

SAINT EDWARD'S SERVICES IN JULY, 2025

Mon 1 / 14 July	nf		Holy Unmercenaries Cosmas & Damian of Rome; Mm. Julius & Aaron of Caerleon; Rom. 16:17-24; 1 Cor. 12:27-13:7; Matt. 13:10-23; Matt. 10:1, 5-8
Tue 2 / 15 July	nf	✠ μ	Deposition of the Raiment of the MΘ; St Swithun the Wonderworker of Winchester; New Hm. Juvenal of Alaska; 1 Cor. 1:1-9; Heb. 9:1-7; Matt. 13:24-30; Luke 10:38-42, 11:27-28
Wed 3 / 16 July	f3		Icon of the MΘ the Milk-feeder; M. Hyacinth the Chamberlain; Hm. Philip the Metropolitan of Moscow; 1 Cor. 2:9-3:8; Mt. 13:31-36
Thu 4 / 17 July	nf	✠	Holy New Royal Martyrs of Russia; St Andrew of Crete; St Odo the Good of Canterbury; New M. Andrew the Russian of Cairo; <i>Vsprs rdgs</i> ; 1 Cor. 3:18-23; Heb. 11:33-12:2; Mt. 13:36-43; Jn 10:1-9
Fri 5 / 18 July	f2	✠	Ven. Athanasius of Athos and his six disciples; Ven. Sergius of Radonezh; Ven. New Mm. Elizabeth the former Grand Duchess & Barbara, et al; Rght. Probus & Grace; Wis. 3:1-9; Wis 5:15-16:3; Wis. 4:7-15; 1 Cor. 4:5-8; Gal. 5:22-6:2; Matt. 13:44-54; Matt. 11:27-30
Sat 6 / 19 July	nf		Ven. Sisoës the Great of Egypt; Ven. Sexburga of Ely; Rom. 9:1-5; Matt. 9:9-13
Sun 7 / 20 July	nf	✠	Sixth of Matthew; M. Kyriake; Ven. Thomas of Mt Maleon; St Hedda of Winchester; Ven. Acacius the Obedient; Ven. Boisil of Melrose; Tone Pl. 1; MG 6-Luke 24:36-53; Rom. 12:6-14; Mt. 9:1-8
Mon 8 / 21 July	nf	✠	Kazan & Torginskaya Icons of the MΘ; Holy Great M. Procopius, and his mother the M. Theodosia; Ven. Theophilus the Myron-streamer; Ven. Withburga of Dereham; Bl. King Edgar the Peaceable, father of St Edward; St Ioasaph of Edmonton; 1 Cor. 5:9-6:11; 1 Tim. 4:9-15; Matt. 13:54-58; Luke 6:17-19, 9:1-2, 10:16-21
Tue 9 / 22 July	nf	μ	Hm. Pancratius of Tauromenium; Ven. Paternuthius & Copres of Egypt; Ven. Everhildis; 1 Cor. 6:20-7:12; Matt. 14:1-13
Wed 10 / 23 July	f3		Konevits Icon of the MΘ; Holy 45 Mm of Nicopolis; Ven. Antony of Kiev, founder of monasticism in Russia; Ven. Amalberga of Maubeuge; 1 Cor. 7:12-24; Matt. 14:35-15:11
Thu 11 / 24 July	nf	✠	Holy Gt Martyr Evphemia the All-hymned; Holy Peer of the Apostles Olga of Russia; Ven. Turketil of Croyland; 1 Cor. 7:24-35; 2 Cor. 6:1-10; Matt 15:12-21; Luke 7:36-50
Fri 12 / 25 July	f3		Prodromitsa Icon of the MΘ; Mm. Proclus & Hilary; Rght. Veronica, the woman with the issue of blood; Saint Ansald of Prum; 1 Cor. 7:35-8:7; Matt. 15:29-31
Sat 13 / 26 July	nf	✠	Icon of the MΘ, It is Truly Meet; Synaxis of the Holy Archangel Gabriel; Holy M. Golunduc; Ven. Stephen the Sabbaite; M. Dogfan of Pembroke; Heb. 2:2-10; Luke 10:16-21
Sun 14 / 27 July	nf	✠	Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the Seven Œcumenical Councils; Holy App. Aquila & Priscilla; Ven. Nicodemus of the Holy Mountain; St Deusdedit, Abp of Canterbury; Tone Pl. 2; Gen. 14:14-20; Deut. 1:8-11, 15-17; Deut. 10:14-21; MG 7 - John 20:1-10; Titus 3:8-15; Matt. 5:14-19
Mon 15 / 28 July	nf		Mm. Cyricus & Julitta; Holy Peer of the Apostles, Vladimir of Kiev; Ven. Edith, Edith & Edith of Polesworth; Es. 43:9-14; Wis. 3:1-9; Wis. 5:15-6:3; 1 Cor. 9:13-18; & 13:11-14:5; Mt 16:1-6; Lk 10:19-21
Tue 16 / 29 July	nf	μ	Hm. Athenogenes <i>et al</i> ; M. Grimoald the subdeacon; Ven. M. Helier of Jersey; 1 Cor. 10:5-12; Matt. 16:6-12
Wed 17 / 30 July	f2	✠	Holy Great Martyr Marina (Margaret); Kg & M. Kenelm; 1 Cor. 10:12-22; Gal. 3:23-4:5; Matt. 16:20-24; Mark 5:24-34
Thu 18 / 31 July	nf		M. Emilian of Dorostolum; Ven. Pambo of Egypt; Ven. Edburga & Edith of Aylesbury; Hm. Frederick of Utrecht; 1 Cor. 10:28-11:8; Matt. 16:24-28

