



# 24 HOURS FOR THE LORD

*March 22 -23 , 2024*

**12PM FRIDAY TO 12PM SATURDAY**

**CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

**(THE BASILICA WILL BE OPEN FOR 24 HOURS FOR PRIVATE PRAYER,  
PRAYING THE STATIONS. ETC.**

**(SECURITY WILL BE PRESENT AT ALL HOURS)**

**24 HOURS OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**COMMUNAL STATIONS OF THE CROSS -FRIDAY AT 7:00 PM**

**CONFESSIONS: FRIDAY: 11-12, 7:30 PM-9:00 PM; SATURDAY, 10AM-12PM**

The “24 hours for the Lord” event, a Lenten initiative of prayer and reconciliation introduced by Pope Francis, this year marks its 11th edition. As previously, the event will be celebrated in dioceses around the world on the eve of the fourth Sunday of Lent, from Friday 8 to Saturday 9 March. . Pope Francis invites the entire Church to “celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation in the context of Eucharistic Adoration”. “Lent summons us, and enables us, to come back to the Lord wholeheartedly and in every aspect of our life,” Pope Francis said. “Above all, I urge the members of the Church to take up the Lenten journey with enthusiasm, sustained by almsgiving, fasting and prayer.

