

# Lent 2020

## Ash Wednesday at St. Francis Borgia

Imposition of ashes at all Masses.

**7 a.m. Mass at St. Francis Borgia South**  
*24/5 Eucharistic Adoration will begin immediately following Mass*

**9 a.m. school Mass at St. Francis Borgia North**  
*All are welcome.*

**6:30 p.m. Mass at St. Francis Borgia North**

Thanks to our Knights of Columbus Council for the "*Light and Silence: Eucharistic Diary*" booklets that will be handed out after all Ash Wednesday Masses (limit one per family, please).

Additional prayer materials can be found on the Lenten table in the gathering space.

## *Ash Wednesday liturgy opportunities at neighboring parishes*

### *St. Joseph Parish in Grafton*

9:30 a.m. ~ Prayer Service

12 noon ~ Prayer Service

6 p.m. ~ Mass

Imposition of ashes at all Masses and Services.

### *Lumen Christi Parish in Mequon*

7:15 a.m. ~ Communion Service

8:30 a.m. ~ Mass

12 noon ~ Mass

4:30 p.m. ~ Communion Service

7 p.m. ~ Mass

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## Fasting and Abstinence

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**WHO**

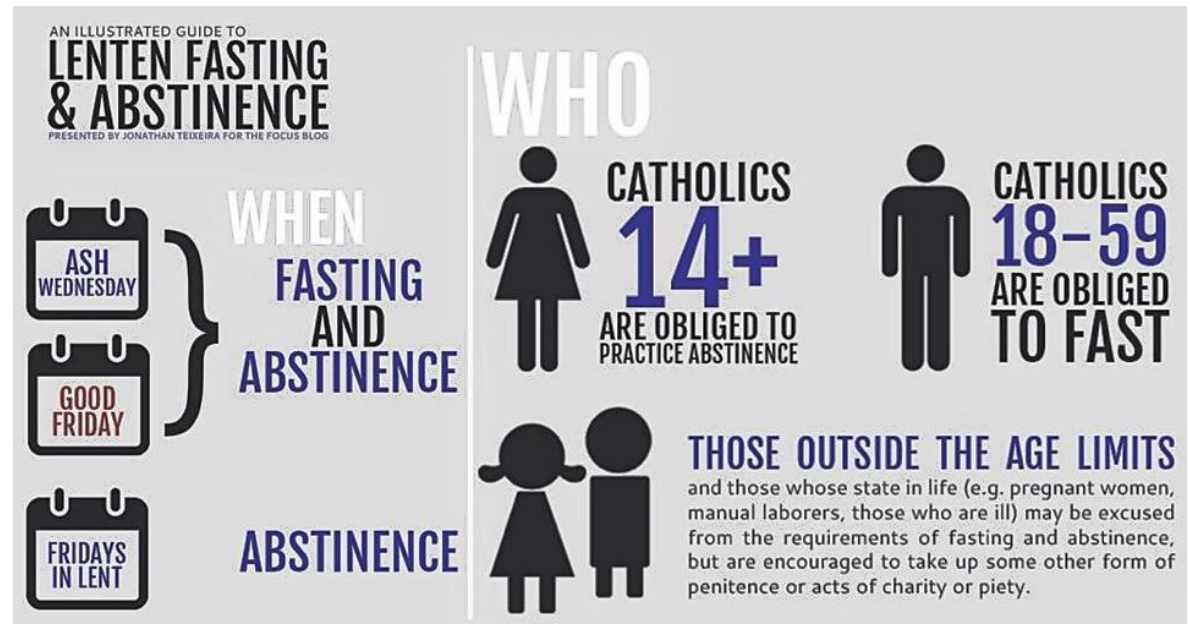
**CATHOLICS 14+**  
ARE OBLIGED TO PRACTICE ABSTINENCE

**CATHOLICS 18-59**  
ARE OBLIGED TO FAST

**WHEN**  
FASTING AND ABSTINENCE

**ABSTINENCE**

**THOSE OUTSIDE THE AGE LIMITS**  
and those whose state in life (e.g. pregnant women, manual laborers, those who are ill) may be excused from the requirements of fasting and abstinence, but are encouraged to take up some other form of penitence or acts of charity or piety.



