



Protection of the Most Holy Mother Of God

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Cheesefare Sunday- Forgiveness Vespers

Tone 4 Troparion (Resurrection)

When the women disciples of the Lord learned from the angel the joyous message of Your Resurrection, They cast away the ancestral curse and elatedly told the apostles: “Death is overthrown! Christ God is risen, granting the world great mercy!”

Tone 6 Kontakion (from the Lenten Triodion)

O Master, Teacher of wisdom, Bestower of virtue, Who teach the thoughtless and protect the poor, strengthen and enlighten my heart! O Word of the Father, let me not restrain my mouth from crying to You: “Have mercy on me, a transgressor, O merciful Lord!”

Tone 3 Prokeimenon (Lenten Triodion)

Pray and make your vows / before the Lord, our God! (Ps. 75:10a)
v. In Judah God is known; His name is great in Israel. (Ps. 75:1)

Epistle Romans 13:11-14:4

Tone 6 Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.
v. It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to Your Name, O Most High.
v.. To declare Your mercy in the morning, and Your truth by night.

Tone 4
v. Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth! Sing of His name, give to Him glorious praise! (Ps. 65:1)

Gospel: Matthew 6:14-21

Communion Hymn

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest! (Ps. 148:1)
Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous! Praise befits the just. (Ps. 32:1)

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

This Week's Schedule

Sun	March 6	9:30 AM- Divine Liturgy	Cheesefare Sunday - Forgiveness Vespers (St. Timothy the Venerable of Symbola) <i>Romans 13:11-14:4 Matthew 6:14-21</i>
Mon	March 7 🐟	9:00 AM -Lenten Hours 6:00 PM – Moleben to the Passion of Christ	Clean Monday - First Day of Great Lent - Finding of the Relics of the Holy Martyrs at the Eugenius Gate in Constantinople. <i>Isaiah 1:1-20 Genesis 1:1-13 Proverbs 1:1-20</i>
Tues	March 8 🐟	9:00 AM-Akafist to the Passion of Christ 6:30 PM-Great Canon	The Holy Hieromartyr Polycarp, bishop of Smyrna <i>Isaiah 1:19-2:3 Genesis 1:14-23 Proverbs 1:20-33</i>
Wed	March 9 🐟	9:00 AM - Akafist to the Passion of Christ 4:00 PM - Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts	First and Second Findings of the Head of John the Baptist <i>Isaiah 2:3-11 Genesis 1:24-2:3 Proverbs 2:1-22</i>
Thurs	March 10 🐟 (abstain from meat)	9:00 AM- Akafist to the Passion of Christ 6:30 PM – Moleben to the Mother of God for the Peace and Stability of Ukraine*	The Holy Tarasius, archbishop of Constantinople. (Abstain from meat.) <i>Isaiah 2:11-21 Genesis 2:4-19 Proverbs 3:1-18</i> * St. Josaphat Ukrainian Catholic Church, Bethlehem Sponsored by the Brotherhood of Ukrainian Clergy
Fri	March 11 🐟	9:00 AM - Akafist to the Passion of Christ 6:30 PM - Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts	- The Holy Porphyrius, bishop of Gaza (Abstain from meat and dairy products.) <i>Isaiah 3:1-14 Genesis 2:20-3:20 Proverbs 3:19-34</i>
Sat	March 12 Memorial Saturday	9:00 AM-Divine Liturgy** 5 PM - Vespers	The Holy Great-Martyr Theodore of Tyro <i>Hebrews 1:1-12 Mark 2:23-3:5</i> **for the repose of Stephen Stek (40th Day) requested by family and friends
Sun	March 13	9:30 AM- Divine Liturgy 4:00 PM- Vespers of Triumph of Orthodoxy***	1st Sunday of Great Lent - Triumph of Orthodoxy (The Venerable Basil the Confessor) <i>Hebrews 11:24-26, 11:32-12:2 John 1:43-51</i> *** sponsored by the Lehigh Valley Orthodox Clergy Brotherhood

🐟 Indicates days that we should fast by abstaining from meat and dairy products unless otherwise noted

Readers: 03/06 Robert Noecker; 03/13 Richard Bodnar; 03/20 Rdr. Daniel; 03/27 John Sokalsky

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