

Pastoral School – Diocese of Chicago & Mid-America

September, 2026 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
	August, 2026	September, 2026 Fall 2026 Registration Begins Applications Due				
6 Week 1	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Fall 2026 Semester Semester Begins					
13 Week 2	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Church New Year Fall 2026 Semester Tuition Due					
20 Week 3	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Nativity of the Mother of God School Holiday					Last day for late registration and to add classes
27 Week 4	28	29	30	1	2	3
Exaltation of the Cross			September, 2026	October, 2026		
4 Week 5	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Last day to drop classes with a “W” grade					

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October, 2026 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 Week 4	28	29	30	1	2	3
Exaltation of the Cross			September, 2026	October, 2026		
4 Week 5	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Last day to drop classes with a "W" grade					
11 Week 6	12	13	14	15	16	17
			Protection of the Mother of God			
18 Week 7	19	20	21	22	23	24
Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week
25 Week 8	26	27	28	29	30	31
Examination week						October, 2026
1 Week 9	2	3	4	5	6	7
St. John of Kronstadt Minor Feast of the Pastoral School November, 2026						

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November, 2026 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 Week 8	26	27	28	29	30	31
Examination week						October, 2026
1 Week 9	2	3	4	5	6	7
St. John of Kronstadt Minor Feast of the Pastoral School November, 2026						
8 Week 10	9	10	11	12	13	14
15 Week 11	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Thanksgiving School Holiday		
22 Week 12	23	24	25	26	27	28
				Thanksgiving School Holiday		Nativity Lent Begins
29 Week 13	30	1	2	3	4	5
Examination week	November, 2026 Examination week	December, 2026 Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Entrance of the Theotokos School Holiday Examination week	Examination week

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December, 2026 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 Week 13	30	1	2	3	4	5
Examination week	November, 2026 Examination week	December, 2026 Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Entrance of the Theotokos School Holiday Examination week	Examination week
6 Week 14	7	8	9	10	11	12
Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week	Examination week
13 Week 15	14	15	16	17	18	19
					St. Nicholas of Myra	
20 Week 16	21	22	23	24	25	26
				Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed
27 Week 17	28	29	30	31	1	2
Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	December, 2026 Nativity Break School Closed	January, 2027 Nativity Break School Closed	St. John of Kronstadt School Patronal Feast Day School Closed
3 Week 18	4	5	6	7	8	9
Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity of the Lord Nativity Break School Closed	Classes End All Tuition Paid In Full by Today Examination Preparation week	Examination Preparation week

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January, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 Week 17	28	29	30	31	1	2
Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	December, 2026 Nativity Break School Closed	January, 2027 Nativity Break School Closed	St. John of Kronstadt School Patronal Feast Day School Closed
3 Week 18	4	5	6	7	8	9
Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity Break School Closed	Nativity of the Lord Nativity Break School Closed	Classes End All Tuition Paid In Full by Today Examination Preparation week	Examination Preparation week
10 Week 20	11	12	13	14	15	16
Examination Preparation week	Final Examination week	Final Examination week	Final Examination week	Final Examination week	Final Examination week	Final Examinations End Last Day of Fall Semester
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Semester Break	Semester Break	Theophany of the Lord Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	January, 2027 Semester Break
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Semester Break	February, 2027 Spring 2026 Registration Begins Applications Due	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break

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February, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	January, 2027 Semester Break
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
Semester Break	February, 2027 Spring 2026 Registration Begins Applications Due	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break	Semester Break
7 Week 1	8	9	10	11	12	13
Sunday of the Prodigal Son Semester Break	Spring 2026 Semester Begins				Three Hierarchs Patronal Feast Day Holy Trinity Seminary	Last day for late registration and to add classes
14 Week 2	15	16	17	18	19	20
Zacchaeus Sunday	Meeting of the Lord School Holiday	Spring 2025 Semester Tuition Due				
21 Week 3	22	23	24	25	26	27
Sunday of the Publican & Pharisee						
28 Week 4	1	2	3	4	5	6
February, 2027 Sunday of the Prodigal Son	March, 2027 Last day to drop classes with a “W” grade					

