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The Lenten "Pre-game"

By: Fr. Timothy Cook



Καλό μήνα! Blessed month!

Because Pascha comes so early this year (April 8th), we will begin Lent earlier than usual. As a matter of fact, we've already entered the period of Triodion, which includes not only Lent and Holy Week, but a three-week (four Sundays) period leading up to Lent. These four Sundays each have a theme, which with the theme of these three weeks help us not only to prepare for the great race that is Great Lent, but also to remind us of why we do this every year, and what we need in order to run this race.

We have already passed the gateway to Triodion, the first of these four preparation Sundays – the Sunday of the Publican and the Pharisee. This Sunday is dedicated to the parable of the humble sinner who is justified and the virtuous man who is overcome by pride. This Sunday reminds us that no amount of "good works" will bring us into the Kingdom of God if we are overcome by pride. This Sunday is followed by a fast-free week, as we begin to clean out our refrigerators and ease into the fast.

The next Sunday, the Sunday of the Prodigal Son, is dedicated to the parable which tells the story of a rebellious son who, after squandering his inheritance and insulting his father, "comes to himself" and returns in repentance to be reconciled with his father. This Sunday reminds us that no matter where we are in relation to God, no matter what we have done, God is always calling us home if we will turn back to Him in repentance. This Sunday is followed by a week of regular fasting (Wednesday and Friday), which is called "Meatfare Week" because this is the last week for meat before the Great Fast.

The third Sunday, "Judgement Sunday," is dedicated to the Last Judgement that we all will undergo. This might seem like a depressing subject, but this Sunday reminds of where we will all one day stand, and reminds us to take thought for what is actually important – communion with God – rather than the many worldly things that tend to distract us. This Sunday is also called "Meatfare Sunday" because it is the last day for meat before the Great Fast. (We will celebrate with a "Meatfare Potluck" where we help each other eat the last bits of meat left in our homes!) This Sunday is followed by a week called "Cheesefare Week," when dairy is allowed every day but we no longer eat any meat.

On the final Sunday, "Forgiveness Sunday," we remember the expulsion of our father and mother Adam and Eve from Paradise after they fell into sin, as well as the service of forgiveness which we celebrate after Vespers on this Sunday as the beginning of Lent. This Sunday reminds us where we as the human race came from – both the Paradise into which God placed us and the fallen world into which we put ourselves – but it also reminds us that God has come to save

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us and to forgive us, if we will accept His forgiveness and forgive each other. This Sunday is also called "Cheesefare Sunday," because it is the last day for dairy products before the Great Fast – which we will celebrate by sharing some cheese pizza after Divine Liturgy during coffee hour.

The three pillars of Lent are prayer, fasting, and almsgiving – these are the tools we use to grow closer to God and to our neighbor in preparation for the feast of feasts, Great & Holy Pascha. But before we can begin this journey, we first need humility, repentance, and forgiveness as we contemplate our journey and our ultimate destination, the Last Judgement and the Kingdom of Heaven. This is why Orthodox Christians frequently come to Confession as part of this preparation period, because Confession helps us towards humility, repentance, and forgiveness. This is why we always begin Great Lent with Forgiveness Vespers, asking and offering forgiveness to everyone in our community, which brings us to the final reminder given during this period of preparation.

Everything we do during this period – the Sunday celebrations, Meatfare, Cheesefare, and Forgiveness Vespers – is done in community. We prepare for Lent together, and we go through Lent together so that we can come to Great and Holy Pascha together. As we learn in the Lord's Prayer, we can only receive God's forgiveness if we forgive each other ("forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us"). We cannot make the journey of Lent without the community of the Body of Christ, as indeed we cannot journey through life or into the Kingdom of God without the community of the Body of Christ.

So as we prepare, let us not only plan and prepare to fast, pray, and give alms – but let us come together in humility and repentance, forgiving each other so that we may journey together. Let us go to Confession, share our bounty with each other on Meatfare and Cheesefare, and most of all come together to Forgiveness Vespers on Feb. 18th, entering together into the journey of Great Lent having forgiven each other all trespasses "known and unknown," so that our labor will not be in vain, but that we may come together at last to the feast of feasts and the Resurrection of our Lord.

