



Adult Faith Formation Series Continues...

The Great Adventure continues! **The Bible Timeline** is a Catholic Bible study that can help anyone to make sense of the Bible and experience the life-changing power of God's Word. Although this is the third and final set, new participants are welcome! (If you are new to the study, the textbook/study kit is \$35)

The Bible Timeline - Sessions 17-24 - 6:30 pm in the parish hall

Date - 2019	Session Topic
1/16	Maccabean Revolt - 1 Maccabees
1/23	Messianic Fulfillment: Part 1 - Luke
1/30	Messianic Fulfillment: Part 2 - Luke
2/6	Messianic Fulfillment: Part 3 - Luke
2/13	The Church: Part 1 - Acts
2/20	The Church: Part 2 - Acts
2/27	The Church: Part 3 - Acts & Conclusion

To Register as a returning or as a new participant, please sign up on the Adult Faith Formation Registration Sheet in the vestibule or email the AFF Coordinator Desiree Tosatto (desireet2@gmail.com)



2019

Columbus

Catholic Women's Conference

Saturday, February 16, 2019

To register visit

<https://www.columbuscatholicwomen.com/>



Early bird tickets are \$35 for regular and \$20 for discounted student tickets. Early bird ticket prices are good until January 14, 2019. After January 14 prices are \$45 and \$30.

For more information about the conference and travel arrangements, contact Desiree Tosatto at desireet02@gmail.com

COLUMBUS CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

Saturday, February 23, 2019

8:00am to 4:00pm

Cardinal Hall, The Ohio state Expo Center

www.catholicmensministry.com ~ mail@catholicmensministry.com



Please let us know in the office if you would like to be the Men's Conference Contact Person!

Advent Penance Service

Sunday, December 2 ~ 12:30 – 2:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes

Exposition and Adoration ~ Prayer and Reflection ~ Confessions

12:30 pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
12:45-2:15	Quiet time for Prayer and Reflection
12:45 – 2:15	Confessions heard by Fr. Jeffrey
12:45 – 1:15	Grade 2 PSR Students' First Reconciliation, with Father Ferguson <i>(No one else will go to Fr. Ferguson for Confession until all Grade 2 students have finished...)</i>
1:15 – 2:15	Confessions heard by Fr. Ferguson
2:15 pm	Benediction and Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament
2:30 pm	Dismissal



EXAMINATION OF CONSCIENCE:

“Come, Holy Spirit, and help me to find out my sins and to be truly sorry for them, so that I can make a good Confession.”

- 1. GO INTO THE CONFESSIONAL.** The priest is waiting for you and he will greet you.
- 2. SAY:** “Bless me, Father, for I have sinned. It has been _____ since my last Confession.”
- 3. TELL YOUR SINS TO THE PRIEST.** Be honest. You are really talking to Jesus, who loves you.
- 4. LISTEN TO WHAT THE PRIEST SAYS.**
He will give you some advice about how to be more holy, and how to make better choices. He will also give you a **PENANCE**; something you pray or do to show sorrow for your sins.
- 5. PRAY THE “ACT OF CONTRITION”.**
“O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You, and I detest all my sins because of Thy just punishments, but most of all because they offend You, my God, Who are all good and deserving of all my love.
I firmly resolve with the help of Thy grace .to sin no more,
and to avoid the near occasion of sin. Amen.”
- 6. LISTEN TO THE “PRAYER OF ABSOLUTION”.**
“God the Father of mercies, through the death and resurrection of His Son, has reconciled the world to Himself, and sent the Holy Spirit among us for the forgiveness of sins. Through the ministry of the Church, may God give you pardon and peace, and **I absolve you from your sins, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.**”
- 7. THE PRIEST WILL DISMISS YOU.**
He will say: “Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good.” You will say: **“His mercy endures forever.”**
- 8. RETURN TO YOUR PEW.** You may pray a short prayer of thanksgiving to God for his gift of forgiveness.
- 9. DO YOUR PENANCE.**