

PROTECTION OF THE HOLY VIRGIN MARY ORTHODOX CHURCH

APRIL 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March 29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Divine Liturgy • 9:40 AM, Catechumens • 10 AM, Divine Liturgy • 11:30 AM, Church School • Noon, Agape 	30	31 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Matins • 6 PM, Parish Council Meeting 	APRIL 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Matins • 6 PM, Presanctified and Meal 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Matins 	3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Matins • 11:30 AM– 1 PM, Confessions • 6 PM, Matins for Lazarus Saturday and Baptismal Prep. 	4 - Lazarus Saturday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9 AM, Baptisms • 10 AM, Divine Liturgy and reception for the newly illumined • 5 PM, Vigil for Palm Sunday
5 - Palm Sunday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Divine Liturgy • 10 AM, Divine Liturgy and Procession • Noon, Agape Meal • 12:45, Rehearse Procession • 6 PM, Bridegroom Matins 	6 - Holy Monday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:30 AM, Presanctified • 5 PM, Confessions • 6 PM, Bridegroom Matins 	7 - Holy Tuesday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10:30 AM, Presanctified • 5 PM, Confessions • 6 PM, Bridegroom Matins 	8 - Holy Wednesday <i>Last day for Confessions</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 PM, Confessions • 6 PM, Presanctified and Canon for Holy Thursday (no meal) 	9 - Holy Thursday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11:30 AM, Vesperal Liturgy • 6 PM, Matins with the Passion Gospels 	10 - Holy Friday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9 AM, Royal Hours • 3 PM, Great Vespers • 6 PM, Matins with Lamentations 	11 - Holy Saturday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12:30 PM, Vesperal Liturgy, 15 Old Testament readings • 11:30 PM, Midnight Service and Matins/ Liturgy for Pascha
12 - PASCHA <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12:30 AM, Paschal Liturgy and Agape • 9:30 AM, Liturgy in the Protection Church • 1 PM, Paschal Vespers/BBQ 	13 - Bright Monday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:30 AM, Paschal Hours and Divine Liturgy (here in the Cathedral) 	14 - Bright Tuesday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 PM, Paschal Vespers 	15 - Bright Wednesday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9:30 AM, Paschal Liturgy in San Francisco at Holy Trinity • 6 PM, Paschal Vespers 	16 - Bright Thursday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 PM, Paschal Hours and Men's Fellowship Dinner 	17 - Bright Friday	18 - Bright Saturday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 PM, Resurrectional Matins
19 - Thomas Sunday <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Divine Liturgy • 10 AM, Divine Liturgy • 11:30 AM, Church School • Noon, Agape Meal 	20	21 - Day of Rejoicing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 AM, Blessing of Graves, Sebastopol, Forestville, Hldsburg, Santa Rosa 	22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5:30 PM, Akathist • 6 PM, Great Vespers 	23 - Great Martyr George <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9 AM, Divine Liturgy • 7 PM, Online Bible Study with Fr. James 	24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Matins • 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confessions 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4:30 PM, One year Panikhida for Mat Eleanor • 5 PM, Resurrectional Matins
26 - Holy Myrrhbearers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Divine Liturgy • 10 AM, Divine Liturgy • 11:30 AM, Church School • Noon, Agape Meal • 2 PM, Wedding* 	27	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 PM, Parish Council Meeting 	29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 PM, Diaper Bank • 5:30 PM, Akathist • 6 PM, Vespers 	30 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7 PM, Online Bible Study with Fr. James 	MAY 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 AM, Matins • 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confessions 	2 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 PM, Resurrectional Matins

* Wedding of Krissy Abshire and Forrest William Condit