

**JOHN PAUL II INSTITUTE  
FOR STUDIES ON MARRIAGE AND FAMILY  
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2023-2024  
FALL SEMESTER – 2023**

<b>MONTH</b>	<b>EVENT</b>	<b>✓</b>
<b>AUGUST 2023</b>		
August 18	Ph.D. Booklist Examinations	
August 25	Orientation and Opening Charge (9 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)	
August 28	Classes Begin	
<b>SEPTEMBER 2023</b>		
September 4	Labor Day (Holiday—No classes)	
September 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Last day to register or add courses for credit, or to drop courses without record.</li> <li>➤ FINAL DAY for 100% REFUND</li> </ul>	
September 12	OPENING MASS—JOHN PAUL II SHRINE 2:00 pm	
September 16	Institute Picnic 1-5 pm	
<b>OCTOBER 2023</b>		
October 2	Ph.D./S.T.D. Dissertation Deposit Deadline	
October 9	Columbus Day (Holiday—No classes)	
October 10	Administrative Friday (Friday classes meet instead of Tuesday)	
October 13	<b>MIDTERM</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Last day to resolve grades of INCOMPLETE from previous semester.</li> <li>➤ Last day to change to audit.</li> <li>➤ FINAL DAY for 50% REFUND for Program Withdrawal</li> </ul>	
October 16	S.T.L. Dissertation Deposit Date	
<b>NOVEMBER 2023</b>		
November 6-10	REGISTRATION FOR RETURNING STUDENTS	
November 10	Last Day to Withdraw from Courses with mark of “W”	
November 10, 13	MTS COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATIONS	
November 22-24	Thanksgiving Recess – No Classes	
<b>DECEMBER 2023</b>		
December 8	Patronal Feast of the Immaculate Conception (Holiday; No Classes)	
December 11	Last day of classes	
December 12-15	Final Examination Period	
December 18 – January 5	Christmas Break - No Classes	

**SPRING SEMESTER ON REVERSE SIDE**

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<b>JANUARY 2024</b>		
January 8	Spring Semester Begins	
January 8-12	REGISTRATION for NEW STUDENTS	
January 15	Martin Luther King, Jr., (Holiday—No classes)	
January 19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Last Day to Register or Add Courses for Credit (including Defenses &amp; Comps), or Drop Courses without Record</li> <li>➤ FINAL DAY for 100% REFUND</li> </ul>	
January 19	March for Life	
January 29-February 2	PhD Qualifying Examinations	
<b>FEBRUARY 2024</b>		
February 20	Administrative Monday (Monday classes meet instead of Tuesday)	
February 23	<b>MIDTERM</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Last day to resolve grades of INCOMPLETE from previous semester</li> <li>➤ Last day to change to audit.</li> <li>➤ FINAL DAY for 50% REFUND for Program Withdrawal</li> </ul>	
February 26	Ph.D./S.T.D. Dissertation Deposit Deadline	
<b>MARCH 2024</b>		
March 4	S.T.L. Dissertation Deposit Date	
March 11-15	Spring Recess	
March 18	Classes Resume	
March 23, 25	MTS COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATIONS	
March 27	➤ LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW from Courses with Mark of “W” Approved Withdrawal	
March 28	Holy Thursday (Holiday—No classes)	
March 29	Good Friday (Holiday—No classes)	
March 31	Easter Sunday	
<b>APRIL 2024</b>		
April 1	Easter Monday (Holiday—No classes)	
April 2	Classes Resume	
April 2-5	REGISTRATION for RETURNING STUDENTS for FALL 2024	
April 26	Last day of classes	
<b>MAY 2024</b>		
April 29-May 3	Final Examination Period	
May 6	Graduation Ball	
May 7	GRADUATION MASS—JP II Shrine 2:00 PM	