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Great and Holy Lent 2020

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, March 2, 2020 the first day of Great Lent, until PASCHA, April 19, 2020.

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, March 1, 2020 - Forgiveness Sunday - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Monday, March 2, 2020 - First day of Great and Holy Lent

5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Tuesday, March 3, 2020

5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Wednesday, March 4, 2020

5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Thursday, March 5, 2020

5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Saturday, March 7, 2020

10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and Sorokousty for the Deceased

4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, March 8, 2020 Sunday of Orthodoxy - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession -

10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, March 11, 2020 - 5:00 PM Lamentations of the Mother of God

Saturday, March 14, 2020 - Memorial Saturday - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and

Sorokousty for the Deceased

4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, March 15, 2020 - St. Gregory Palamas - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession -

10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, March 18, 2020 - 5:00 PM Liturgy of Pre-sanctified Gifts

Saturday, March 21, 2020 – Memorial Saturday - 10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and

Sorokousty for the Deceased

4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession

Sunday, March 22, 2020 - 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 28, 2020 – Mission with clergy from the New England Deanery

(Woonsocket, New Haven, New Britain and Bridgeport)

4:00 PM Vespers and Holy Confession, followed by a Lenten Supper and Lenten Talk

Sunday, March 29, 2020 - St. John of the Ladder - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession
10:00 AM - Divine Liturgy

Wednesday, April 1, 2020 - 5:00 PM Canon of St. Andrew of Crete

Saturday, April 4, 2020 10:00 AM Akafist - Glorification of the Birth-Giver of God

Sunday, April 5, 2020 St. Mary of Egypt - 8:30 AM to 9:30 AM Holy Confession - 10:00
AM Divine Liturgy

Tuesday, April 7, 2020 – Holy Day – The Annunciation of the Theotokos
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy

Saturday, April 11, 2020 - 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 12, 2020 Entry of the Lord into Jerusalem - Palm Sunday - 8:00 AM to 9:00
AM Holy Confession
10:00 AM Divine Liturgy and distribution of Pussy Willows

Paska Bake Sale after the Liturgy