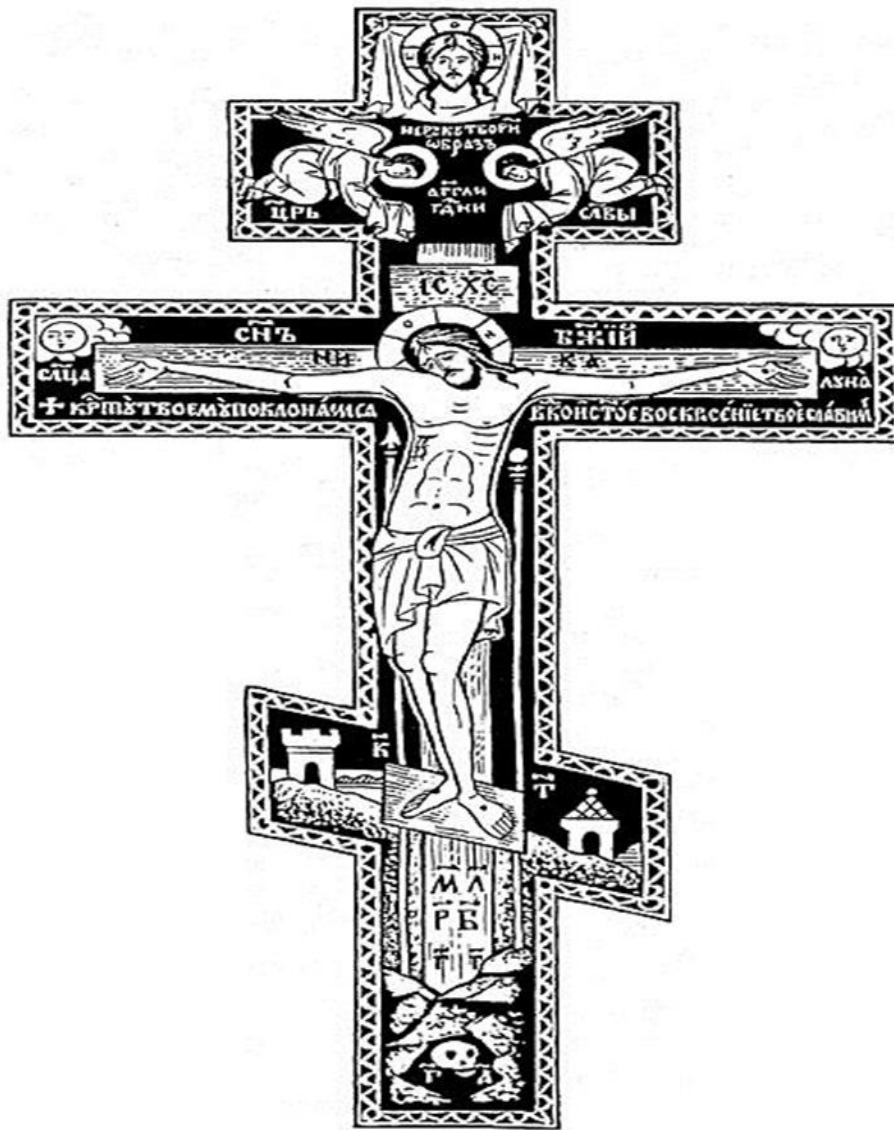


# 2024 Lenten Schedule & HOLY WEEK



## Lenten Schedule 2024

- March 17<sup>th</sup>- Forgiveness Vespers at 5:00pm  
*1<sup>st</sup> Week of Great Lent*
- March 18<sup>th</sup>- Great Compline with the Canon of St. Andrew at 4:00pm  
(respective quarter)
- March 20<sup>th</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm
- March 21<sup>st</sup>- Great Compline with the Canon of St. Andrew at 6:30pm  
(respective quarter)
- March 22<sup>nd</sup>- Akathist to the Theotokos 1<sup>st</sup> Stasis at 6:30pm
- March 24<sup>th</sup>- Sunday of Orthodoxy Pan-Orthodox Vespers at 5:00pm (*Hosted by St. Ephraim Parish*).