Fri 19 Jly / 1 Aug f3 ✙ **Ven. & God-bearing Seraphim of Sarov the Wonder-worker; Ven. Macrina, sister of St Basil the Great;** Wis. 3:1-9; Wis. 5:15-6:3; Wis. 4:7-15; 1 Cor. 11:8-23; Gal. 5:22-6:2; Matt. 17:10-18; Matt. 11:27-30

VIGIL FOR THE HOLY PROHET ELIAS at 7 p.m.

Sat 20 Jly / 2 Aug nf ✙ **Holy, Glorious Prophet ELIAS (Elijah) the Thesbite;** Ven. Ethelwytha of Winchester, widow of Kg Alfred the Great; Hm. Athanasius of Brest; New Mm. Lydia, Cyril & Alexis; 3 Kgs 17:1-24; 3 Kgs 18:1, 17-41, 44, 42, 45, 19:1-16; 3 Kgs 19:19-21, 4 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; MG - Luke 4:22-30; James 5:10-20; Mark 9:2-9; **Divine Liturgy at 9.30 a.m.** No work permitted on this day.

Sun 21 Jly / 3 Aug nf ✙ **Eighth of Matthew;** Ven. Frs John & Symeon the Fool-for-Christ; V. Praxedes of Rome; St Parthenius of Radobysdion; Grave tone; MG 8 - John 20:11-18; 1 Cor. 1:10-17; Matt. 14:14-22

Mon 22 Jly / 4 Aug nf **Holy Peer of the Apostles Mary Magdalene;** M. Marcella of Chios; 1 Cor. 11:31-12:6; 1 Cor. 9:2-12; Mt. 18:1-11; Lk. 8:1-3

Tue 23 Jly / 5 Aug nf ✙ μ Icon of the MΘ, Joy of all Who Sorrow, & her deliverance of Pochaev Lavra from the Turks; Holy Hm. Phocas of Sinope; Holy Prophet Ezekiel; New Hm. Joseph of Desfina; 1 Cor. 12:12-26; Matt. 18:18-22, 19:1-2, 13-15

Wed 24 Jly / 6 Aug f3 Holy Gt M. Christina of Tyre; St Declan of Ardmore; Holy Passion-bearers Boris & Gleb; 1 Cor. 13:4-14:5; Matt. 20:1-16

Thu 25 Jly / 7 Aug nf ✙ **Dormition of St Anne, the mother of the Theotokos;** Holy Martyrs of Lyons; Ven. Olympias the deaconess & Evpraxia of Egypt; Wis. 5:15-6:3; Wis. 3:1-9; Wis. 4:7-15; 1 Cor. 14:6-19; Gal. 4:22-27; Matt 20:17-28; Luke 8:16-21

Fri 26 Jly / 8 Aug f2 Ven. M. Paraskeve of Rome; Hm. Hermolaus, Hermippus & Hermocrates; Ven. Moses the Hungarian of Kiev; 1 Cor. 14:26-40; Gal. 3:23-4:5; Matt. 21:12-14, 17-20; Mark 5:24-34

VIGIL FOR THE HOLY GREAT MARTYR & HEALER PANTELEIMON at 7 p.m.

