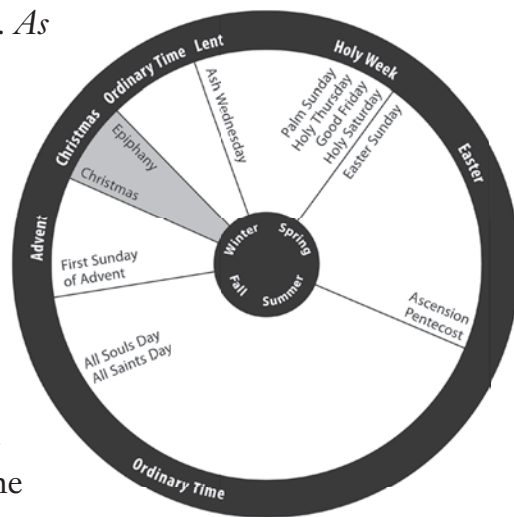


Name _____

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The Feasts of Christmas

Many people think of Christmas as a one-day holiday. As Catholics we consider Christmas to be a season that actually lasts several weeks. December 25 is just the beginning of this very special season during which we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, honor Mary, the Mother of God, revisit the Epiphany, and recall the baptism of the Lord.



What do you know about these special feast days: the Epiphany; the Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God; and the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord?

Feast Facts

Work in small groups. Choose one of the following feast days: Epiphany; Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God; or the Feast of the Baptism of the Lord. Do research on the Internet to learn more about the feast day.

Feast day name _____

Date it is celebrated _____

Gospel readings for the day

How and why we celebrate
