

# PROTECTION OF THE HOLY VIRGIN MARY ORTHODOX CHURCH

## SEPTEMBER 2026

| Sunday                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | Monday                                                                                        | Tuesday                                                                                  | Wednesday                                                                                                 | Thursday                                                                                                 | Friday                             | Saturday                                                              |
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| <b>30 – St. Alexander Nevsky</b><br>• 8 AM, Divine Liturgy<br><b>• 9:40 AM, Receive Catechumens</b><br>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• Noon, Agape Meal<br><b>• 3 PM, Wedding</b>                                                    | 31                                                                                            | <b>SEPTEMBER 1</b><br><b>Church New Year</b><br><br>• 6 PM, Akathist <i>Glory to God</i> | 2<br>• 5:30 PM, Akathist to St. Olga<br>• 6 PM, Vespers                                                   | 3<br>• 7 PM, Online Bible Study begins again                                                             | 4<br>• 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confessions  | 5<br>• 5 PM, Vigil/Confessions                                        |
| <b>6 – Archangel Michael</b><br>• 8 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 11:30 AM, Church School<br>• Noon, Agape Meal<br>• 12:30, <i>What is a Catechumen and how to join the Church</i><br>• 4 PM, Church Sch BBQ | 7<br>• 6 PM, Vigil for the Feast of the Nativity of the Theotokos                             | <b>8 – Nativity of the Virgin</b><br>• 9 AM, Divine Liturgy for the Feast                | 9<br>• 5:30 PM, Akathist to St. Olga<br>• 6 PM, Vespers<br>• 6:45 PM, <i>Talk on a Russian Pilgrimage</i> | 10<br>• 7 PM, Online Bible Study                                                                         | 11<br>• 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confessions | 12<br>• 5 PM, Vigil/Confessions                                       |
| <b>13 – Forefeast of the Cross</b><br>• 8 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 11:30 AM, Church School<br>• Noon, Agape Meal<br><br><b>• 4 PM, Vigil for the Cross</b>                                              | <b>14 – CROSS FEAST</b><br>• 9 AM, Divine Liturgy for the Feast<br><br><i>Strict Fast Day</i> | 15                                                                                       | 16<br>• 5:30 PM, Akathist to St. Olga<br>• 6 PM, Vespers                                                  | <b>17 – St Sophia</b><br>• 9 AM, Liturgy<br><br>• 7 PM, Online Bible Study                               | 18<br>• 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confessions | 19<br>• 11:30 AM, Sisterhood Meeting<br><br>• 5 PM, Vigil/Confessions |
| <b>20 – Great Martyr Evstathius</b><br>• 8 AM, Divine Liturgy<br><b>• 9 AM, BAPTISMS</b><br>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 11:30 AM, Church School<br>• Noon, Agape Meal                                                            | 21                                                                                            | 22<br>• 6 PM, Parish Council Meeting                                                     | 23<br>• 5:30 PM, Akathist to St. Olga<br>• 6 PM, Vespers                                                  | <b>24 – Sts Thekla &amp; Silouan</b><br>• 9 AM, Liturgy<br><br>• 7 PM, Online Bible Study                | 25<br>• 11:30 AM–1 PM, Confessions | 26<br>• 5 PM, Vigil/Confessions                                       |
| <b>27 – Martyr Callistratus</b><br>• 8 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 10 AM, Divine Liturgy<br>• 11:30 AM, Church School<br>• Noon, Agape Meal                                                                                           | 28                                                                                            | 29                                                                                       | 30<br>• 4 PM, Diaper Bank<br><b>• 6 PM, Vigil for the Protection</b>                                      | <b>OCTOBER 1</b><br><b>Protection of the Theotokos</b><br><b>• 9:30 AM, Divine Liturgy for the Feast</b> | 2<br><i>No confessions today</i>   | 3<br>• 5 PM, Vespers ONLY / Confessions                               |

• Matushka Ann and Fr Lawrence will be away on vacation and a pilgrimage from September 17–October 5.