

	St. Patrick Catholic Church Lake Forest, IL				OCIA 2026- 2027 Schedule	Rev. B Updated: Sept.21, 2026
	Sun. - Cycle	Week of Sunday	Mon. 430-545 Wed. 7-830	Credo Chapter	Credo Chapter Topic	Notes
Ordinary Time	Wk 24-OT Cyc A	9/6/26	— 9/9/26	1	1 - Knowing & Desiring God	Start OCIA
	Wk 24-OT Cyc A	9/13/26	— 9/16/26	2	2 - Revelation & Faith	
	Wk 25-OT Cyc A	9/20/26	9 / 21 / 26 9 / 23 / 26	3	3 - Introduction to Prayer & Sacraments	
	Wk 26-OT Cyc A	9/27/26	9 / 28 / 26 9 / 30 / 26	4	4 - Most Holy Trinity	Wed: Monsignor Dempsey
	Wk 27-OT Cyc A	10/4/26	10 / 5 / 26 10 / 7 / 26	5	5 - Creation & the Fall	
	Wk 28-OT Cyc A	10/11/26	10 / 12 / 26 10 / 14 / 26	6	6 - Encountering Jesus in the Scriptures	
	Wk 29-OT Cyc A	10/18/26	10 / 19 / 26 10 / 21 / 26	7	7 - Jesus Christ: True God & True Man 8 - Jesus Christ: Our Savior & Redeemer	
	Wk 30-OT Cyc A	10/25/26	10 / 26 / 26 10 / 28 / 26	8	9 - The Holy Spirit	
	Wk 31-OT Cyc A	11/1/26	11 / 2 / 26 11 / 4 / 26	9	10 - The Church	Saturday, Nov 1st - All Saints Day Sunday, Nov 2nd - All Souls Day
	Wk 32-OT Cyc A	11/8/26	11 / 9 / 26 11 / 11 / 26	10	11 - The Blessed Virgin Mary & the Communion of Saints	Service Project - Feed My Starving Children**
	Wk 33-OT Cyc A	11/15/26	11 / 16 / 26 11 / 18 / 26	11	12 - Baptism & Confirmation	Rite of Acceptance and Welcome on 11/15th: Mass TBD**
	King of the Universe	11/22/26	11 / 23 / 26 11 / 25 / 26		Thanksgiving - no class	Thursday, Nov. 26th - THANKSGIVING DAY
Advent Season	Wk 01-Adv. Cyc B - Lec. 2	11/29/26	11 / 30 / 26 12 / 2 / 26	12	13- The Eucharist	Adoration in Old Church** 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM
	Wk 02-Adv. Cyc B - Lec. 5	12/6/26	12 / 7 / 26 12 / 9 / 26	13	14 - The Mass & Liturgical Prayer	
	Wk 03-Adv. Cyc B - Lec. 8	12/13/26	12 / 14 / 26 12 / 16 / 26	14	15 - Confession	Visit Marytown**
	Wk 04-Adv. Cyc B - Lec. 11	12/20/26	12 / 21 / 26 12 / 23 / 26	No Class		Christmas Eve (24th) Mass Times xxx, xxx, xxx, Christmas Day (25th) Mass - xxx, xxx,
Christmas Season		12/27/26	12/30/26	No Class		
		1/3/27	1 / 4 / 27 1 / 6 / 27	17	16 - Marriage 17 - Happiness & the Christian Moral Life	
	Baptism Our Lord-Lec.21	1/10/27	1 / 11 / 27 1 / 13 / 27	18	18 - Law & the Ten Commandments	End of Christmas Season (aka 12 Days of Christmas) From Dec 25th thru Jan 11th (Sunday) - John the Baptist
Ordinary Time	Wk 2-OT Cyc B	1/17/27	1 / 18 / 27 1 / 20 / 27	19	19 - Life of Grace	
	Wk 3-OT Cyc B	1/24/27	1 / 25 / 27 1 / 27 / 27	20	20 - Faith	
	Wk 4-OT Cyc B	1/31/27	2 / 1 / 27 2 / 3 / 27	21	21 - Virtue of Hope and the Last Things	
	Wk 4-OT Cyc B	2/7/27	2/8/27 2/10/2027	No Class	No Class Wed. Feb. 18th - Ash Wednesday, Mass 8 AM and 630 PM	Ash Wednesday (Mass) - Optional, 8 AM, 630 PM
Season of Lent	Lent-Wk 1	2/14/27	2 / 15 / 27 2 / 17 / 27	22	22 - Love of God	Rite of Election-1 (Holy Names Cathedral-DWTN)
	Lent-Wk 2	2/21/27	2 / 20 / 27 2 / 22 / 27	23	23 - Love of Neighbor	Rite of Election (2nd time slot)
	Lent-Wk 3	2/28/27	3 / 1 / 27 3 / 3 / 27	24 & 25	24 - Prudence & Conscience 25 - Justice	1st Scrutiny, Retreat**, March 6th-Saturday
	Lent-Wk 4	3/7/27	3 / 8 / 27 3 / 10 / 27	26	26 - Temperance & Chastity	2nd Scrutiny
	Lent-Wk 5	3/14/27	3 / 15 / 27 3 / 17 / 27	27 & 28	27 - Living Our Catholic Teaching in a Secular Society	3rd Scrutiny
	Lent-Wk 6	3/21/27	3 / 20 / 27 3 / 22 / 27		28 - Beatitudes & Gifts of the Holy Spirit	Palm Sunday Mass
Holy Week			3/23/27	Tuesday		Chrism Mass - Holy Name Cathedral (TBC)
			3 / 22 / 27 3 / 24 / 27	Mon.430 PM Wed. 7 PM	29 - Priesthood and Religious Life	