Sat 27 Jly / 9 Aug nf ✙ **Holy Great Martyr & Healer PANTELEIMON;** Es. 43:9-14; Wis. 3:1-9; Wis 5:15-6:3; MG - Luke 21:12-19; 2 Tim. 2:1-10; John 15:17-16:2; **Divine Liturgy at 9.30 a.m.**

Sun 28 Jly / 10 Aug nf ✙ **Ninth of Matthew;** Smolensk Icon of the MΘ; **Ven. Eirene Chrysovalantou;** St Sampson of Dol; Tone Pl. 4; Wis. 3:1-9; Wis. 5:15-16:3; Wis. 4:7-15; MG 9 - John 20:19-31; 1 Cor. 3:9-17; Gal. 3:23-4:5; Matt. 14:22-34; Matt. 25:1-13

Mon 29 Jly / 11 Aug nf M. Callinicus of Cilicia; V. M. Theodota; Holy Kg & M. Olaf of Norway; Hm. Bessarion of Smolyan; 1 Cor. 15:12-19; Mt. 21:18-22

Tue 30 Jly / 12 Aug nf μ Holy App. Silas, Silvan, *et al*; St Tatwin, Abp of Canterbury; Rb Angelina of Serbia; 1 Cor. 15:29-38; Matt. 21:23-27

Wed 31 Jly / 13 Aug f3 ✙ **Forefeast of the Cross;** Holy & Just Evdocus; Holy & Just Joseph of Arimathea; St Germanus of Auxerre; St Peter Chrysologus of Ravenna; Ven. Neot of Cornwall; 1 Cor. 16:4-12; 1 Cor. 4:9-16; Matt. 21:28-32; Luke 23:50-56

Thu 1 / 14 Aug f3 ✙ μ **START OF THE DORMITION FAST; Procession of the Holy Cross; Seven Maccabee Martyrs,** their mother Solomone & their teacher Eleazar; St Ethelwold of Winchester; New M. Cassandra of Trebizond; Heb. 11:33-12:2; Matt. 10:16-22; *Except when there is a Vigil, on weekday evenings during this fast we chant the Supplicatory Canon to the Mother of God after Vespers.*

Fri 2 / 15 Aug f3 μ Holy Protomartyr & Archdeacon Stephen (relics); St Plegmund, Abp of Canterbury; Bl. Basil the Fool-for-Christ of Moscow; 2 Cor. 1:12-20; Acts 6:8-7:5, 47-60; Matt. 22:23-33; Matt 21:33-42

Sat 3 / 16 Aug f2 Ven. Isaaci, Dalmatus & Faustus of C'ple; M. Razhden of Persia, Protomartyr of Georgia; Ven. Antony the Roman of Novgorod; Rom. 15:30-33; Matt. 17:24-27, 18:1-4;

Sun 4 / 17 Aug	f2	✠	Tenth of Matthew; Seven Holy Sleepers of Ephesus; Holy Peer of the Apostles New Hm. Cosmas of Aitolia; M. Ia of Persia; Tone 1; MG 10 - John 21:1-14; 1 Cor. 4:9-16; Mt. 17:14-23
Mon 5 / 18 Aug	f3		<i>Forefeast;</i> M. Evsignius; Holy King & Martyr Oswald; Right. Nonna, mother of St Gregory the Theologian; Ven. John the Romanian of Hozeva; 1 Peter 1:2:10; Matt. 23:13-22

VIGIL FOR THE GREAT FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION at 7 p.m.

Tue 6 / 19 Aug	f1	✠	GREAT FEAST OF THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR SAVIOUR; Exodus 24:12-18; Exod. 33:11-23, 34:4-6, 8; 3 Kgs. 19:3-9, 11-13, 15, 16; MG - Luke 9:28-36; 2 Ptr 1:10-19; Mt. 17:1-9; <i>Divine Liturgy at 9.30 a.m. The Blessing of Grapes and other fruits at the end of the Liturgy, so bring prepared baskets of such to be blessed.</i>
Wed 7 / 20 Aug	f3	μ	Ven. M. Dometius of Persia <i>et al</i> ; Ven. Or of Egypt; Ven. Theodora of Sihla; 2 Cor. 3:4-11; Mark 9:2-9
Thu 8 / 21 Aug	f3	μ	Sts Emilian of Cyzicus & Myron of Crete; Saint Colman of Lindisfarne; 2 Cor. 4:1-12; Matt. 24:13-28
Fri 9 / 22 Aug	f3	μ	Holy Apostle Matthias; Ven. Psoës of Egypt; Acts 1:12-17, 21-26; Matt. 24:27-33, 42-51
Sat 10 / 23 Aug	f2	✠	Holy Martyr & Archdeacon Laurence of Rome <i>et al</i>; 1 Cor. 1:3-9; Matt. 19:3-12
Sun 11 / 24 Aug	f2	✠	Eleventh of Matthew; M. Evplus the Deacon; St Niphon, Patriarch of C'ple & Primate of Wallachia; Deliverance of Corfu by St Spiridon; St Blane of Bute; Tone 2; MG 11 - John 21:14-25; 1 Cor. 9:2-12; Matt. 18:23-35
Mon 12 / 25 Aug	f3	μ	Mm. Photius & Anicetus; Hm. Alexander of Comana; Saint Jambert, Abp of Canterbury; 2 Cor. 5:10-15; Mark 1:9-15
Tue 13 / 26 Aug	f3	✠ μ	<i>Leavetaking of the Transfiguration;</i> Icon of the MΘ of the Passion; Ven. Maximus the Confessor; Ven. Seridus, Dorotheus & Dositheus of Palestine; St Tikhon of Zadonsk; New Hm. Benjamin of Petrograd; 2 Cor. 5:15-21; Mark 1:16-22
Wed 14 / 27 Aug	f3		<i>Forefeast;</i> Holy Prophet Michaias; Ven. Theodosius of the Kievan Caves; 2 Cor. 6:11-16; Mark 1:23-28

