

2016 Calendar for Lent / Holy Week / Pascha

Shaded Days are Fasting Days

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

<p>March 6 <i>Meatfare Sunday</i> 9am Sunday School 9:30am Confessions 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (potluck) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (C) 6pm Youth Meatfare Banquet</p>	<p>7 Meat Fast</p>	<p>8 Meat Fast 11am Moleben for Local Needs</p>	<p>9 <i>40 Martyrs of Sebaste</i> Meat Fast 6:30pm Vespers 7:20pm Christian Education: <i>The Music & Meaning of Lent, Part II</i></p>	<p>10 Meat Fast</p>	<p>11 Meat Fast</p>	<p>12 Meat Fast 6:15pm Memorial Prayers (Monastics) 6:30pm Vigil 8pm Confessions</p>
<p>13 <i>Cheesefare/Forgiveness Sunday</i> 9am Sunday School 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (potluck) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (D) 5-6:15pm Forgiveness Vespers</p>	<p>14 Great Lent Begins 8am Lenten Matins 9am Confessions 6:30pm Great Compline w/St. Andrew Canon (Mon. portion) 8pm Confessions</p>	<p>15 <i>Clean Week:</i> 8am Lenten Matins 9am Confessions 11am St. Andrew Canon (Wed. portion) 6:30pm Great Compline w/St. Andrew Canon (Tues. portion) 8pm Confessions</p>	<p>16 <i>Monday thru Friday /Strict Fast</i> 8am Lenten Matins 9am Confessions 5:55pm Presanctified Liturgy 7:15pm Soup&Salad Meal w/readings</p>	<p>17 <i>St. Patrick</i> 8am Lenten Matins 9am Confessions 6:30pm Great Compline w/St. Andrew Canon (Thurs. portion) 8pm Confessions</p>	<p>18 <i>St. Nikolai of Zhitcha</i> 8am Lenten Matins 9am Confessions 11am-12:30pm Presanctified Liturgy</p>	<p>19 <i>St. Theodore Saturday</i> w/o 6:15pm Memorial Prayers (Soldiers) 6:30pm Vigil 8pm Confessions</p>
<p>20 <i>Sunday of Orthodoxy</i> 9am Sunday School 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (team II) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (A) 5-6:15pm Orthodoxy Vespers at St. Athanasius 6:15pm Lenten Refreshments in Parish Hall</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 11-11:45am Lenten Prayers: Canon of Repentance</p>	<p>23 5:55pm Presanctified Liturgy 7:15pm Soup&Salad Meal w/readings</p>	<p>24 w/o 6:30-8:30pm Vigil for Annunciation</p>	<p>25 f/w/o <i>Annunciation of the Most-Holy Theotokos</i> 11am-1pm Vesperal Liturgy for Annunciation 7:30pm Reflection for Young Adults (18-30) w/Fr. Michael Oleksa at St. Andrew's in Lexington</p>	<p>26 w/o <i>Synaxis of Archangel Gabriel</i> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Pan-Orthodox Lenten Retreat at St. Athanasius w/ Fr. Michael Oleksa 9am Matins 10am Session I 11:45am Session II 1pm Lunch (provided) 1:45pm Session III 3pm Great Vespers 3:45pm Confessions</p> </div></p>
<p>27 w/o <i>St. Gregory Palamas</i> 9am Sunday School 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (team III) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (B) 6pm HS Girls Group</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 11-11:45am Lenten Prayers: Canon to the Theotokos</p>	<p>30 5:55pm Presanctified Liturgy 7:15pm Soup&Salad Meal w/readings</p>	<p>31 w/o <i>St. Innocent of Alaska</i></p>	<p>April 1 11am-12:30pm Presanctified Liturgy</p>	<p>2 w/o Memorial Saturday 6:15pm Memorial Service 6:30pm Vigil 8pm Confessions</p>

