



Lent 2026

The Parishes of Holy Cross, Our Mother of Sorrows, St. Charles Borromeo, St. John the Evangelist-Greece, St. Lawrence, St. Leo the Great-Hilton, St. Mark's



Roc Catholics Northwest Retreat

St. John the Evangelist Church,
Greece

Sunday, March 22, 2–3:30 pm

“Encountering the Heart of Jesus”

Presenter, Lisa Lickona S.T. L., will focus on relationship, mercy, intimacy, and healing.



Monday, March 23, 6:30-8 pm

“Casting Fire Upon the Earth: The Radicality of the Gospel and the Mission of the Laity”

Presenter: Matthew Kuhner Ph.D. will emphasize renewal, purpose, courage, and call.



Day of Penance & Mercy Tuesday, March 24th

The Sacrament of Penance will be offered at these times:

Our Mother of Sorrows: 1 pm to 6 pm

St Charles: 9:30 am to Noon; 2:30 to 5 pm

St John's, Greece: 10 am to Noon; 3 to 5 pm

St Lawrence: 9 to 11am, 12:30 to 2:30pm, 4 to 6 pm;
with Eucharistic Adoration 9 am to 6 pm

St Leo's: 1 to 7 pm; with Eucharistic Adoration Noon until 8 pm

St Mark's: Noon to 3 pm; 4 to 7 pm



**February 18
Masses & Services**

Morning

6:25 am St Leo's
7 am St John's, Greece
8 am Our Mother of Sorrows
8 am St Charles
8 am St Mark's
8:30 am St. Lawrence
8:30 am St Leo's
9 am Holy Cross
9 am St John's, Greece

Midday

11:30 am St. Charles
12:05 pm St John's, Greece
12:10 pm Our Mother of Sorrows; Liturgy of the Word with Ashes
12:15 pm St Lawrence; Liturgy of the Word with Ashes
12:30 pm St Mark's; Liturgy of the Word with Ashes

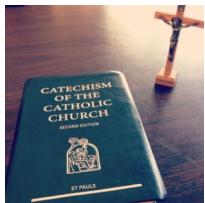
Evening

5 pm St Charles; Prayer Service with Ashes
5:30 pm Our Mother of Sorrows
5:30 pm St Mark's
6:30 pm Holy Cross
6:30 pm St Lawrence; Liturgy of the Word with Ashes
7 pm St Leo's



Closer to the Heart of God through Prayer, Study and Reflection

Foundations of Faith A Journey Through the Catechism of the Catholic Church



**Holy Cross
Parish Center**
Sundays following
the 8 am Mass
until 10 am

Stations of the Cross

Holy Cross: Wednesdays of Lent starting Feb 25, following Benediction at 6 pm

Our Mother of Sorrows: Wednesdays following 8 am Mass

St Charles: Fridays at 3 pm through March 27

St. John's, Greece: Fridays at 5:30 pm, through March 27, and Wednesdays following 8:15 Mass through April 1

St. Lawrence: Fridays at 3 pm through March 27

St Leo's: Friday at 3 pm through March 27

St Mark's: Fridays at 7 pm, including Good Friday, April 3

Book Discussion: Slowing Down to the Speed of Joy by Matthew Kelly

St Mark's in The Old Church (accessible through Parish Hall)

Sundays, 9:45-10:45 am: Feb 22, March 1, 8, 15, 22, & 29

Tuesday, 8:30-9:30 am: Feb 24, March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Each week the same topic is discussed at both sessions.

Extra books will be available the first week.

The presenter, Nancy Iafrati, can be reached at niafrati@rochester.rr.com with any questions.

What Rhymes with Lent?

A Lenten Lunch Series

St Leo the Great

Parish Life Center

Hosted by the Hilton
Christian Churches

Wednesday, Feb 25–Mar 25

 Noon to 1 pm

Lent invites us to return to the heart of God. How will I respond?

Fast

Prayer & Study

Alms Giving

Make your plan concrete, write it here.



Closer to the Heart of God through Prayer, Study and Reflection

Opening the Word Bible Study

A dynamic and exciting journey into the Sunday Mass readings to help deepen understanding, apply teachings to daily living, encounter Christ more profoundly and live our Catholic faith more powerfully.