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**WHAT**  
ABSTINENCE

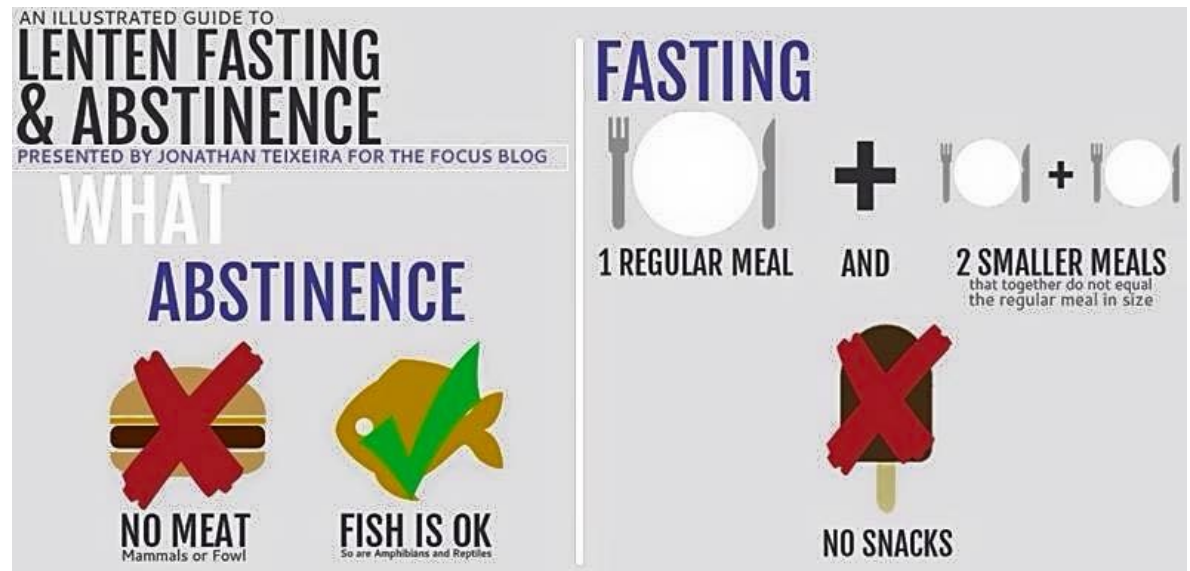
**FASTING**

**1 REGULAR MEAL** AND **2 SMALLER MEALS**  
that together do not equal the regular meal in size

**NO MEAT**  
Mammals or Fowl

**FISH IS OK**  
So are Amphibians and Reptiles

**NO SNACKS**



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## Confessions

### Every Sunday at St. Francis Borgia North

9:05 to 9:45 a.m.

*Confessions will not be heard on Palm Sunday, April 5, or Easter Sunday, April 12.*

### Every Thursday at St. Francis Borgia North

5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

*Confessions will not be heard on Holy Thursday, April 9.*

### Tuesday, March 3 at St. Joseph Parish in Grafton

A penance service followed by opportunities for individual confessions  
6 p.m.

### Saturday, March 28 at St. Francis Borgia North

Multiple confessors will hear individual confessions  
from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

### Thursday, April 2 at St. Francis Borgia North

Extended hours with two confessors  
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

## Stations of the Cross

### Every Friday at 7 p.m. at St. Francis Borgia South

Each evening's prayers will be led by a different parish ministry

February 28 - led by Kevin Tanel and fellow seminarians

March 6 - family-friendly prayers led by Stacy Mangione

March 13 - led by the Knights of Columbus

March 20

March 27

April 3 - led by the Lector Ministry

### Family Dinner and Stations on March 6

Open to all families with children in grade school and younger.

A meatless pizza dinner will be served at 6 p.m., followed by

Stations of the Cross (led by the kids) and then time to socialize with other families.

To sign up, please email Stacy at [StacyMangione@gmail.com](mailto:StacyMangione@gmail.com)

on/before Wednesday, March 4.

Please include the number of adults and the number of children  
who will be eating pizza.

## Almsgiving

### St. Francis Borgia Lenten Drive for the Homeless

March 14 — March 29

This collection, sponsored by our Inner City and Substance Addiction Ministries, will include hygiene and grooming items, toilet paper, as well as new underwear of all sizes for men and women (including long underwear). Items will be shared with two agencies that assist the poorest of Milwaukee's poor - Capuchin Community Services and MacCanon Brown Homeless Sanctuary. A flyer with complete details, including specific items and drop-off information, will be in the March 8 bulletin.

## Rice Bowls

You can pick up your collection box on the Lenten materials table in the gathering space. Lenten alms donated through Catholic Relief Services' Rice Bowl support the work of CRS in roughly 45 different countries each year. 25% of all donations to CRS Rice Bowl stay in the local diocese, supporting hunger and poverty alleviation efforts. Since its inception in 1975, CRS Rice Bowl has raised nearly \$300 million. As Jesus teaches us in the Gospel story of the loaves and the fishes, your small offering can feed many, and what may seem like a little, can actually be a lot.

## Come let us adore him

### All parishioners are welcome!

On Ash Wednesday, Feb. 26, Eucharistic Adoration begins immediately following the 7 a.m. Mass at the South Church.

Adoration will continue until 8:30 a.m. Friday, Feb 28.

Then, starting on Monday, Mar. 2, there will be 96 hours of Adoration at the South Church from 8:30 a.m. on Monday through 8:30 a.m. on Friday.

Adoration will be interrupted only by the celebration of Mass.

Please stop by the South Church to adore Jesus in His Real Presence in the Eucharist.

*The front door of the church will be unlocked from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. Monday through Friday.*