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
April 3 w/o <i>Ven. of Precious Cross</i> 9am Sunday School 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (team I) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (B) 6pm HS Girls Group	4 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> Youth Group Trip to Monastery (Ellwood City, PA) Monday thru Thursday </div>	5 No Moleben Today	6 5:55pm Presanctified Liturgy 7:15pm Soup&Salad Meal w/readings	7 w/o <i>St. Tikhon the Confessor</i>	8 11am-12:30pm Presanctified Liturgy	9 w/o 9am Memorial Liturgy 6:30pm Great Vespers 7:20pm Confessions
10 <i>St. John Climacus</i> w/o 9am Sunday School 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (team I) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (B)	11	12 11-11:45am Lenten Prayers: Canon to St. John of the Ladder	13 w/o 5:55pm Presanctified Liturgy 7:15pm Soup&Salad Meal w/readings	14 w/o 8-10:30am Matins w/ St. Andrew Canon & Life of St. Mary of Egypt 7:30pm Parish Council	15 w/o 11am-12:30pm Presanctified Liturgy	16 w/o Akathist Saturday 9am Akathist to Most-Holy Theotokos 10am Church Cleaning 6:15pm Memorial Service 6:30pm Great Vespers 7:20pm Confessions
17 <i>St. Mary of Egypt</i> w/o 9am Sunday School 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (team I) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (B) 6pm HS Girls Group	18	19 No 11am Service Today	20 5:55pm Presanctified Liturgy 7:15pm Soup&Salad Meal w/readings	21	22 6:30pm End-of-Lent Vespers 7:20pm Final Adult Confessions	23 w/o/c <i>Holy Greatmartyr George Lazarus Saturday</i> 9am Lazarus Liturgy 10:30am Lenten Breakfast 11:15am Children's Confessions & Crafts 6:30pm Vigil for Palm Sunday
24 <i>Palm Sunday</i> f/w/o 9am Baptisms/ Reception of Converts 10am Divine Liturgy 12pm Fellowship (team I) 12:30pm Bread Ministry (B) 6:30pm Bridegroom Matins (in Berea) Details TBA	25 <i>Holy Apostle Mark</i> Great & Holy Monday 9am Hours w/Reading of Mark Chapter 1-9:1 6:30pm Bridegroom Matins	26 Great & Holy Tuesday 9am Hours w/Reading of Mark Chapter 9:2-16 6:30pm Bridegroom Matins	27 Great & Holy Wednesday 11am-1pm Presanctified Liturgy (Final) 6:30pm Bridegroom Matins	28 w/o Great & Holy Thursday 3-5pm Vespertal Liturgy of the Mystical Supper 5:15pm Lenten Soup/ Salad Meal 6:30-9:30pm "Passion Gospels" Matins for Holy Friday	29 Strict Fast Great & Holy Friday 9-10:30am Royal Hours 10:30am Adorning the Tomb (Flowers) 3-4pm Entombment Vespers 6:30-9pm Funeral Matins for Holy Saturday 9:30pm to 9:30am (Sat.) Night-Long Vigil at the Tomb (Reading of the Psalms)	30 wine Great & Holy Saturday 9-11:30am Vespertal Liturgy 12pm Meal of Blessed Bread/Wine/Juice 1pm Altar Cleaning 7pm Vigil at the Tomb (Reading of Acts of Apostles) 11:30pm Paschal Nocturnes
May 1 <i>Pascha of the Lord</i> 12am Paschal Procession/ Matins 12:45am Paschal Liturgy 2:45am Blessing of Baskets & Breaking of Fast 12:30pm Bread Ministry (B) 2pm Agape Vespers & Picnic (Highbridge Park)	2 Bright Monday 9am Paschal Liturgy & Patronal Celebration 10:30am St. Athanasius Festal Breakfast	3 Bright Tuesday <i>Ven. Theodosius of the Kiev Caves</i> 11am Paschal Matins	4 Bright Wednesday 6:30pm Paschal Vespers 7:20pm Food / Fellowship	5 Bright Thursday 6:30pm Paschal Vespers	6 Bright Friday 7am Paschal Liturgy for Life-giving Spring	7 Bright Saturday <i>St. Alexis Toth</i> Day Hike in Berea (details TBA) 5pm Vespers (in Berea) 6:30pm Reader's Vespers at St. Athanasius