### *2<sup>nd</sup> Week of Great Lent*

#### *Feast of the Annunciation*

- March 25<sup>th</sup>- Festal Orthros at 9:00am. Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom at 10:00am
- March 27<sup>th</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm
- March 29<sup>th</sup>- Akathist to the Theotokos 2<sup>nd</sup> Stasis at 6:30pm

### *3<sup>rd</sup> Week of Great Lent*

- April 1<sup>st</sup>- Great Compline at 4:00pm
- April 3<sup>rd</sup>- Pan-Orthodox Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm (*Hosted by St. Ephraim Parish*).
- April 5<sup>th</sup>- Akathist to the Theotokos 3<sup>rd</sup> Stasis at 6:30pm
- April 6<sup>th</sup>- Pan-Orthodox Soul Saturday Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom at 9:30am followed by Trisagion Prayers for the Departed & Lenten Retreat with Fr. Chad Hatfield of St. Vladimir Seminary. (*Hosted by St. Ephraim Parish*)

### *4<sup>th</sup> Week of Great Lent*

- April 8<sup>th</sup>- Great Compline at 4:00pm
- April 10<sup>th</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm
- April 12<sup>th</sup>- Akathist to the Theotokos 4<sup>th</sup> Stasis at 6:30pm

### 5<sup>th</sup> Week of Great Lent

- April 15<sup>th</sup>- Great Compline at 4:00pm
- April 17<sup>th</sup>- Pan- Orthodox Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm (*Hosted by St. Sophia Greek Orthodox Church, 2504 N St Mary's St, San Antonio, TX 78212*)
- April 18<sup>th</sup>- Little Compline with the complete Canon of St. Andrew of Crete and the Life of St. Mary of Egypt at 6:30pm
- April 19<sup>th</sup>- Akathist to the Theotokos at 6:30pm

### 6<sup>th</sup> Week of Great Lent

- April 22<sup>nd</sup>- Great Compline at 4:00pm
- April 24<sup>th</sup>- Pan- Orthodox Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 6:30pm (*Hosted by St. Anthony the Great Orthodox Church, 103 Carolina St, San Antonio, TX 78210*)
- April 25<sup>th</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 9:00am (Feast Day of St. Mark)
- April 26<sup>th</sup>- Little Compline with the Canon of the Rising of Lazarus at 6:30pm

### Lazarus Saturday

- April 27<sup>th</sup>- Orthros/Matins at 9:00am & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom at 10:00am (*Reception of new faithful into the Holy Orthodox Church*)

### Palm Sunday

- April 28<sup>th</sup>- Orthros/Matins at 9:00am & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom at 10:00am
  - Procession w/ Palm Branches, Annual Photo & Fish Luncheon.

### HOLY WEEK

- April 28<sup>th</sup>- Bridegroom Orthros for Holy Monday at 6:30pm (Sunday Evening)
- April 29<sup>th</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 9:00am (Monday Morning)
- April 29<sup>th</sup>- Bridegroom Orthros for Holy Tuesday at 6:30pm (Monday Evening)
- April 30<sup>th</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 9:00am (Tuesday Morning)
- April 30<sup>th</sup>- Bridegroom Orthros for Holy Wednesday at 6:30pm (Tuesday Evening)

- May 1<sup>st</sup>- Presanctified Divine Liturgy at 9:00am (Wednesday Morning)
- May 1<sup>st</sup>- Holy Unction Service at 6:30pm (Wednesday Evening)
- May 2<sup>nd</sup>- Vespereal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great for the Anniversary of the Mystical Supper of Christ at 9:30am. (Thursday Morning)
- May 2<sup>nd</sup>- Orthros with the 12 Passion Gospels for Holy Friday at 6:30pm (Thursday Evening)
- May 3<sup>rd</sup>- The Royal (Great) Hours and Typika on Holy Friday at 9:00am (Friday Morning) (*Decorating the Bier*)
- May 3<sup>rd</sup>- Great Vespers for Holy Saturday, the taking down of Christ from the Cross at 3:00pm (Friday Afternoon) (*Decorating the Bier*)
- May 3<sup>rd</sup>- Orthros with the Lamentations for Holy Saturday at 6:30pm (Friday Evening)
- May 4<sup>th</sup>- Vespereal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great, the First Liturgy (Baptismal Liturgy) of Pascha at 10:00am. (Saturday Morning)
- May 4<sup>th</sup>- **Great & Holy Pascha** starting at 10:00pm (Saturday Evening)
- May 5<sup>th</sup>- Agape Vespers at 4:00pm followed by Lamb Roast at 5:00pm (Sunday Afternoon)

(*Note:* This 2024 Lenten Schedule does not reflect the regular weekend services of Great Vespers, Orthros & Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great that will be served each weekend throughout the fast. There will also be other things that need to be done during Holy Week which are not reflected on this Schedule, such as buying palm branches, basil or laurel leaves, Easter lilies & decorating the bier with roses and flowers. Please make every effort to attend as many services as you can while we go through this Great and Holy Fast where we end with the encounter of the Empty Tomb and the Resurrected Lord. For a complete copy of our liturgical services during Holy Week please reference *The Services of Great and Holy Week and Pascha*, service book, produced by the Antiochian Archdiocese and on sale in our parish bookstore).

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