

# Mark your Calendars and Plan AHEAD!!!

## THE GREAT AND HOLY WEEK

### April

24	Saturday	<b>Raising of Lazarus</b> —Combined <b>Preparation of Gifts/Liturgy at St. Nicholas</b> - 9:30 am <i>Cleaning and Decorating of the Church (at St. George)</i> ----- 1 pm <b>Great Vespers for Palm Sunday and Confessions</b> ----- 5 pm
25	Sunday	<b>Entrance of our Lord into Jerusalem—Palm Sunday</b> Matins – 8:50am Liturgy and Procession ----- 10 am <b>Bridegroom Matins for Great and Holy Monday</b> ----- 6:30 pm
26	Monday	<b>Presanctified Liturgy</b> ----- 9 am <b>Bridegroom Matins for Great and Holy Tuesday</b> ----- 6:30 pm
27	Tuesday	<b>Presanctified Liturgy</b> ----- 9 am Confessions ( <b>*Last opportunity before Pascha!</b> ) -----5-6 pm <b>Bridegroom Matins for Great and Holy Wednesday</b> ----- 6:30 pm
28	Weds.	<b>Presanctified Liturgy</b> ----- 9 am <b>Sacrament of Holy Unction</b> ----- 6:30 pm <i>Holy Unction is a Sacrament of the Orthodox Church and for Her members. Confession is required.</i>
29	Thursday	<b>Celebration of the Institution of the Last Supper</b> <b>Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil the Great</b> ----- 10 am <b>Holy Friday Matins with Reading of the Twelve Passion Gospels</b> ----- 6:30 pm
30	Friday	<b>Royal Hours of Pascha</b> ----- 9 am Decoration of Tomb follows. <b>Vespers of the Descent from the Cross</b> ----- 3 pm Vigil at the Tomb of Christ sponsored by Teen SOYO begins at 4pm. <b>Matins with the Praises at the Tomb / Procession with the Tomb</b> ----- 6:30 pm

### May

1	Saturday	<b>Descent into Hades—Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil</b> ----- 10 am Cleaning and Decoration of the Church for Pascha follows.
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## PASCHA

### THE GLORIOUS RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD

1/2		<b>Nocturnes/Paschal Matins/Paschal Divine Liturgy</b> ----- 11:30 pm
2	Sunday	<b>Agape (Baa'ooth) Vespers—Vespers of Love</b> ----- 1 pm Reading of the Gospel in Different Languages

## THE NEW (BRIGHT) WEEK

3	Bright Monday	<b>Paschal Liturgy at St. Mary Magdalene</b> ----- 10 am
4	Bright Tuesday	<b>Paschal Liturgy at St. Nicholas</b> ----- 10 am
5	Bright Wednesday	<b>Paschal Liturgy and Feast of St. George at St. George</b> ----- 6 pm
7	Bright Friday	<b>Paschal Liturgy at Assumption</b> ----- 10 am