



Diocese of Oakland

2023 Liturgical Observances

Sunday Readings: Year A
Weekday Readings: Cycle I

27 November	First Sunday of Advent	New Liturgical Year
THUR 8 December	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception	Holy Day of Obligation
MON 12 December	Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe	Gloria (no Creed)
25 December	Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord	Sunday Observance this year
1 January <u>2023</u>	Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God	Sunday Observance this year
8 January	Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord	Cathedral Titular Feast
TUES 24 January	Memorial of St. Francis de Sales, Secondary Patron	Obligatory Memorial in the Diocese
22 February	Ash Wednesday	(Not a Holy Day)
SAT 25 February	Rite of Election	11 am & 2 pm at the Cathedral
4 April	Tuesday of Holy Week	11 am Chrism Mass at the Cathedral
8 April	Holy Saturday Easter Vigil	Sunset is 7.38 pm this year
9 April	Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord	Sunday Observance
21 May	Solemnity of the Ascension	Sunday Observance
THUR 25 May	10 th Anniversary of Bishop Barber's Episcopal Ordination and Installation as Diocesan Bishop	12.10 pm Solemn Mass at Cathedral
28 May	Pentecost Sunday	End of Easter Season
4 June	Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity	Sunday Observance
11 June	Solemnity of Corpus Christi	Sunday Observance
FRI 16 June	Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	Proper Mass/Gloria/Creed
SAT 24 June	Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist	Proper Mass/Gloria/Creed
TUES 15 August	Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary	Holy Day of Obligation Proper Mass/Gloria/Creed
TUES 22 August	Our Lady Queen of the World Principal Patroness of the Diocese	Obligatory Feast Gloria (No Creed)
8/9 September	Diocesan Eucharistic Revival Congress	Spanish
15/16 September	Diocesan Eucharistic Revival Congress	English
MON 25 September	Anniversary of Dedication of the Cathedral	Obligatory Feast in all Parishes Solemnity in Cathedral only
WED 1 November	Solemnity of All Saints	Holy Day of Obligation
THUR 2 November	All Souls	Observed