

# PROTECTION OF THE HOLY VIRGIN MARY ORTHODOX CHURCH

## APRIL 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>March 31 – St Gregory Palamas</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy</li> <li>• Noon, <u>Potluck</u> Agape Meal</li> <li>• Mentorship</li> </ul>	1	2 • 8 AM, Matins	3 • 8 AM, Matins  • 6 PM, Presanctified and Meal	4 • 8 AM, Matins	5 • 8 AM, Matins • 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confession • 6 PM, Small Compline/Akathist	6 • 3:30 PM, Catechism <i>On Marriage</i>  <b>5 PM, Vigil for the Veneration of the Cross</b>
<b>7 – Veneration of the Holy Cross</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy</li> <li>• Noon, Agape Meal</li> <li>• 12:30 PM, Spiritual Lesson</li> </ul>	8	9 • 8 AM, Matins	10 • 8 AM, Matins  • 6 PM, Presanctified and Meal	11 • 8 AM, Matins	12 • 10:30 AM, Presanctified  • 6 PM, Small Compline/Akathist	13 • <b>9 AM, WORK PARTY</b> • 3:30 PM, Catechism <i>On Holy Unction</i> • 5 PM, Great Vespers and Confessions
<b>14 – St. John Climacus</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy</li> <li>• Noon, Agape Meal</li> <li>• Mentorship</li> </ul>	15	16 • 8 AM, Matins	17 • 8 AM, Matins  • 6 PM, Presanctified and Meal	<b>18 – Great Canon</b> <b>9 AM, Matins with the Great Canon of St. Andrew and Life of St. Mary of Egypt</b>	<b>19 – No Matins</b> • 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confession <b>• 6 PM, Theotokos Akathist Matins</b>	<b>20 – Theotokos Saturday</b> • <i>Lenten Retreat in SF</i> • 3:30 PM, Catechism <i>On Death and the Funeral</i> • 5 PM, Great Vespers and Confessions
<b>21 – St. Mary of Egypt</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy</li> <li>• Noon, Agape Meal</li> <li>• Spiritual Lesson</li> </ul>	22	23 • 8 AM, Matins	24 • 8 AM, Matins  • 6 PM, Presanctified and Meal	25 • 8 AM, Matins	<b>26 – End of Lent</b> • 8 AM, Matins • 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confession • 6 PM, Matins • 6:45 PM, Baptismal Instructions	<b>27 – Lazarus Saturday</b> • <b>9 AM, Baptisms and Chrismations</b> • 10 AM, Divine Liturgy • Reception • Decorate for Palm Sunday  <b>5 PM, Vigil for Palm Sunday</b>
<b>28 – Entrance into Jerusalem</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy</li> <li>• Noon, Agape Meal</li> <li>• 6 PM, Bridegroom Matins</li> </ul>	<b>29 – Holy Monday</b> • 10:30 AM, Presanctified Liturgy • 6 PM, Bridegroom Matins	<b>30 – Holy Tuesday</b> • 10:30 AM, Presanctified Liturgy • 6 PM, Bridegroom Matins	<b>May 1 – Holy Wednesday</b> • 6 PM, Presanctified Liturgy with Canon for Holy Thursday	<b>2 – Holy Thursday</b> • 11:30 AM, Vesperal Liturgy • 6 PM, Matins of Holy Friday	<b>3 – Holy Friday</b> • 9 AM, Royal Hours • 3 PM, Vespers of Holy Friday • 6 PM, Matins of Holy Saturday	<b>4 – Holy Saturday</b> • 1 PM, Vesperal Liturgy • 4 PM, Reading of Acts until 11:20 PM  • 11:30 PM, Paschal Services Begin