

FORTY HOURS DEVOTIONS

Sacred Heart's annual celebration of Forty Hours will take place Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 8, 9 and 10. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after the closing prayer of the 11:00 AM Mass on Sunday. The Church will be open for adoration Sunday afternoon, as well as throughout the night Sunday and Monday, through the day Monday and following the 8:00 AM Mass on Tuesday. We invite and encourage you to spend time before our Lord and Savior, present in the Eucharist. Adoration sign-up sheets are posted in the ramp entrance vestibule.

The format for the 6:30 PM evening liturgies will be a scripture service (similar to the Liturgy of the Word of Holy Mass), followed by Benediction. Father Allen J. Hoffa will serve as homilist. Father Hoffa is the pastor of St. Joseph Church in Summit Hill, Carbon County. The theme for the evening liturgies is *The Eucharist OUR STRENGTH in mind, body, and spirit*. (Reservations are not required.)



FORTY HOURS SCHEDULE OF DEVOTIONS

Sunday, November 8

- Exposition of the Most Blessed Sacrament, after the 11:00 AM Mass
- Adoration
- 6:30 PM Forty Hours Devotion/Benediction with homilist, Father Hoffa—“The Eucharist OUR STRENGTH in mind”
- Adoration continues throughout the night, with simple reposition before private Mass on Monday

Monday, November 9

- Exposition/Adoration prior to Confession
- Rosary at 12:00 Noon
- 6:30 PM Forty Hours Devotion/Benediction with homilist, Father Hoffa—“The Eucharist OUR STRENGTH in body”
- Adoration continues throughout the night, with simple reposition before Confessions on Tuesday.

Tuesday, November 10

- 8:00 AM Mass
- Exposition/Adoration
- Rosary at 12:00 Noon
- 6:30 PM Forty Hours Devotion, Procession with the Most Blessed Sacrament, Benediction, Reposition--The Eucharist OUR STRENGTH in spirit

This is a very special time in the life of our Parish, because it is an opportunity to renew our devotion to our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament. Plan to attend the liturgies, and sign-up for at least an hour of adoration.