VIGIL FOR THE GREAT FEAST OF THE DORMITION at 7 p.m.

Thu 15 / 28 Aug	nf	✠	GREAT FEAST OF THE DORMITION OF THE ALL-HOLY THEOTOKOS; Gen. 28:10-17; Ezek. 43:27-44:4; Prov. 9:1-11; MG - Luke 1:39-49, 56; Phil. 2:5-11; Lk. 10:38-42, 11:27-28; <i>Divine Liturgy at 9.30 a.m., with the Blessing of Fragrant Herbs at the end, so bring prepared baskets of such to be blessed.</i>
Fri 16 / 29 Aug	f2	✠	Recovery of the Holy Mandilion; Feodorovskaya Icon of the MΘ; M. Diomedes of Tarsus; Ven. Chairemon of Egypt; Ven. Gerasimus the New Ascetic of Cephalonia; 1 Tim. 3:13-4:5; Luke 9:51-57, 10:22-24, 13:22
Sat 17 / 30 Aug	nf		Hm. Myron the Presbyter; Right. Drithelm the Resurrected; Right. James the Deacon of York; 1 Cor. 1:26-29; Matt. 20:29-34
Sun 18 / 31 Aug	nf	✠	Twelfth of Matthew; Icon of the MΘ of Sumela; Holy Mm. Florus & Laurus of Illyricum; Ven. Barnabas, Sophronius & Christopher; Tone 3; MG 1 - Matt. 28:16-20; 1 Cor. 15:1-11; Matt. 19:16-26

Key to Symbols above

No Symbol – usual weekday schedule: Matins at 7 a.m., & Vespers at 6 p.m.

- ✠ – Supplicatory Canon to the Mother of God after Vespers
- ✠ – Mondays to Saturdays: the Divine Liturgy also follows Matins at 8.30 a.m.; Vespers at 6 p.m.
- ✠ – Sundays: Matins is at 8.00 a.m. and the Divine Liturgy begins at 9.45 a.m.: Vespers at 2 p.m

Fasting Guidelines

f3 - Strict vegan diet, no animal products, no oil or alcohol;
(other than fish itself, sea foods are permitted on f3 days);
f2 - as f3, but wine (alcohol) & oil also permitted;
f1 - as f2, but fish also permitted;
nf - all food products permitted.

N.B. When Mondays are designated nf, for the monastics the usual regime is f1, 2 or 3; ***please check***

The Prayers of the Faithful are asked for:-

Newly Departed: Domniki, Spas - O; Lynne, Frans, John, Martin - non O;

The Sick: Abbess Taxiarchia, Presbyteria Helena, Soare, Chrysanthi, Evelin, Elaine, Margarita, Xenia - O; Catherine, John, Macaria, Donald, Philip, Jimmy - non O;

Expectant Mothers: Elena, Ann, Anna - O; Emily, Emma - non O;

Special Needs: Natalia, Alla, Thomas, Catalin - O; James & family, Eileen - non O

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“SIN REIGNS ruthlessly among the people of today, smiting both the body and soul with its death-wielding venom. And for so long as sin maintains its dominion, there can be no liberation or deliverance for the world from all the evils that beset it, and it is even meaningless to talk of its prosperity and preservation. It would seem that experience in life should long since have made this clear and comprehensible to everyone, but Alas! engulfed in the depths of sinful life, led about by diabolical pride and culpable self-love, self-confident people, who put their trust in themselves alone, easily forget the lessons which life itself teaches them, and no matter how many blows they receive in the course of their existence, whereby the Lord Himself instructs them, nevertheless it is frequent among them that, as God’s Word instructs us, ‘according to the true proverb, the dog is turned to his own vomit again; and the sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire’ (2 Ptr 2:22).”

EVER-MEMORABLE ARCHBISHOP AVERKY, + 1976 A.D.