



LENT 2026 SCHEDULE



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18 - THURSDAY, APRIL 2

ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

- 7:00AM
- 8:30AM
- 12:00PM (Noon)
- 6:00PM

Wednesday, February 18

FRIDAY FISH FRY DINNERS

Dinners will be available for eat-in or take-out
in the Saint James
Parish Center Gymnasium.
\$12.00 in advance - \$15.00 at the door

February 27 and March 6, 20 & 27
@ 5:00PM - 6:30PM

LIVE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Saint J Youth will present Live Stations of the
Cross in the Saint James
Parish Center Gymnasium.

Good Friday, April 3 @ 3:00PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Journey as a faith community on the
sorrowful Way of the Cross each week.

Fridays @ 2:00PM

PARISH RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Wednesday, March 25 @ 12:00PM

During the weeks of March 23 and
March 30, other evening Reconciliation
opportunities will be available at
neighboring parishes.

LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

"St. Joseph - The Hidden King" will be held
March 2, 9, & 16 at the Philomena House.

Please RSVP to Chris Molino at
evangelization@saintjamescc.com

COUPLE PRAYER SERIES

A 5-week Couple Prayer Series for
engaged and married couples starting
February 19 and continuing throughout

Lent will be held in the Church.

Scan the QR code to register today!

Thursdays 6:00PM - 7:30PM





LENTEN FASTING + ABSTINENCE GUIDELINES

Fasting: Catholics 18-59 years of age, who are in good health, are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On all the weekdays of Lent, the U.S. Bishops strongly encourage the faithful to participate in Mass and to observe a self-imposed fast. The law of fasting allows only one full meal a day, but does not prohibit taking some food in the morning and evening. Customarily, the two smaller "collations," when considered together, should not equal the main meal and ideally should be eaten only if needed to maintain one's strength.

Abstinence: All Catholics 14 years of age and older are obliged to abstain from meat on Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and all the Fridays of Lent, unless the Friday is a solemnity.

TIME, TALENT + TREASURE

Lent is not only a time for fasting and abstinence; it is also a time to do more or be more active in your Saint James Parish. Here are a few things you might consider doing during Lent:

TIME

- Pray the Rosary every day
- Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet
- Go to confession
- Go to daily Mass
- Attend Stations of the Cross
- Sign up for the Couples Prayer Series

- Sign up for the Lenten Bible Study

- Bring/encourage others to attend Mass
- Visit our Perpetual Adoration Chapel frequently

TALENT

- Complete a Faith Formation Plan
- Join one of our many ministries

TREASURE

- Donate food and drinks to our Saint J Youth Group
- Donate to the Catholic Sharing Appeal
- Donate a bag of food to our St. Vincent De Paul food bank

For more information on how you can do more this Lent, please contact the Parish Office (228-896-6059).

Faith Formation Plan - biloxidiocese.org/faith-formation-plans

For donations: Saint J Youth Group youthminister@saintjamescc.com and SVDP stjamessvdp07@gmail.com

MASS SCHEDULE + OPPORTUNITIES FOR GRACE

Sunday: 9:00AM, 11:00AM & 5:30PM

Confession is also available upon request & the Rosary is prayed daily.

Monday: 7:00AM & 8:30AM

Tuesday: 6:00PM

7:00PM XLT (Adoration with praise & worship) **Confession** available

Wednesday: 6:00AM (In the Adoration Chapel) & 8:30AM

Thursday: 7:00AM & 12:00PM (Noon)

Friday: 7:00AM & 8:30AM

Saturday: 3:00PM **Confession** available before 4:00PM Mass

24/7 Spend time praying with our Lord in the **Perpetual Adoration Chapel**

