

How much do you know about the Liturgical Year?

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- 1) The seasons in the Liturgical Year occur on the same dates every year.
- 2) There are 5 Penitential seasons in the Liturgical Year.
- 3) The major feast of the Liturgical Year is Easter.
- 4) The Liturgical Year is the Church's way of retelling the life of Mary.
- 5) The longest season in the Liturgical Year is Ordinary Time.
- 6) Holy Week is the holiest week of the year because we celebrate the birth of Jesus.
- 7) Lent is the season to prepare people to celebrate Jesus' death and resurrection.
- 8) Advent begins 6 weeks before Christmas.
- 9) The Church uses the Penitential seasons to help people prepare for important feasts.
- 10) The first day of Advent is Ash Wednesday.
- 11) The seasons of the Liturgical Year have special colours and symbols.
- 12) Lent and Advent help people prepare to celebrate Easter and Pentecost.
- 13) The national feast day for Aotearoa New Zealand celebrates Mary's Assumption.
- 14) Christmas Day is a Holy Day of Obligation when people are expected to go to Mass.
- 15) In Penitential seasons people are expected to pray, fast and give to the needy.



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