

SAINT BENEDICT CHURCH + LENT SCHEDULE 2026

MASSES*

Ash Wednesday (<i>February 18</i>)	8:30am and 7:00pm
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday	5:30pm (<i>Adoration on Thursdays 6:00-7:30pm</i>)
Friday	8:30am
Saturday	5:30pm
Sunday	8:30am and 11:00am

LENTEN CONFESSION

Tuesdays, 12:00-1:00pm; Wednesdays, 4:00-5:00pm; Thursdays, 6:00-7:00pm & Saturdays, 3:30-5:00pm.

*Mass schedule subject to change; please check website for updates: www.saintbenedictparish.org

**** Mass and Confession times will differ during Holy Week - See Below****

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will be prayed at 6:00pm every Friday during Lent starting **Friday, February 20**, and ending on **Friday, March 27**. *There will not be Stations of the Cross on April 3 (Good Friday).*

FRIDAY NIGHT FISH FRIES

The Knights of Columbus and Lily of the Most Holy Trinity Women's Society will host a *Friday Night Fish Fry* on **February 20, March 6** and **March 27** at **6:30pm**. All meals will be held in Saint Anselm Hall of the parish school.

PARISH MISSION

The St. Benedict *Parish Mission* will take place on **Thursday, March 12** and **Friday, March 13, 2026**. On Thursday, Mass will be celebrated at 5:30pm, followed by a presentation at 6:30pm, and confessions and dinner in the Parish Center at 7:30pm. On Friday, the Mission will begin at 6:00pm with Stations of the Cross, followed by a talk at 6:45pm, and a soup supper at 7:45pm. Our presenter will be Rev. Jack Peterson, YA. Fr. Jack is a priest with the Youth Apostles Institute. Fr. Jack's talk is titled "The Encounter That Transforms," focusing on how our personal encounter with Jesus leads us to the desire to share him with other people. We encourage everyone to attend both nights! In order to plan for the appropriate amount of food, please sign up for this event at: <https://tinyurl.com/ParishMission26> **no later than Sunday, March 8**. We are also seeking volunteers to provide soup and bread for Friday, March 13.

LENTEN BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

In order to promote a culture of life, we will kick off our annual *Lenten Baby Bottle Campaign*, by having baby bottles available at all Masses on **February 21/22** & collected the weekend of **March 28/29** (Palm Sunday). Our gifts will benefit the East End Pregnancy Center. Throughout Lent, fill the bottles with coins, currency or checks (made out to East End Pregnancy Center).

HOLY WEEK AND THE SACRED PASCHAL TRIDUUM

<i>Monday, March 30</i>	Chrism Mass: 6:00pm celebrated at <i>Cathedral of the Sacred Heart</i>
<i>Tuesday, March 31</i>	Mass: 5:30pm Confession: 6:00-8:00pm
<i>Wednesday, April 1</i>	Confession: 3:00-5:00pm Mass: 5:30pm
<i>Holy Thursday, April 2</i>	Mass of the Lord's Supper: 7:00pm Adoration: 8:30-Midnight
<i>Good Friday, April 3</i>	Celebration of the Passion of the Lord: 3:00pm
<i>Holy Saturday, April 4</i>	Easter Vigil: 8:00pm
<i>Easter Sunday, April 5</i>	Masses: 8:30am and 11:00am <i>A musical prelude will begin 30 minutes prior to each Mass.</i>