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Third Sunday of Great Lent-Veneration of the Holy Cross

Tone 2 Troparion (Resurrection)

When You descended to death, O Life Immortal, You destroyed hell with the splendor of Your Godhead. And when from the depths You raised the dead, all the powers of heaven cried out:// O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You!

Tone 1 Troparion (for the Cross)

O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your inheritance! Grant victories to the Orthodox Christians over their adversaries; and by virtue of Your Cross, // preserve Your habitation!

Tone 7 Kontakion (for the Cross)

Now the flaming sword no longer guards the gates of Eden; it has been mysteriously quenched by the wood of the Cross. The sting of death and the victory of hell have been vanquished; for You, O my Savior, have come and cried to those in hell:// "Enter again into Paradise!"

Tone 2 Kontakion (for the Temple)

The Choirs of Saints and the Virgin/ stand in church praying to God for us. / Angels and hierarchs bow in adoration,/ Apostles and Prophets all rejoice/ in thee, O Mother of God, // who for us prays to God Eternal

Tone 6 Prokeimenon

O Lord, save Your people and bless Your inheritance! (Ps 27/28:9))

v: To You, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me! (Ps 27/28:1)

Epistle: Hebrews 4: 14-5:6

Tone 8 Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

v: Remember Your congregation, which You have purchased of old! (Ps 73/74:2)

v: God is our King before the ages; He has worked salvation in the midst of the earth!

(Ps 73/74:12)

Gospel: Mark 8: 34-9:1

Communion Hymn:

The light of Your countenance has shone on us, O Lord. (Ps 4/5:6)

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

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Sun, Apr 4	9:00AM	Divine Liturgy
	5:00 PM	Pasiya Service (St. Mary's)
Wed, Apr 7	4:00 PM	Vesperal Divine Liturgy
Fri, Apr 9	6:30 PM	Akafist to the Life Giving Cross ¹
Sat, Apr 10	9:00 AM	Divine Liturgy (with Commemoration of the Dead) ²
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