Blessed Triodion!

In Christ,
-Fr. Timothy

PARISH COUNCIL

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of St. Demetrios Greek Orthodox Church in Saginaw, Michigan is to promote the tenets of Orthodox Christianity in the community through ministry, evangelism and spiritual leadership.

VISION OF OUR PARISH

To worship God, Fellowship with One Another,
and to Serve the World.



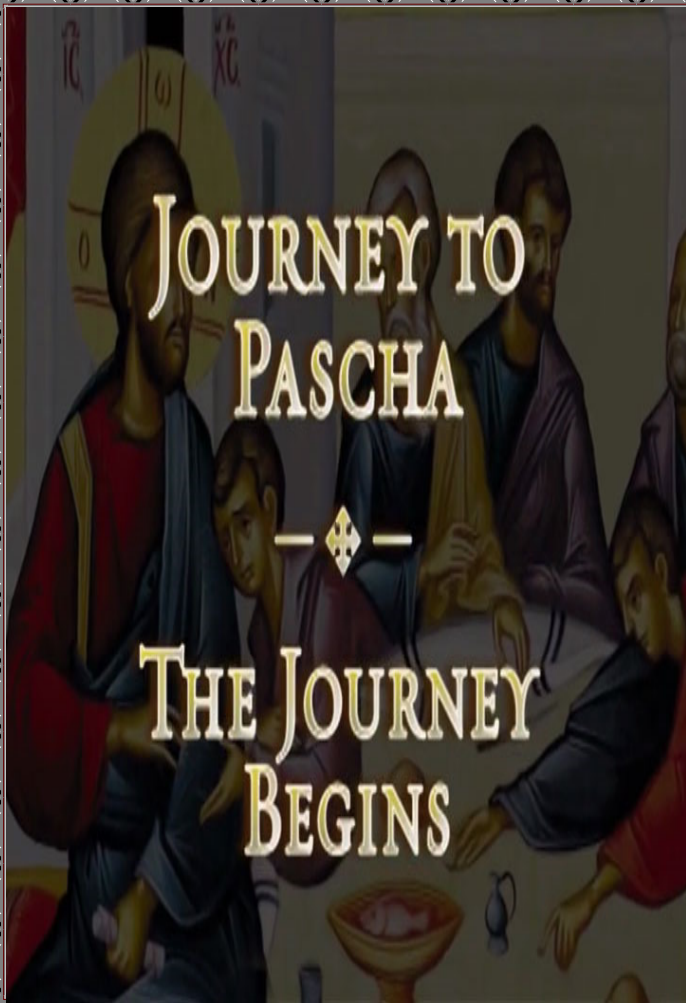
February 11, 2018

All teens interested
in participating
contact
Tena Mendyk

PHILOPTOCHOS CORNER

Greetings to all our Philoptochos sisters. February and March will be busy months for us. We will be hosting our annual Meatfare luncheon on February 11 after church. On February 23, from 5-7 we will have a Lenten Spaghetti dinner fundraiser in the Hellenic Center. During March we will start collecting donations for the Easter flowers. March 21 we will host the Pre Sanctified Pot luck meal. Looking forward to our next meeting February 4th. Thanks again to all the ladies that work so hard to keep the Saint Demetrios Philoptochos Society such an important part of the church.

Joni Porchia
President



**February 11th
MEATFARE SUNDAY**

Hosted by and main meat item will be provided by the Philoptochos. Bring a side or a dessert to pass.

**February 18th
CHEESEFARE SUNDAY**

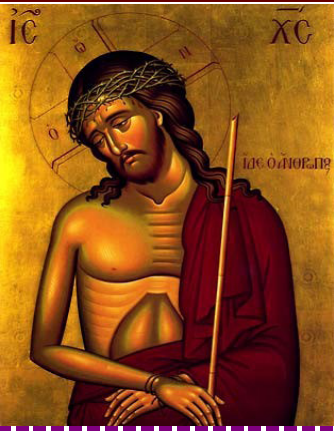
After services. It's a pizza party! Also serving make your own "Forgiveness Sundaes".

