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Great and Holy Lent 2017

During Great Lent all Orthodox Christians are encouraged to pray, fast, and be charitable. We should make an extra effort to attend Lenten Services, as well. We are encouraged to keep the Laws of Fasting. If the entire Law is not possible to keep, we are encouraged to keep as many of the regulations as possible. We abstain from meat and dairy products from Monday, February 27, 2017 the first day of Lent, until PASCHA, April 16, 2017

During Lent Holy Confession will be heard Saturday evenings after Vespers, Sundays from 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM, and Palm Sunday from 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM. It is required that we attend confession at least once a year preferably during the Lenten period.

### Lenten Prayer of St. Ephraim the Syrian



“O Lord and Master  
of my life,  
Take from me the spirit  
of sloth, despair,  
lust of power  
and idle talk;

But give rather the spirit of chastity,  
humility, patience, and love to Thy servant.

Yea, O Lord and King,  
grant me to see my own transgressions  
and not to judge my brother, for blessed  
art Thou unto ages of ages. Amen.”

Sunday, February 26, 2017 - Cheesefare and Forgiveness Sunday - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Monday, February 27, 2017 -First day of Great and Holy Lent  
5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Tuesday, February 28, 2017 - 5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Wednesday, March 1, 2017 - 5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Thursday, March 2, 2017 - 5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Saturday, March 4, 2017 - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and Sorokousty for the Deceased  
4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, March 5, 2017 Sunday of Orthodoxy - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession  
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, March 8, 2017 - 5:00 PM Lamentations of the Mother of God

Saturday, March 11, 2017 - Memorial Saturday - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and Sorokousty  
for the Deceased - 4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, March 12, 2017 - St. Gregory Palamas - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession  
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, March 15, 2017 - 5:00 PM Liturgy of Pre-sanctified Gifts

Saturday, March 18, 2017

**Lenten Mission with our guest, Fr Andrii from St. Mary's, New Britain, CT along with other  
clergy from the NE Deanery - 5 P.M. Holy Confession and Vespers followed by a Lenten  
supper and special Lenten talk with Fr. Andrii**

Sunday, March 19, 2017 - Sunday of the Holy Cross 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession 10:00  
AM Veneration of the Holy Cross & Divine Liturgy

Saturday, March 25, 2017 - Memorial Saturday - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and Sorokousty  
for the Deceased - 4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, March 26, 2017 St. John of the Ladder 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession 10:00 AM  
Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, March 29, 2017 - 5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Saturday, April 1, 2017 - 10:00 AM Akafist - Glorification of the Birth-Giver of God

Sunday, April 2, 2017 St. Mary of Egypt - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession  
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Friday, April 7, 2017 – The Annunciation of the Theotokos 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Saturday, April 8, 2017 Lazarus Saturday - 9:00 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession  
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy - 4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, April 9, 2017 Entry of the Lord into Jerusalem - Palm Sunday -8:00 AM to 9:00 AM Holy  
Confession - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy - **Paska Bake Sale after the Liturgy**