

Immaculate Conception Church (Columbia, IL)- Lenten Prayer Calendar (2023)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	A Lenten Prayer
			22-Feb	23-Feb	24-Feb	25-Feb	<p>Dear Lord Jesus, By your Passion and Resurrection you brought life to the world, but the glory of the Resurrection came only after the sufferings of the Passion.</p> <p>You laid down your life willingly and gave up everything for us. Your body was broken and fastened to the cross, Your clothing became the prize of soldiers, Your blood ebbed slowly but surely, away, and Your Mother was entrusted to your beloved disciples.</p> <p>Stretched out on the Cross, deprived of all earthly possessions and human aid, You cried out to Your Father that the end had come. You had accomplished the work given You, and You commended into his hands, as a perfect gift, the life that remained to you.</p> <p>Lord, take hold of me with Your love, the same foolish love that knew no limits, and let me offer myself to the Father with You so that I might rise with You to eternal life. In addition, I ask for Your special blessing, and the intercession of Your Mother, Mary, on <u>(Daily Intention)</u>, whom we lift in prayer today. Amen.</p>
			Ash Wednesday Our Parish Family	The Sick	Catechists	Parish Volunteers	
26-Feb	27-Feb	28-Feb	1-Mar	2-Mar	3-Mar	4-Mar	
World Leaders	Parish Staff & Ministry Leaders	Lay Ministers	Bishop McGovern	Missionaries	Pope Francis	The Oppressed	
5-Mar	6-Mar	7-Mar	8-Mar	9-Mar	10-Mar	11-Mar	
Expectant Parents	The Unborn	Those Diagnosed with Cancer	Those Suffering from Addiction	The Homebound and Their Caregivers	The Hospitalized and Their Caregivers	Those Pursuing Religious Vocations	
12-Mar	13-Mar	14-Mar	15-Mar	16-Mar	17-Mar	18-Mar	
Teachers	Children of the Parish	Nursing Home Residents	Fire Fighters EMTs Police Officers	Confirmation Class	The Poor	Inactive Catholics	
19-Mar	20-Mar	21-Mar	22-Mar	23-Mar	24-Mar	25-Mar	
St. Raymond's Guatemala	Those Unemployed	All Vowed Religious Men and Women	Parish Teens	1st Communion Class	People with Disabilities	Engaged Couples	
26-Mar	27-Mar	28-Mar	29-Mar	30-Mar	31-Mar	1-Apr	
Reconciliation Between Enemies	Our Partner Parish, Sacred Heart of Jesus, Dupo, IL	Parents	Grandparents	College Students	The Homeless	World Peace	
2-Apr	3-Apr	4-Apr	5-Apr	6-Apr	7-Apr	8-Apr	
Palm Sunday Veterans	Active Military	Families of Active Military	The Terminally Ill	Holy Thursday Father Steve Father Eric	Good Friday Those Imprisoned	Holy Saturday Those fully joining our Catholic family during the Vigil Mass	
9-Apr							
Easter Sunday All Christians							
<p>Each Lent we review our relationship with God and recommit ourselves to prayer and other spiritual practices. Our commitment to growth in the life of prayer is part of our life of discipleship and a steward's response to the immense love that God has shown for us. During this Lenten season, you are invited to use the intention listed on each day to help in your daily prayer life. The Discipleship Committee prays you draw closer to God this season.</p>							