

Advent Mass Notes

Name: _____ Grade: _____

Attending Mass at: _____ Priest: _____

Date: _____ Time: _____

Liturgical Season: **Advent** _____ Gospel Reading: _____

Please attach a bulletin if you are attending a church from out of town.

Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

The word Eucharist means "Thanksgiving." As a celebration of thanksgiving, pose the following questions regarding the Eucharist.

What are you most thankful for today?

What is God prompting you to do in your encounter with him in the Blessed Sacrament?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

The word Eucharist means "Thanksgiving." As a celebration of thanksgiving, pose the following questions regarding the Eucharist.

What experience in the Mass did you find most relevant to your current situation in life?

What is the holiest experience you have ever had at Mass?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

Advent is a time of preparation for Christmas. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops reminds us that Advent includes an element of penance in the sense of preparing, quieting, and disciplining our hearts for the full joy of Christmas.

How can you prepare for the birth of Christ today?

How did the homily and the experiences shared help you recall the need for preparation for Christmas?

Christmas Mass Notes

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The Christmas season is about inviting the Lord to enter into the glorious celebration of His birth. Often we limit this celebration to his birth on December 25th, however the Christmas season extends to Epiphany (12th day of Christmas). This is when we celebrate the Magi coming to bear gifts to Jesus.

Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

How can you continue to celebrate the birth of Jesus beyond Christmas day?

What are your favorite Christmas traditions in the Mass?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

Throughout the Gospel of Luke we hear, “Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart.” Notice how Mary, the Mother of Jesus and the Mother of God, needed to ponder and reflect on this holy mystery. We too need to take time to ponder the joyful and glorious birth of our Lord.

What is something about Jesus that you ponder or wonder about?

How can you share the glorious celebration of Jesus’s birth we heard about in the Gospel with others this season?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

John the Baptist proclaims our call to repentance and preparation for the Lord in our lives. We learn from John that the first step is the “make straight the way of the Lord.” This season we celebrate the birth of Jesus through our words, actions, and deeds.

How can you celebrate the birth of Christ beyond Christmas?

How did the homily and the experiences shared help you to allow God to enter into your life?

Easter Mass Notes

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Liturgical Season: **Easter** Gospel Reading: _____

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

There are 50 days of Easter, from Easter Sunday to Pentecost. This is the celebration of the Lord's Resurrection from the dead, Ascension into Heaven and descent of the Holy Spirit. From the joy of glorified life and victory over death we celebrate by singing Alleluia!

What are you most thankful for today? What brings you great joy?

How is God prompting you to celebrate his Death and Resurrection during Mass today?

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Liturgical Season: **Easter** _____ Gospel Reading: _____

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

All faith flows from faith in Christ's Resurrection: "If Christ has not been raised, then empty is our preaching; empty, too, is your faith." (1 Cor 15:14).

What experience in the Mass helps you strengthen your faith?

What is something challenging to understand or believe about the Catholic faith?

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Liturgical Season: **Easter** Gospel Reading: _____

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

The word “Easter” simply means “East.” As the Sun rises in the East, bringing light to our day, this is a symbol for the rising Christ, who is the true Light of the world.

How can you celebrate Easter today and through this season?

How did the homily and the experiences shared help you recall the joy of Easter and the rising of Christ as the True light of the world?

Lent Mass Notes

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Liturgical Season: **Lent** _____ Gospel Reading: _____

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

The Name Mass come from the Latin word *Missal*, which means to “go forth” and is taken from the final words of the concluding rite.

What specific action will you take to show God’s love to others?

How will you bring Christ to the world today?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

Forgiveness:

Are there specific experiences of forgiveness that you have taken away from today's Liturgy? How can you apply this to Lent?

What habits are you working to form this Lent to avoid sin in the future?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

Lent is a time of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving (giving of time and/or talent). We need all three, not just one. The three Lent disciplines of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving are used to assist us in striving for holiness. This means we need to break bad habits such as putting ourselves and our needs first and focusing on placing others and God before ourselves.

How can you apply this to Lent? What in the Mass shows you an example of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving?

What habit can you form this Lent to give alms in the future?

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences:

During Lent, we reflect on how we can more fully turn our life over to God; we prepare for the celebration of Easter with a joyful heart. By deepening our understanding of prayer, fasting and almsgiving we will live Lent more fully and grow in a deeper relationship with God and one another.

How can you apply this to Lent? What practices and devotions can you add during this Lent?

How do those around you, especially in Mass, serve as models of these Lent disciplines?

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Liturgical Season: Ordinary Time Gospel Reading: _____

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Summarize the Homily in a few sentences: _____

How can you apply to Gospel to your life at this time? _____

What are some things you could do to bring you closer to God? _____

What is your relationship with God like at this time? _____

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How can you apply the Gospel to your life at this time? _____

What is one thing you can/will do to grow in your faith this week? _____

How does living out the Gospel change your relationship with others? _____

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What is something that grasped your attention and thought in Mass today? _____

What can you ask of God this week to help prepare you for Mass next Sunday? _____

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How have you already been living out today's Gospel in your life? _____

What word or phrase stands out to you in the reading today? _____

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How can you apply to Gospel to your life at this time? _____

What do you find challenging about the Catholic faith? What are some questions or things you'd like to learn about the Catholic faith?