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& Paschal Triduum	Triduum-1		3/25/27	Thursday	Holy Thursday Mass (7 PM - TBC!)	Holy Thursday Mass (7 PM - - TBC!)
	Triduum-2		3/26/27	Friday	Good Friday - Service / Passion	Good Friday - Service (Typically noon, but TBC) Passion
	Triduum-3		3/27/27	Saturday EASTER Vigil	9 AM - Morning Prayer (practice will be after) 7 PM - Begin Easter Vigil (~2 hrs) - To Be Confirmed on Time!	Easter Vigil-Sat. 7 PM (Mass) - TBC!!
	Easter Week - 1	3/28/27		Sunday EASTER Day	Easter Morning Mass times are TBD	Easter Day - SUNDAY
Easter Season	Easter Week - 2	4/4/27			No Class	
	Easter Week - 3	4/11/27	4 / 12 / 27 4 / 14 / 27	30 & 31	30 - Intro to Mystagogy 31 - Mental Prayer	Mystagogy 1
	Easter Week - 4	4/18/27	4 / 19 / 27 4 / 21 / 27	32	32 - Frequent Confession	Mystagogy 2
	Easter Week - 5	4/25/27	4 / 26 / 27 4 / 28 / 27	33 & 34	33 - Holy Communion & Eucharistic Adoration 34 - Sacred Study: Scripture & Spiritual Reading	Mystagogy 3
	Easter Week - 6	5/2/27	5 / 3 / 27 5 / 5 / 27	35 & 36	35 - Mary, the Saints, and Devotions 36 - Stewardship & Handing on the Faith	Mystagogy 4 Last Class - Thank you
	Easter Week - 7	5/9/27		---		
	Easter Week -8	5/16/27		---		Sun. May 9th - Ascension
	Ordinary Time	Wk 8-OT Cyc B	5/23/27		---	
Wk 9-OT Cyc B		5/30/27		---		
Wk 10-OT Cyc B		6/6/27		---		
		Holy Days of Obligation		ALL SUNDAYS (or Saturday Vigils) - CCC 2180-2183 HOLY DAYS of OBLIGATION - CCC 2177, CIC, can.1244-1253		USCCB defines Holy Days of Obligation each year
		1	All Saints - November 1st			November 1st, 2026 - Sunday
		2	Immaculate Conception - December 8th			December 8th, 2026 - Tuesday
		3	Christmas - December 25th			December 25th, 2026 - Friday
		4	Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God (always celebrated January 1)			January 1st, 2027 - Friday
		5	Epiphany (1st Sunday after January 1st) (USCCB requirement)			January 10th, 2027 (transferred to Sun.
		6	Ascension of Our Lord (40 days after Easter, Thursday or 7th Sunday of Easter)			May 9th, 2027 - Sunday
		7	Feast of the Body & Blood of Christi - Corpus Christ (Sunday, per USCCB)			June 6th, 2027 (Sunday)
		8	Assumption of Mary - August 15th			August 15th, 2027 (Sunday)
		1	All Saints - November 1st			November 1st, 2027 - Monday (no oblig
		2	Immaculate Conception - December 8th			December 8th, 2027 - Wednesday
		3	Christmas - December 25th			December 25th, 2027 - Saturday

*** = Subject to Change / To Be Defined

Thank you for your interest. For updates or corrections, please contact Brad Morris, 916-747-7450 or jbmorris@stpatrick-lake