



Lent 2019

Zion Lutheran Church + Wausau, Wis.

Our Lenten Focus: *Catechumenate*

What is it? Pronounced *ka-teh-CUE-meh-net*, it comes from the word *catechumen*, or “learner.” It is the Church’s way of being taught by God. By learning His Word through Scripture, catechism, and the moral vision and liturgy of the Church, we are led into daily conversion and faith in Jesus Christ.

“Catechumenate: Learning the Gifts” *Saturday/Sunday Sermons*

March 10: Learning the “No”
God teaches us to resist evil.

March 17: Learning the “Yes”
God teaches us to receive Christ.

March 24: Learning to Fast
God teaches us to repent.

March 31: Learning to Feast
God teaches us to rejoice.

April 7: Learning to Die
God teaches us the cross.

April 14: Learning to Live
God teaches us the resurrection.

“Vigil: Watching for the Risen One” *Wednesday Sermons*

God’s mighty acts in the Old Testament teach us to watch for His Son. Lessons of these mighty acts are read each year at the Easter Vigil. We will look at each lesson in turn:

March 6: Creation

March 13: Noah and the Flood

March 20: The Sacrifice of Isaac

March 27: The Exodus

April 3: A Valley of Dry Bones

April 10: Three Men and Fire

Lenten Study

Sundays, 10 AM: “Practicing Forgiveness” *sharing and resting in the gift*

Tuesdays, 9 AM: “The Gospel By Heart.” *learning the events of Christ’s life*

Thursday Men’s Breakfast, 7AM:

“Great Doctrines of the Faith in Romans.” *renewing the heart and mind*