### ST. PAUL'S SEMINARY IGBARIAM

## **ACADEMIC CALENDER 2025/2026**

SEPTEMBER 2025

WEDNESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup>, RESUMPTION DAY FOR J S S ONE STUDENTS

THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> ORIENTATION PROGRAM BEGINS

FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 13<sup>th</sup> Saint **John Chrysostom**, **Bishop**, **Doctor**, **RESUMPTION DAY FOR OLDER STUDENTS** 

**SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> The Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Feast** 

MONDAY 15<sup>TH</sup>, Our Lady of Sorrows, Classes

TUESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> Saints Cornelius, Pope, and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs, Classes

WEDNESDAY 17<sup>th</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

THURSDAY 18<sup>th</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

FRIDAY 19<sup>th</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

SATURDAY 20th St. Andrew Kim Taegon, Priest and Companions. Martyrs

SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> **25**<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, INAUGURATION OF THE ACADEMIC AND FORMATIVE YEAR AND INVESTITURE OF CLASS ONE SEMINARIANS

MONDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> Classes

TUESDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> Saint Pius of Pietrelcina Classes

WEDNESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

THURSDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> – Saints Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs. Classes

SATURDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> Saint Vincent de Paul, ORDINATION OF NEW PRIESTS IN AGULERI DIOCESE.

SUNDAY  $28^{TH}$  26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME.  $40^{TH}$  Anniversary of the Priestly ordination of Bishop Denis Chidi Isizoh

MONDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> St.s Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, Archangels. Feast

**TUESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> Saint Jerome, Priest, Doctor Classes** 

#### OCTOBER 2025

# WEDNESDAY $1^{\rm ST}$ OUR LADY QUEEN AND PATRONESS OF NIGERIA. Solemnity October devotion begins

THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> The **Holy Guardian Angels** Classes

FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> – Saint Francis of Assisi. Classes

SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> 27TH **SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**, **VISITING DAY** 

MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> HOLY MASS BY BISHOP DENIS ISIZOH. Classes

TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> Our Lady of the Rosary Classes

WEDNESDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

THURSDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

SATURDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> B **V M** 

SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, MONTHLY RECOLLECTION

MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> Saint Teresa of Avila, Virgin, Doctor Classes

THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> – WEEKDAY Classes

FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> – Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr Classes

SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> Saints Luke, Evangelist, Feast.

SUNDAY  $19^{TH}$   $29^{TH}$  SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY CATEX

TUESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> B V M

SUNDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> 30<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> Saints Simon and Jude. Feast Classes

WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> **WEEKDAY** Classes

THURSDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

FRIDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> WEEKDAY Classes

**NOVEMBER 2025** 

SATURDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> B V M

SUNDAY  $2^{ND \text{ All}}$  Saints. Solemnity.

MONDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> All Souls. 4.00pm Mass at the Cemetery of St. Joseph's Cathedral Aguleri

TUESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop PTD/MIDTERM BREAK BEGINS

SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> **DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA** 

MONDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> Saint Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor

TUESDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop MID TERM BREAK ENDS

WEDNESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> Saint Josephat, Bishop, Martyr

THURSDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> **WEEKDAY** 

SATURDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> **B V M** 

SUNDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> 33RD **SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** 

MONDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY  $19^{TH}$  WEEKDAY

THURSDAY  $20^{TH}$  WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

SATURDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr

## SUNDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> Christ the King, PROCESSION WITH ST. JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL PARISH, AGULERI

MONDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> St.s Andrew Dung Lac and His Companinos, Martyrs

TUESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

END OF CLASSES

SATURDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> B **V M** 

SUNDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> 1<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT

#### **DECEMBER 2025**

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} MONDAY $1^{st}$ $1ST$ WEEK OF ADVENT, HOLY MASS BY Bishop Denis Isizoh, FIRST TERM EXAMINATION BEGINS \\ \end{tabular}$ 

TUESDAY 2<sup>nd</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> Saint Francis Xavier, Priest

THURSDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

 ${\bf SATURDAY}~6^{\rm TH}~\textbf{Saint Ambrose, Bishop, Doctor, VISIT~OF~THE~DIOCESAN~CWO~TO~THE~SEMINARY}$ 

SUNDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF ADVENT, VISITING DAY

MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Solemnity

TUESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> 2ND **WEEK OF ADVENT** 

WEDNESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> Saint Damascus, Pope. FIRST TERM EXAMINATION ENDS

THURSDAY  $11^{TH}$  Our **Lady of Guadalupe** 

FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup>, CHRISMAS CAROL

SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup>. Saint Lucy, Virgin, Martyr CHRISMAS BREAK BEGINS

JANUARY 2026

SATURDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> SATURDAY AFTER EPIPHANY END OF CHRISTMAS BREAK

## SUNDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> THE **BAPTISM OF THE LORD, MONTHLY RECOLLECTION**

MONDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> Saint Anthony, Abbot

SUNDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> 2ND **SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**,

MONDAY  $19^{\mathrm{TH}}$  WEEKDAY NATIONAL SEMINARIES COMMITTEE MEETING AT ST. THOMAS AQUINAS MAJOR SEMINARY MAKURDI

TUESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> BLESSED CYPRIAN MICHAEL IWENE TANSI. FEAST

WEDNESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> Saint Agnes, Virgin, Martyr

THURSDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> **WEEKDAY** 

FRIDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> Saint **Francis de Sales, Bishop, Doctor**Birthday of our Bishop, Bishop Denis Chidi Isizoh

SUNDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> THE CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL, APOSTLE, FEAST

### PATRONAL FEAST OF ST. PAUL'S SEMINARY IGBARIAM

MONDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> St.s Timothy and Titus, Classes continue

TUESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 28th Saint Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor

THURSDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> Saint John Bosco, Priest

FEBUARY 2026

SUNDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, **VISITING DAY** 

## MONDAY $2^{\rm ND}$ $\,$ THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD. Feast, HOLY MASS BY BISHOP DENIS ISIZOH. Classes

TUESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY  $4^{TH}$  – WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> Saint Agatha, Virgin, Martyr

FRIDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> Saints Paul Miki and his Companions, Martyrs

SATURDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> BVM

SUNDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> 5TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, MONTHLY RECOLLECTION

MONDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> Saint Scholastica, Virgin

WEDNESDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

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FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> Saints Cyril, Monk, and Methodius, Bishop, Feast

SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> 6TH **SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** 

MONDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> **WEEKDAY** 

WEDNESDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> **ASH WEDNESDAY** 

THURSDAY  $19^{TH}$  THURSDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY

FRIDAY  $20^{\text{TH}}$  FRIDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY

SATURDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> SATURDAY AFTER ASH WEDNESDAY

SUNDAY  $22^{ND}$   $1^{ST}$  SUNDAY OF LENT

MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

**MARCH 2026** 

SUNDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT VISITING DAY

MONDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 3RD END OF MID TERM BREAK

WEDNESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> VIA CRUCIS BEGINS

SATURDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY

SUNDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> 3RD **SUNDAY OF LENT, MONTHLY RECOLLECTION** 

MONDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

TUESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

WEDNESDAY  $11^{TH}$  LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

THURSDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> **LENTEN WEEKDAY** 

FRIDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

MID TERM BREAK BEGINS

SATURDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> 4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT, VISITING DAY

MONDAY 16  $^{\text{TH}}$  **LENTEN WEEKDAY** 

TUESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> MASS **OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE ERECTION OF AGULERI DIOCESE Saint Patrick, Bishop, Missionary, Feast** 

WEDNESDAY  $18^{TH}$  – **LENTEN WEEKDAY** 

THURSDAY 19<sup>th</sup> Saint Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Solemnity

FRIDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN WEEKDAY MID TERM BREAK ENDS

SATURDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

SUNDAY  $22^{ND}$  5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT

MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

SECOND TERM EXAMINATION BEGINS

TUESDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> – **LENTEN WEEKDAY** 

WEDNESDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD, SOLEMNITY

THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

FRIDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

SATURDAY  $28^{TH}$  LENTEN **WEEKDAY** 

SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> PALM **SUNDAY** 

MONDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> **MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK** 

TUESDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> **TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK. END OF EXAMINATION** 

**APRIL 2026** 

WEDNESDAY 1ST WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, CHRISM MASS AT THE CATHEDRAL

THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> MAUNDY THURSDAY

FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> GOOD **FRIDAY** 

SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> HOLY SATURDAY

SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> EASTER SUNDAY EASTER BREAK BEGINS

MONDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> EASTER MONDAY

TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> EASTER TUESDAY INTERVIEW EXAMINATION

WEDNESDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> EASTER THURSDAY

SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY END OF EASTER BREAK

SUNDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> 3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF EASTER

MONDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY  $22^{ND}$  EASTER WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> St. Mark, Evangelist. Feast

SUNDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> FOURTH **SUNDAY OF EASTER** 

MONDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> Saint Catherine of Siena, Virgin, Doctor, Feast

THURSDAY  $30^{TH}$  EASTER WEEKDAY

**MAY 2026** 

FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> – **St. Joseph the Worker, Worker's** Day
Anniversary of the Episcopal Consecration of our Bishop founder, Bishop Denis
Chidi Isizoh

SATURDAY  $2^{ND}$  – Saint Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor

SUNDAY  $3^{RD} - 5^{TH}$  SUNDAY OF EASTER VISITING DAY

MONDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY, Holy mass by our Bishop

TUESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

WEDNESDAY  $6^{TH}$  EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

THURSDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

FRIDAY  $8^{TH}$  EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

SATURDAY  $9^{TH}$  EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

SUNDAY  $10^{TH}$  6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, MONTHLY RECOLLECTION

MONDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

TUESDAY 12<sup>TH</sup>EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

WEDNESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> – **OUR LADY OF FATIMA** 

Saint Matthias, Apostle, Feast

THURSDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> – **THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD** 

FRIDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

SATURDAY  $16^{TH}$  – **EASTER WEEKDAY** 

SUNDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> 7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER,

MONDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

TUESDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> EASTER WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> EASTER **WEEKDAY** 

THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> **EASTER WEEKDAY** 

FRIDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> **EASTER WEEKDAY** 

SATURDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> **EASTER WEEKDAY** 

SUNDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> 6TH PENTECOST. PASTORAL VISIT/CONFIRMATION. 10 AM

MONDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MARY, MOTHER OF THE CHURCH CATEX

TUESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> Saint Philip Neri, Priest

WEDNESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop, Feast

THURSDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST. FEAST

FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> ORDINARY **TIME, WEEK 8** 

SATURDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> **BVM** 

SUNDAY 31<sup>ST</sup> 7TH THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY, SOLEMNITY

**JUNE 2026** 

MONDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> St. Justin, Martyr Holy mass by our Bishop

TUESDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> **WEEKDAY MID TERM BREAK** 

TUESDAY  $9^{TH}$  **WEEKDAY** END OF MID TERM BREAK

WEDNESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> Saint Barnabas, Apostle

FRIDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> THE **MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, SOLEMNITY** 

SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup>, Saint Antony of Padua, Priest, Doctor

SUNDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> THE **MOST HOLY TRINITY, SOLEMNITY,** 

SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> 11<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MONDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> – WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> B **V M** 

SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> – SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES, Solemnity

MONDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

TUESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> **WEEKDAY** 

**JULY 2026** 

WEDNESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> Saint Thomas, Apostle, Feast

SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> BVM

END OF CLASSES

SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> 14<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, VISITING DAY

 $MONDAY \ 6^{TH} \ WEEKDAY, \ \textbf{Holy Mass by our Bishop, THIRD TERM EXAMINATION}$ 

TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

WEDNESDAY  $8^{TH}$  WEEKDAY

THURSDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

 $SATURDAY\ 11^{TH} \textbf{Saint Benedict, Abbot, Memorial}$ 

SUNDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> 15TH **SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** 

MONDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY,

TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> – WEEKDAY

END OF EXAMINATION

WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> Saint Bonaventure, Bishop, Doctor

THURSDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> OUR **LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL** 

FRIDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> WEEKDAY

SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> BVM

## LONG VACATION