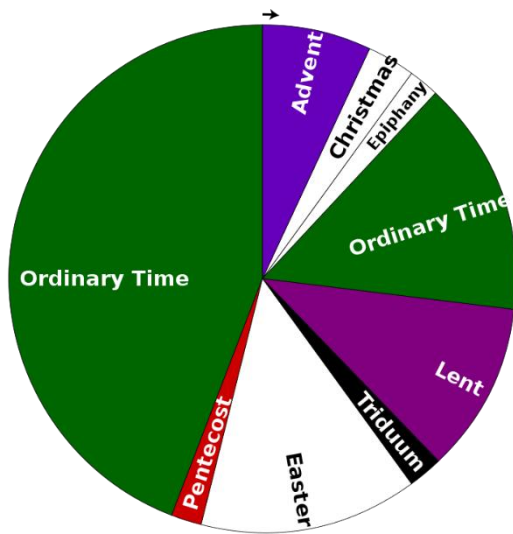


# St. Martin de Porres Domestic Church

*“Making our Catholic Faith a part of our homes and families”*

[Ordinary Time to the Feast of Christ the King, 2019 (Liturgical cycle C)]

THE CHURCH HAS A LITURGICAL YEAR & LITURGICAL CYCLES



There are 3 liturgical cycles, A,B,C. This is noticed by most of us as the changing of the readings at Mass.

Each cycle is part of a liturgical year which begins with Advent and culminates with the Feast of Christ the King.



We have had a welcoming response to our Domestic Church handouts. Therefore, we have decided to divide our domestic church program at St. Martin's into quarters. In each of these quarters we will distribute an outline at the beginning to explain what feast and traditions we will be focusing on during that quarter. We will be providing you with resources to help you to build a Domestic Church in your homes and families. **This** outline is for the remaining season of ordinary time up to and including Christ the King.

During this quarter we are going to focus on:

*The feast day of St. Vincent de Paul (September 27)*

*[Heads up; St. Columba is June 9 & Assumption is August 15]*

*All Hallows Eve a.k.a Halloween (October 31)*

*The feast of all Hallows a.k.a All Saints Day (November 1)*

*The feast of all Souls day (November 2)*

*The Feast of St. Martin de Porres (November 3)*

*The Feast of Christ the King (November 24)*

We encourage you to please continue or begin rituals in your homes, with your families, for days that are important to you in addition to these feasts. Such as, light the candle on the feast day of a saint that is important to you or a family member, during times of prayer when someone is in the hospital, when someone has died, on the day of remembering someone who has died, moments of celebration, moments when you ask for blessing. If there isn't a feast or special occasion part of your tradition could be to light your candle in thanksgiving.

We are all baptized into Christ's roles of Priest, Prophet, and King. Create your domestic church to reflect you and your family. Perhaps even set aside a space as a home altar or prayer corner.

May our Lord Jesus the Christ bless us as we build His kingdom, especially in our homes and families!

# Resource for your home:

Formed- ([www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org)) this is a website or app that brings you your "Catholic faith on demand." This website has a membership fee, however, you can go to the Divine Mercy Religious Shop in Spencerport, 65 Martha St, Spencerport, NY 14559, and register for Formed there for **FREE!**



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