

# 2018 Lenten Calendar

## St. John Chrysostom Antiochian Orthodox Church

Note: This calendar lists additional services for the season of Great Lent and Holy Week.

Regularly scheduled services are as usual  
(except Holy Saturday and Pascha Sunday morning)

Great Vespers: Saturdays 5:00 p.m.

Matins: Sundays 9:00 a.m.

Divine Liturgy: Sundays 10:15 a.m.

# February

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b> Prodigal Son	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>17</b> Saturday of the Souls 9:00 a.m. Matins 10:15 a.m. Divine Liturgy
<b>11</b> MeatFare	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b> CheeseFare 6:30 p.m. Forgiveness Vespers	<b>19</b> Great Lent begins 6:30 p.m. Canon of St. Andrew of Crete	<b>20</b> 6:30 p.m. Canon of St. Andrew of Crete	<b>21</b> 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Supper following service)	<b>22</b> 6:30 p.m. Canon of St. Andrew of Crete	<b>23</b> 6:30 p.m. Akathist Hymn to the Virgin Mary	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b> Sunday of Orthodoxy (1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent) 7:00 p.m. Pan-Orthodox Vespers – Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church	<b>26</b> 6:30 p.m. Compline	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Supper following service)			

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# March

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 6:30 p.m. Akathist Hymn to the Virgin Mary	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b> <b>St. Gregory Palamas</b> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent)	<b>5</b> 6:30 p.m. Compline	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Supper following service)	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 6:30 p.m. Akathist Hymn to the Virgin Mary	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b> <b>Veneration of the Holy Cross</b> (3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent)	<b>12</b> 6:30 p.m. Compline	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Supper following service)	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> 6:30 p.m. Akathist Hymn to the Virgin Mary	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b> <b>St. John Climacus</b> (4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent)	<b>19</b> 6:30 p.m. Compline	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 6:30 p.m. Canon of St. Andrew of Crete (Complete)	<b>22</b> 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Supper following service)	<b>23</b> 6:30 p.m. Akathist Hymn to the Virgin Mary (Complete)	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b> <b>Annunciation of the Theotokos</b> <b>St. Mary of Egypt</b> (5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent)	<b>26</b> 6:30 p.m. Compline	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b> 6:30 p.m. Liturgy of Presanctified Gifts (Lenten Supper following service)	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> 6:30 p.m. Canon of St. Lazarus	<b>31</b> <b>Lazarus Saturday</b> 9:30 a.m. Instructional Proskomidi (for church school) 10:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy

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# April

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<p><b>1</b></p> <p><b>Palm Sunday</b></p> <p>(Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Bridegroom Service</p>	<p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>Holy Monday</b></p> <p>6:30 p.m. Bridegroom Service</p>	<p><b>3</b></p> <p><b>Holy Tuesday</b></p> <p>6:30 p.m. Bridegroom Service</p>	<p><b>4</b></p> <p><b>Holy Wednesday</b></p> <p>6:30 p.m. Holy Unction Service</p> <p>(Note: Holy Unction is a sacrament of the Orthodox Church and is available to those who have prepared themselves by having received a recent Confession during Lent)</p>	<p><b>5</b></p> <p><b>Holy Thursday</b></p> <p>6:30 a.m. Vesperal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great</p> <p>(A light breakfast is provided for all, both grab-and-go and eat-in.)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Passion Gospel Service</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p><b>Holy Friday</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Royal Hours</p> <p>3:00 p.m. Great Vespers (Pascha of the Cross)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Lamentations Service</p>	<p><b>7</b></p> <p><b>Holy Saturday</b></p> <p>10:00 a.m. Vesperal Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great</p> <p>10:00 p.m. Matins Divine Liturgy of Great and Holy Pascha</p>
<p><b>8</b></p> <p><b>Pascha</b></p> <p>11:00 a.m. Agape Vespers</p> <p>12:00 a.m. Egg Hunt</p>	<p><b>Christ Is Risen! Indeed He is Risen</b>                      <b>Al Maseeh Qam! Hakkan Qam!</b></p> <p><b>Christos Anesti! Alithos Anesti!</b></p> <p><b>Christos Voskrese! Voistinu Voskrese!</b></p> <p><b>Christos T'ensah Em' Muhtan! Exai' Ab-her Eokala!</b></p>					

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