** (simple, meatless meals are permitted) for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence (simple, meatless meals are permitted). The norms on fasting are obligatory for ages 18 to 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat one full meal and two smaller meals. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding upon members of the Catholic Church from age 14 onwards.



## SHROVE TUESDAY (the day before the season of Lent begins)

February 13, 7:00 PM: Palm Burning Celebration in the Grotto

## ASH WEDNESDAY MASS TIMES

Wednesday, February 14 – the first day of Lent

7:00 AM	Mass	12:00 NOON	Mass
8:30 AM	Mass	4:00 PM	Service Only (Religious Education)
10:00 AM	Mass (School)	7:00 PM	Mass in the Church – (Interpreted for the Deaf)
		7:00 PM	Mass in the Parish Life Center (Spanish)

## RECONCILIATION

Tuesday, March 13 Parish Reconciliation Service: 10:00 AM & 7:00 PM in the Church with Individual Confessions

Monday, March 26 (Holy Week) Individual Confessions: 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM & 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Tuesday, March 27 (Holy Week) Individual Confessions: 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

Every Saturday (except March 31): Individual Confessions: 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM & 6:00 PM – 6:45 PM

## “PLUGGED IN” Lenten Message Series at all of the weekend Masses:

February 24/25	“Download: What are you listening to?”	March 10/11	“Plugged In: Plug into the source of Faith”
March 3/4	“Healthy Connections”	March 17/18	“Charged: Fully charged lives of Faith”

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Fridays, February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16 & 23: 2:15 PM in the Church – Presented by St. Mary Magdalen School

Fridays, February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16 & 23: 7:00 PM in the Divine Mercy Chapel in English

Fridays, February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16 & 23: 7:00 PM in the San Juan de la Cruz Room in the Annex in Spanish

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

March 4: 1:00 PM following the 12 NOON Mass in the Church

## MEN’S MASS MINISTRY

March 6 and April 3: 7:00 PM in the Church



## ADULT CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

Begins **Sunday, February 25: 1:15 PM** in the Parish Life Center in English; Begins **Mondays, February 26: 7:00 PM** in Parish Office in Spanish. Confirmation will be on June 3, 2018 at St. James Cathedral!

## ASH WEDNESDAY RICE & BEANS & LENTEN FISH FRYS

Wednesday, February 14: 5:30 PM – 6:45 PM in the School Cafeteria, Free Lenten Meal

Fridays, February 16, 23, March 2, 9, 16 & 23: 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM in the School Cafeteria  
(Ash Wednesday & Fridays during Lent are days of abstinence from meat for those 14 years and older)

## TOGETHER IN HOLINESS MARRIAGE CONFERENCE

Sat., March 10: 11:30 AM – 6:00 PM in the Parish Life Center

## GREAT DATE NIGHT

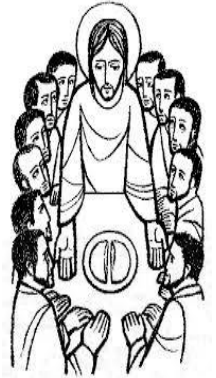
Friday, March 23: 6:30 PM -8:30 PM Marriage enrichment with dinner and babysitting available in the Parish Life Center

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### **GREAT ADVENTURE BIBLE SERIES**

Sunday nights	7:00 PM	Ephesians, starts <b>March 11</b> in the Parish Life Center
Monday nights	7:00 PM	La Misa, starts <b>Feb 19</b> in the Parish Life Center
Wednesday nights	7:00 PM	Wisdom, starts <b>March 7</b> in the Annex

### **MONDAY & TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK**

Monday, March 26:	7:00 PM	Movie: The Passion of the Christ ( <i>in Spanish</i> ) in the Church
Following the Movie		Procession of the 33 Creeds traveling from the Church to the Track
Tuesday, March 27:	7:00 PM	Parish Seder Meal in the Parish Life Center (ticketed event)

### **WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK (WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28)**

Wednesday, March 28:	6:30 PM	Sacred Chrism Mass at St. James Cathedral
	7:00 PM	<b>TENEBRAE Prayer Service</b> (The Last Seven Days of Christ) in the Church

### **HOLY THURSDAY SERVICES (THURSDAY, MARCH 29)**

Thursday, March 29:	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer in the Church
	7:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper in the Church ( <i>Interpreted for the Deaf</i> )
	7:00 PM	Mass of the Lord's Supper in the Parish Life Center ( <i>Spanish</i> )
		The Divine Mercy Chapel will be open for prayer following the Mass of the Lord's Supper until 12 Midnight
	11:45 PM	Night Prayer in the Divine Mercy Chapel

### **GOOD FRIDAY SERVICES (FRIDAY, MARCH 30) (Day of fasting and abstinence)**

Friday, March 30:	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer in the Church
	3:00 PM	"Passion of the Lord" Service in the Church
	3:00 PM	Meditation of the Way of the Cross in the Parish Life Center ( <i>Spanish</i> )
	4:00 PM	Divine Mercy Prayer in the Parish Life Center ( <i>Spanish</i> )
	6:00 PM	Sermon on the 7 Last Words of Christ in the Parish Life Center ( <i>Spanish</i> )
	7:00 PM	"Passion of the Lord" Service in the Church ( <i>Interpreted for the Deaf</i> )

### **HOLY SATURDAY (SATURDAY, MARCH 31)**

Saturday, March 31:	8:30 AM	Morning Prayer in the Grotto
		<b>Blessing of Easter Foods</b> – In the Grotto Following English Morning Prayer ( <i>weather permitting</i> )
	10:00 AM	Easter Egg Hunt on the lawn near the Annex building
Saturday, March 31:	8:00 PM	<b>Easter Vigil Bi-lingual Mass</b>
		Begins on the track with the Blessing of the Easter Fire

**PLEASE NOTE:** No 5:00 PM or 7:00 PM Masses are offered on Holy Saturday. No Confessions are heard.

### **EASTER SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE (SUNDAY, APRIL 1)**

6:30 AM Sunrise Service	Mass Outdoors on the Parish Grounds next to the Gym (Please bring a lawn chair)
8:00 AM	Mass in the Church
10:00 AM	Mass in the Church with the Adult Choir ( <i>Interpreted for the Deaf</i> )
10:15 AM	Mass in the Parish Life Center with Contemporary Christian Music
12:00 NOON	Mass in the Church with Contemporary Christian Music
12:00 NOON	Spanish Mass in the Parish Life Center w/ Spanish Contemporary Choir

**PLEASE NOTE:** No 5:30 PM Mass on Easter Sunday.



### **St. Mary Magdalen Parish is located at**

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**Questions:** Call St. Mary Magdalen Parish Office at 407.831.1212

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