

LITURGICAL CALENDAR - MARCH

Saturday, March 5: Second Saturday of the Souls Orthros: 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 9:30 am

Sunday, March 6: Cheese-fare Sunday (Forgiveness Sunday) Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00

In honor of the 74th Anniversary of the Unification of the Dodecanese Island with Greece, the Divine Liturgy and Doxology will be presided by His Grace Bishop Apostolos of Medeia. A celebration to follow at the Greektown Square & Event Center at 1:00 pm.

Monday, March 7: Beginning of the Great Lenten Period: Compline Service: 7:00 pm
May the Lord our God give everyone the courage and strength to begin the Great Fasting period of the Church with a humble heart, a clear conscience, and the knowledge of why we are going through this spiritual challenge. From this day on the Holy Fasting period becomes more conservative. No Meat or Dairy products are consumed until the day of Pascha. We wish everyone a Lenten journey filled with spiritual endeavors.

Wednesday, March 9: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy 7:00 pm

Friday, March 11: First Salutations to the Theotokos 7:00 pm

Saturday, March 12: Third Saturday of the Souls: Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 9:30 am

Sunday, March 13: Sunday of Orthodoxy (First Sunday of Lent): Orthros: 8:45 am
Divine Liturgy: 10:00 am. The Procession of Holy Icons by the teachers and students of Sunday School will take place at the end of the Liturgy.

Monday, March 14: Compline Service 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 16: Pre-sanctified Liturgy 7:00 pm

Friday, March 18: Second Salutations to the Theotokos 7:00 pm

Sunday, March 20: Second Sunday of Lent (St. Gregory Palamas)
Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

Monday, March 21: Compline Service 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 23: Pre-Sanctified Liturgy 7:00 pm

Thursday, March 24: Great Vesper Service: At the Annunciation Cathedral 6:30 pm

Friday, March 25: Feast Day of the Annunciation: Greek Independence Day:
Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 9:30 am *This service for the Annunciation Feast Day will be held at St. Nicholas*

Third Salutations to the Theotokos 7:00 pm

Sunday, March 27: Third Sunday of Lent: Veneration of the Holy Cross:
Orthros 8:45 am Divine Liturgy 10:00 am

Monday, March 28: Compline Service: 7:00 pm

Wednesday, March 30: Presanctified Liturgy 7:00 pm