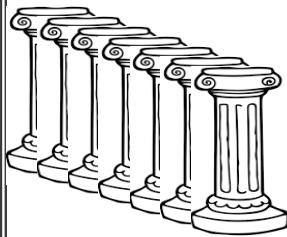
St Charles Borromeo Ministry Center, Room 7

Wednesday, February 4 through March 25 at 1:30 pm

Attendance is flexible, come when you can. If you miss a session or two, please come to the next one.

Extra Bibles are available in the room or bring your own.
Presenters: Dcn. Dick Lombard, Dcn. Dan Callan, & others.

Book Discussion: The Seven Pillars of Catholic Spirituality by Matthew Kelly



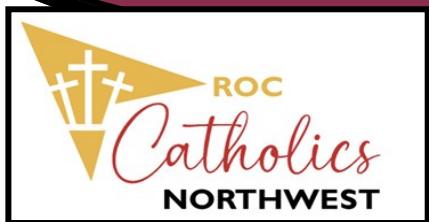
St John's, Greece, Parish Center

**Wednesday: Feb 25 through March 25
10:30 am to Noon**

Topics in order are: Confession, Fasting, Daily Prayer & the Rosary, Mass, Spiritual Reading & the Bible.

A book can be picked up starting Feb 16th in the parish office and extras will be at the first session.

These events and much more can be found on the joint website of the ROC Catholics Northwest Churches: use this QR code or ROCCatholicsNorthwest.org



Mass of the Lord's Supper

Holy Thursday Masses & Visitation Times April 2

**Our Mother of Sorrows: 7 pm
Mass, open until 10 pm**

**St. Charles: 7pm Mass,
open until 9:30 pm**

**St John's, Greece: 7 pm
Mass, open until Compline
at 10 pm**

**St. Lawrence: 6:30 pm Mass,
open until 9:30 pm**

**St Leo's: 7 pm Mass,
open until 10 pm**

**St Mark's: 7 pm Mass,
open until 10 pm**

Good Friday Passion Liturgy April 3

Holy Cross: 3 PM

Mother of Sorrows: 2:30pm

St. Charles: 2:30 pm

St John's, Greece: 3 pm

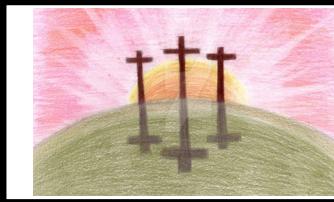
St. Lawrence: 2pm

St. Leo the Great: 3 pm

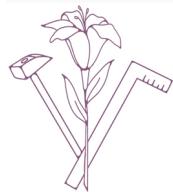
St Mark's: 3 pm

“The Seven Last Words of Jesus”

**Holy Cross Church
Good Friday, April 3
7 pm**



Closer to the Heart of God through Faith and Community



St Joseph's Tables

Holy Cross
Sunday, Mar 15
following 10 am
Mass in Parish Center

Our Mother Sorrows
Saturday, March 14
following 4 pm Mass
Parish Hall

St Lawrence
Saturday, March 14
5 pm in Hall

St. Leo the Great
Sunday, March 15
after 10:30 am Mass
Parish Life Center

St John's, Greece
Sunday, March 15
after 10 am Mass
in Parish Center



Lenten Fish Fries

St John's, Greece, Parish Center

Fridays, February 20 through March 27
3:30–6:30 pm; Eat in or Take out
Sponsored by Knights of Columbus 3892



St. Mark's Parish Hall

Fridays, February 20–April 3; 4:30–6:30 pm, Eat in or Take out
Sponsored by Knights of Columbus 11374

Lent Soup Suppers

St. Leo the Great

Speaker: Brian Potvin, Community Director of Dementia Services
Thursday, March 12, Mass at 5:30 followed by meal



Holy Cross Parish Center

Led by the parish youth
Friday, March 20 from 5 to 7 pm



*Faith, Fun and Friendship for
Youth Grades 6-12*

**Holy Cross
March 6**
6:30 PM in the Holy Cross
School Gym & Ending in
the Church

Easter Basket Blessings

All blessings are scheduled on Holy Saturday, April 4th

St. Leo the Great: 9:30 am, in Church

Our Mother Sorrows: 11 am, in Church

St Mark's: Noon in Church

St John's, Greece: 2 pm, in Church, blessing in the Polish Tradition