

## Ash Wednesday



Lent begins. Ashes are marked on our foreheads as a reminder and invitation to repent and follow God.  
*\*Day of Fasting & Abstinence*

### MASSES

Feb. 18, 9:00 am  
Feb. 18, 7:00 pm (SPX Online)

### DRIVE-UP ASHES

Feb. 18, 12:00 - 12:30 pm  
Feb. 18, 6:30 pm

**February 18**

## Palm Sunday



Commemorates Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. The liturgy begins with a blessing palms and includes a reading of the Passion. 9:30 am Mass includes a processional that begins on the Portico.

### MASSES

Mar. 28, 5:30 pm (SPX Online)  
Mar. 29, 9:30 am (SPX Online)  
Mar. 29, 11:30 am (SPX Online)

**March 29**

## Holy Thursday



Commemorates when Jesus instituted the Eucharist during the Last Supper and Jesus' great humility when he washed the feet of his apostles. The liturgy ends with a Eucharistic Procession to Cafe Pius.

### MASS

April 2, 7:00 pm (SPX Online)  
*\*Cafe Pius will remain open for until 9 pm for silent prayer*

**No 9 am Mass**

**April 2**

## Good Friday



Commemorates the day Jesus died for us. Christ's Passion is read and we are invited to venerate the cross.

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### LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS

April 3, 12:00 pm  
*\*Stations available demand at [youtube.com/spxbowie](https://www.youtube.com/spxbowie)*

### MASS

April 3, 7:00 pm (SPX Online)

**No Evening Stations of the Cross**

**April 3**

## Easter



*Celebrates Jesus' Resurrection and victory over death. A new Paschal candle is lit. We renew our baptismal vows and celebrate with new Catholics being received into the Church.*

### EASTER VIGIL MASS

April 4, 7:00 pm (SPX Online)

**No Reconciliation**

**No 5:30 pm Mass**

### EASTER SUNDAY MASSES

April 5, 9:30 am  
April 5, 11:30 am (SPX Online)

**April 5**

**FASTING & ABSTINENCE:** Ash Wednesday & Good Friday are obligatory days of fasting & abstinence for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence. Fasting is obligatory from age 18 until 59. When fasting, a person is permitted to eat 1 full meal as well as 2 smaller meals that together are not equal to a full meal. The norms concerning abstinence from meat are binding from age 14 onwards.



Small Groups are a place to grow together as Christ's disciples with other adults.

Lenten Groups will meet for 5 weeks starting the week of February 22. Our main focus will be talking about the message Father Mike shares each week in Mass.

We have groups for young adults (under 30), women, men, and mixed adults. Most groups meet in person, but some are on Zoom and we also have a Facebook group!

Sign up at [spxbowie.org/smallgroups](https://spxbowie.org/smallgroups)



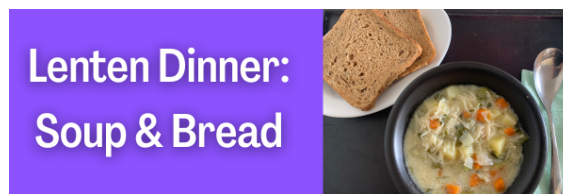
Receive Christ's mercy in the Sacrament of **Reconciliation** this Lent.

Saturdays from 4:45 - 5:15 pm  
Wednesday, March 25 at 7 pm



Do you ever wonder where you fit into the grand scheme of things? What's your place in the world and your purpose in life? At times, we can all struggle to see the 'big picture'. This Lent, we will explore what this is and how everything leading up to Jesus' resurrection on Easter was part of God's plan for humanity and for you. God loves humanity, even in our brokenness, but loves us enough to call us something greater. **New series begins Feb. 21/22.**

Sign-up for the daily reading plan at [spxbowie.flocknote.com/bigpictureguide](https://spxbowie.flocknote.com/bigpictureguide)



Join us on **Friday, March 20** for a simple Lenten Dinner of soup & bread (gluten-free and dairy-free options) before Stations of the Cross. Doors open at 6 pm and close with Stations beginning at 7 pm. There is no charge for the event, but you must RSVP as there is limited capacity.

RSVP at [bit.ly/spxlentendinner](https://bit.ly/spxlentendinner)



Join us on Fridays during Lent for the Stations of the Cross. Stations will be prayed in the Church each Friday.

Friday, February 20 at 7 pm  
Friday, February 27 at 7 pm  
Friday, March 6 at 7 pm  
Friday, March 13 at 7 pm  
Friday, March 20 at 7 pm  
Friday, March 27 at 7 pm  
Friday, April 3 at 12 pm (*no 7 pm*)

While the Stations will not be livestreamed, you can find them on demand at <https://youtu.be/FwPPkCejqt0>



Consider picking up a **Little Black Book of Lenten Reflections** to add to your prayer life this season. This book of daily devotions is available at the Religious Goods Stand for \$2 each.