



The Light is ON for You.
Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Weeks before Ash Wednesday and First Week in Lent

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“The Light Is On For You” is an initiative of the Archdiocese of Washington, in partnership with the Diocese of Arlington to allow all Catholics to avail themselves of the sacrament of reconciliation. Confession is a wonderful opportunity to set aside our sinful ways and to draw closer to our Lord. Confessions will be held every Wednesday during Lent from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. in every Catholic church in the Archdiocese of Washington and Diocese of Arlington. Learn more at www.the-light-is-on.org.

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This Lenten season, each Catholic parish in the Archdiocese of Washington and the Diocese of Arlington will have confessions available every Wednesday evening from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. If you have been reluctant to come to the sacrament, have been away for some time or just found it difficult to get to a Saturday afternoon confession time, this is a wonderful opportunity to re-connect with Christ and His Church. Learn more at www.the-light-is-on.org.

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This year in parishes across the Archdiocese of Washington and the Diocese of Arlington, the Sacrament of Reconciliation and Adoration will be held Wednesdays in Lent from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Consider making a commitment this Lent to attend Holy Hour and join the Church in praying for an abundance of the healing grace of God’s forgiveness and love.

A Ministry of Prayer and Reconciliation

As part of the Archdiocese’s Lenten initiative, “The Light is on for You” we are making a commitment to pray in a special way for family members, friends, colleagues and neighbors who are alienated from the Church or who are inactive in the practice of their faith. Join us for Adoration on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. to pray for the grace of reconciliation that can bring lasting peace to our hearts, homes and communities.

Haven’t Been to Confession in a While?

Haven’t been to Confession in a while? Interested, but worry you don’t remember how to give a good Confession? No problem. Simply pick up the Reconciliation brochure at the back of church for helpful “how-to” guidance or visit www.the-light-is-on.org. Then, stop by any Catholic church in the Archdiocese of Washington or the Diocese of Arlington Wednesday evenings in Lent, 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and quiet prayer.

During the Weeks of Lent

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Is there someone you love who has stopped coming to Mass? Join the Lord in inviting him or her back to church. Catholic churches across the Archdiocese of Washington and Diocese of Arlington will be open for prayer during Adoration on Wednesday evenings from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. Invite your friend to enjoy the quiet and peace of people gathered in silent prayer. If the time is right, also invite him or her to consider talking with a priest or receiving the sacrament of Reconciliation.

Reconciliation begins in prayer

Sometimes, the first step to reconciliation is praying for the person with whom we need to be reconciled. Make a commitment this Lent to join us on Wednesday evenings, 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. as we gather for Adoration and the Sacrament of Reconciliation for all of the situations in our lives that need the healing grace of Jesus love. The Church will be open and you are welcome to come for a few minutes or for an hour. Learn more at www.the-light-is-on.org.

The Healing Grace of Prayer

Every Lent Catholics from all over the region respond to “The Light is On for You” ads and come to the Sacrament of Reconciliation or to speak with a priest after being away from the Church for 10, 15 or 25 or more years. Imagine the sense of welcome and hope they would experience if they walked into a church filled with people praying and meditating in silence in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament. Join us one Wednesday or every Wednesday, 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. for Adoration as we pray for people who are seeking to reconcile with God and with the church.

Instruments of the Lord’s Peace

Are you searching for a pathway to peace with another person or for a situation close to your heart? Bring this need to prayer on Wednesday evenings at Adoration from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. This Lent, we will gather with Catholics all over the region to pray for the peace and reconciliation that our Lord can give when we offer ourselves as instruments of that peace.

¡La Luz está ENCENDIDA  para ti!

Celebra el Sacramento de la Reconciliación

ANUNCIOS PARA USARSE EN EL BOLETÍN

“La luz está encendida para ti” es una iniciativa arquidiocesana dirigida a todos los católicos para poner a su disposición el Sacramento de Reconciliación. La confesión es una maravillosa oportunidad para poner a un lado el camino pecaminoso y poder acercarnos a nuestro Señor. Las Confesiones se harán cada miércoles durante la Cuaresma, de 6:30 a 8:00 p.m. en todas las iglesias Católicas de la Arquidiócesis de Washington y la Diócesis de Arlington.

En este tiempo de Cuaresma, cada Iglesia Católica de la Arquidiócesis de Washington y la Diócesis de Arlington tendrá confesiones disponibles todos los miércoles de 6:30 a 8:00 p.m. Si tú has estado considerando y dudando hacer uso de este sacramento, si has estado lejos por mucho tiempo o siempre se te ha hecho difícil llegar a las horas de confesión los días sábados, esta es una maravillosa oportunidad para re-encontrarte y reconciliarte con Cristo y su Iglesia.

Se ofrecerán confesiones cada miércoles durante la Cuaresma de 6:30 a 8:00 p.m. en todas las Iglesias de la Arquidiócesis de Washington y la Diócesis de Arlington. Esta es una maravillosa oportunidad para venir al sacramento de reconciliación como familia o para invitar a algún amigo que tu sabes que no ha tenido la oportunidad de confesarse en mucho tiempo.