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March, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
21 Week 3 Sunday of the Publican & Pharisee	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Week 4 February, 2027 Sunday of the Prodigal Son	1 March, 2027 Last day to drop classes with a "W" grade	2	3	4	5	6
7 Week 5 Meatfare Sunday Examination week	8 Examination week	9 Examination week	10 Examination week	11 Examination week	12 Examination week	13 Examination week
14 Week 6 Forgiveness Sunday Examination week	15 First Day of Great Lent	16	17	18	19	20
21 Week 7	22	23	24	25	26	27
28 Week 8	29	30	31 March, 2027	1 April, 2027	2	3

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April, 2027 Academic Calendar

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May, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 Week 12 Palm Sunday Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	26 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	27 Annunciation Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	28 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	29 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	30 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	1 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week
2 Week 13 PASCHA Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	3 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	4 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	5 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	6 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	7 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week	8 Spring Break School Closed for Holy Week and Bright Week
9 Week 14	10	11	12	13	14 Senior Thesis Due to the Dean	15
16 Week 15	17	18	19	20	21	22
23 Week 16	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 Week 17	31 May, 2027 Final Exam for Seniors Week	1 June, 2027 Summer Apps Due Summer 2027 Registration Begins Final Exam for Seniors Week	2 Final Exam for Seniors Week	3 Final Exam for Seniors Week	4 Final Exam for Seniors Week	5 Final Exam for Seniors Week

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June, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30 Week 17	31	1 June, 2027 Summer Apps Due Summer 2027 Registration Begins Final Exam for Seniors Week	2 Final Exam for Seniors Week	3 Final Exam for Seniors Week	4 Final Exam for Seniors Week	5 Final Exam for Seniors Week
6 Week 18	7 Final Exam for Seniors Week	8 Final Exam for Seniors Week	9 Final Exam for Seniors Week	10 Ascension School Holiday Final Examination week	11 Final Examination week	12 Last Day Spring Semester
13 Week 1	14	15	16	17	18	19
All Saints of Russia GRADUATION* Des Plaines, IL	Summer 2026 Semester Begins					
20 Week 2	21	22	23	24	25	26
Pentecost Sunday School Holiday	Summer 2026 Semester Tuition Due				Spring Semester 2027 Grades to the Dean	
27 Week 3	28	29	30	1	2	3
All Saints Sunday			June, 2027	July, 2027		COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATIONS* Des Plaines, IL
4 Week 4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Independence Day School Holiday All Saints of Russia GRADUATION* Des Plaines, IL						
						*TENTATIVE!

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July, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27 Week 3	28	29	30	1	2	3
All Saints Sunday			June, 2027	July, 2027		COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATIONS* Des Plaines, IL
4 Week 4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Independence Day School Holiday All Saints of Russia GRADUATION* Des Plaines, IL						*TENTATIVE!
11 Week 5	12	13	14	15	16	17
	Sts. Peter & Paul					
18 Week 6	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 Week 7	26	27	28	29	30	31
						July, 2027
1 Week 8	2	3	4	5	6	7
August, 2027						Last Day Summer Summer Semester Except Liturgics

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August, 2027 Academic Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 Week 7	26	27	28	29	30	31
						July, 2027
1 Week 8	2	3	4	5	6	7
August, 2027						Last Day Summer Summer Semester Except Liturgics
8 Week 9	9	10	11	12	13	14
					8-Week Summer Semester Grades to the Dean	
15 Week 10	16	17	18	19	20	21
Scholarship Applications Due				Transfiguration School Holiday		Last Day Summer Summer Semester 10-Week Courses
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
					10-Week Summer Semester Grades to the Dean	Dormition of the Mother of God School Holiday
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
		August, 2027	September, 2027 Fall 2027 Registration Begins Applications Due			