



## Services of Great Lent

<b>Sunday, March 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00AM</b>	Divine Liturgy followed by the Service of Forgiveness
<b>Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00PM</b>	Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
<b>Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00PM</b>	Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
<b>Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
<b>Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00PM</b>	Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete
<b>Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Passion Service, followed by Soup & Pot Luck
<b>Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	Divine Liturgy (St. Theodore the Tyre)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Great Vespers
<b>Sunday, March 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	Divine Liturgy (Sunday of Orthodoxy)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Pan-Orthodox Vespers (St. Philip's AOC, Souderton)
<b>Wednesday, March 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
<b>Friday, March 22<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, followed by Soup & Pot Luck
<b>Saturday, March 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Great Vespers
<b>Sunday, March 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	Divine Liturgy (St. Gregory Palamas)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Pan-Orthodox Lenten Vespers (St. Nicholas OCA, Bethlehem)
<b>Wednesday, March 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
<b>Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, followed by Soup & Pot Luck
<b>Saturday, March 30<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	All-Souls Divine Liturgy
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Great Vespers
<b>Sunday, March 31<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	Divine Liturgy (Adoration of the Cross)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Pan-Orthodox Lenten Vespers (St Paul AOC, Emmaus)
<b>Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
<b>Friday, April 5<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, followed by Soup & Pot Luck
<b>Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>All Day</b>	Lenten Retreat: St. Mathews GOC in Blandon PA
	<b>6:30 PM</b>	Service of Repentance
<b>Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	Divine Liturgy (ANNUNCIATION & St. John of the Ladder)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Pan-Orthodox Vespers (St. Mary's UOC, Allentown)
<b>Wednesday, April 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
<b>Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Great Canon of St. Andrew (Complete, w/ life of St. Mary)
<b>Friday, April 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, followed by Sop & Pot Luck
<b>Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>All Day</b>	UOL Retreat (St. Francis Center, Bethlehem)
<b>Sunday, April 14<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:00 AM</b>	Divine Liturgy (St. Mary of Egypt)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Pan-Orthodox Vespers (St. Nicholas GOC, Bethlehem)
<b>Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
<b>Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Passion Service
<b>Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts, followed by Soup & Pot Luck
<b>Saturday, April 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00 AM</b>	Lazarus Saturday: Divine Liturgy
	<b>11:00 AM</b>	Clean up, ironing of Paschal altar vestments (all are invited!)
	<b>4:00 PM</b>	Parish Vigil of Palm Sunday, Blessing of Palms & Willows

**During Great Lent, we are encouraged to slow down the pace of our lives and spend more time in quiet and prayer. Unless we focus on the basics (prayer, family, worship) and downsize the rest, the additional disciplines of Lent will either go unused or just add stress to our lives. Neither approach is useful!**



## HOLY WEEK, PASCHA, AND BRIGHT WEEK 2019

<b>Sunday, April 21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>PALM SUNDAY</b>
9:00AM	Divine Liturgy (children & youth participate in the Great Entrance)
7:00PM	Bridegroom Matins
<b>Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>GREAT (PASSION) WEEK – MONDAY</b>
4:00PM	Presanctified Liturgy
7:00PM	Bridegroom Matins
<b>Tuesday, April 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>GREAT (PASSION) WEEK – TUESDAY</b>
4:00PM	Presanctified Liturgy
7:00PM	Bridegroom Matins
<b>Wednesday, April 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>GREAT (PASSION) WEEK – WEDNESDAY</b>
NOON	Holy Unction Service
4:00PM	Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts
7:00PM	Bridegroom Matins (at St. Mary's UOC, w/ Holy Assumption UOC)
<b>Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>GREAT THURSDAY – Commemoration of the Mystical Supper</b>
5:00PM	Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil, preparation of Reserved Sacrament
7:00PM	Matins of the Holy Passion (Service of the 12 Passion Gospels)
<b>Friday, April 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>GREAT FRIDAY – Commemoration of the Saving Passion of Christ</b>
10:00AM	Royal Hours
7:00PM	Great Vespers – Commemoration of the Burial of Christ w/ Procession
<b>Saturday, April 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>GREAT SATURDAY AND HOLY PASCHA</b>
10:00AM	Matins of Holy Saturday (Lamentations)
3:00PM	Vesperal (Resurrection) Liturgy of St. Basil and Readings;
5:00PM	Blessing of Paschal Baskets (in Parish Hall)
<b>Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>SUNDAY OF PASCHA</b>
7:30AM	Paschal Nocturns & Procession
8:00AM	Paschal Orthros/Matins
9:00AM	Paschal Divine Liturgy
10:00AM	Blessing of Paschal Baskets (in Parish Hall); Pulled Pork and Basket Pot Luck!
11:00AM	Easter Egg Hunt
12:00PM	Agape Vespers of Pascha
1:00PM	Blessing of remaining Paschal Baskets
<b>Monday, April 29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>BRIGHT MONDAY</b>
10:00AM	Paschal Divine Liturgy

**The service schedules for Great Lent, Holy Week, and Pascha were designed to give everyone the greatest opportunity to participate. There are a lot of services; I do not expect anyone to come to all of them! I would, however, be very excited to have everyone come to some of them, and especially Pascha! Pani Matka Tina and Fr. Anthony will be bringing pulled pork and Brunswick stew for the Paschal Meal. Everyone is invited to stay after the Paschal Liturgy and feast together!!!**