



The Diocese of Metuchen observes
24 Hours for the Lord

“With you is forgiveness”
Beginning March 9 at 9 a.m.

Once again, Pope Francis has called the Church to a more intentional and serious walk with the Lord during this holy season of Lent. He announced in his 2018 Lenten Message that March 9 and 10 would be designated as a special time called “24 Hours for the Lord,” offering a great opportunity to deepen our friendship with the Lord.

Uniting with Pope Francis’ universal call, four parishes in the Diocese of Metuchen will be open for a 24-hour period with Eucharistic Adoration and times for the Sacrament of Penance.

We hope this will be a blessed opportunity of great renewal and conversion to the Lord during this holy season of Lent.

● **St. Francis of Assisi Cathedral, Metuchen**

Confessions: 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.;
8 p.m. to 10 p.m.; 6 a.m. to 8 a.m.
Website: <https://www.stfranciscathedral.org/>

● **St. Bernard of Clairvaux, Bridgewater**

Confessions: 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.;
10 p.m. to midnight; 6 a.m. to 8 a.m.
Website: <http://www.stbernardbridgewater.org/>

● **St. Joseph, North Plainfield**

Confessions (English and Spanish):
8 p.m. to 11 p.m.
Website: <http://www.sjnp.org/>

● **St. Philip and St. James, Phillipsburg**

Confessions (English and Spanish): 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.;
6 a.m. to 9 a.m.
Website: <http://www.spsj.org/>

For more information contact the above parishes directly or
call the diocesan Office of the Vicar for Evangelization and Communication at 732-529-7932.



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