

## Liturgical Year Online

Read Chapter 14 in the Catholic Faith Handbook, pages 134 - 144 and answer the following questions.

1. The calendar year begins on January 1<sup>st</sup>. When does the Church's liturgical year begin?
2. What is Liturgy?
3. What are the first four weeks of the liturgical season called?
4. Why is celebrated on January 6?
5. When does Lent start?
6. What are the three Lenten practices or disciplines that prepare us to celebrate Easter?
7. There are forty-six calendar days between Ash Wednesday and Easter Sunday, but we say Lent is forty days long. What days do we leave out?
8. According to Church teaching, how many days of the year are Catholics in the United States obligated to attend Mass?
9. Which sacraments are commonly celebrated during the Easter Vigil?
10. What event is commemorated by the feast of Pentecost?

11. Which Church season follows the Easter season?

12. What do we celebrate on saints' feast days?