

Saint Philaret the New Confessor
Orthodox Church

All dates are according to the civil calendar.
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April 2026 Schedule

April 3/4 St. Lazarus

- Friday, 6 PM, Great Vespers Lazarus Saturday,
- Saturday, Hours & Divine Liturgy 8:30 AM. *Hours & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom.*

April 4/5, Palm Sunday!

- Saturday, 4 PM, Vespers.
- Sunday, Hours & Divine Liturgy 8:30 AM. *Hours & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom.*

***April 6-10, Holy Week Schedule!**

- April 6, **Holy & Great Monday**, Great Vespers, 6 PM.
- April 7, **Holy & Great Tuesday Morning! The Annunciation of our Most Holy Lady, the Theotokos & Ever Virgin Mary!** Hours at 7:30 AM & 8 AM start of the Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom.
- **Holy & Great Tuesday Evening**, Bridegroom Matins. 6 PM.
- April 8, **Holy & Great Wednesday**. Holy Unction Service. 6 PM.
- April 9, Hours, **Holy & Great Thursday** (Morning) Hours at 8 AM & Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil. 8:30 AM.
- April 9, **Holy & Great Thursday** Reading of the 12 Gospels. 6 PM.

- April 10, **Holy & Great Friday Morning**, Royal Hours. 8 AM.
- April 10, 3 PM, **Holy & Great Friday Vespers**. A Short “snack break,” after vespers, then Matins & Lamentations at approximately 4:30 PM.
*Everyone should try to fast until after 3 PM Vespers on Friday.
- April 11 , **Holy & Great Saturday** (Morning) Hours at 8 AM & Old Testament Readings & Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil. 8:30 AM.
- April 11, **Holy & Great Saturday** (Evening) 10:30 PM, Reading of the Acts of the Apostles followed by Midnight office at 11:15 PM, followed by...
- April 12, **Holy Pascha!** Matins & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom!

Pascha! The Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ!
~ ***Christ is Risen! Truly He is Risen!*** ~

April 13-17, ***Bright Week!*** fast-free!

- April 18/19, **Thomas Sunday!**
- Saturday, Vespers, 5 PM.
- Sunday, 8:30 AM. ***Hours & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom.***
- April, 25/26, **Sunday of the Myrrbearers!**
- Saturday, Vespers, 4 PM.
- Sunday, 8:30 AM. ***Hours & Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom.***