**February 18th
FORGIVENESS VESPERS**

6:00 PM - Rite of Forgiveness at the end. (We made a line almost to the doors last year, let's see if we can get into the Narthex!)

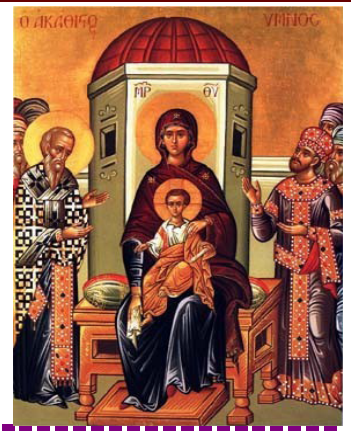
**Friday, February 23rd
PHILOPTOCHOS FUNDRAISER**

Spaghetti Dinner
5 PM - 7 PM



**ST. DEMETRIOS
GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH**

LENTEN SERVICE SCHEDULE



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| <u>Monday</u> | – Great Compline | – 6:00 PM |
| <u>Wednesday</u> | – Presanctified Liturgy | – 5:00 PM |
| | – Lenten Meal/Q & A | – 6:30 PM |
| <u>Friday</u> | – Akathist Hymn & Salutations | – 6:00 PM |
| | | ★1 st Akathist on February 23 @ 4PM |

Lenten Meal Schedule - AHEPA - Feb. 21st; Sunday School/Goya - Feb. 28th; Potluck - March 7th; Daughters - March 14th; Philoptochos - March 21st; Parish Council - March 28th.

SAINT DEMETRIOS CALENDAR OF EVENTS • FEBRUARY, 2018

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|---|---|---|--|---|--|
| <p>4 SUNDAY OF THE PRODIGAL SON Isidore of Pelusium I Corinthians 6:12-20 Luke 15:11-32 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Philoptochos Meeting</p> | <p>5 MEATFARE Martyr Agatha I John 2:18-29;3:1-8 Mark 11:1-11</p> | <p>6 MEATFARE Photius the Great, Patriarch of Constantinople Hebrews 7:26-28;8:1-2 John 10:9-16</p> | <p>7 MEATFARE Parthenius, Bishop of Lampascus I John 3:21-24;4:1-11 Mark 14:43-72; 15:1 Journey to Fullness (6 pm)</p> | <p>8 MEATFARE Theodore the Commander Prophet Zacharias Ephesians 2:4-10 Matthew 10:16-22 Confession (12 am - 2 pm)</p> | <p>9 MEATFARE Apodosis of Presentation Martyr Nicephoros II John 1:1-13 Mark 15:20,22,25,33-41</p> | <p>10 SOUL SATURDAY Hieromartyr Haralambos II Timothy 2:1-10 John 15:17-27; 16:1-2 Orthros (9:00 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Baking Day - (9:00 am) Choir Rehearsal (4:00 pm) Great Vespers (5:30 pm)</p> |
| <p>11 JUDGEMENT SUNDAY Meatfare Sunday I Corinthians 8:8-13;9:1-2 Matthew 25:31-46 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Oratorical Festival Meatfare Potluck</p> | <p>12 CHEESEFARE Meletius, Abp. Of Antioch Antonius of Constantinople III John 1:1-15 Luke 19:29-40;22:7-39 Confession (10 am - 2 pm)</p> | <p>13 CHEESEFARE Martinian of Palestine Apostles Aquila and Priscilla Jude 1:1-10 Luke 22:39-42, 45-71; 23:1</p> | <p>14 CHEESEFARE Auxentios of the Mountain Cyril, Apostle to the Slavs Joel 3:12-21 Joel 2:12-26</p> | <p>15 CHEESEFARE Onesimus of the 70 Righteous Anthonius Philimon 1:1-25 Luke 23:1-31, 33, 44-56</p> | <p>16 CHEESEFARE Martyr Pamphilus and his Companions Flavian, Pat. Of Constant. Zechariah 8:7-17 Zechariah 8:19-23</p> | <p>17 SOUL SATURDAY Theodore the Recruit II Timothy 2:1-10 Luke 20:46-47; 21:1-4 Orthros (9:00 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Baking Day (9:00 am) Choir Rehearsal (4:00 pm) Great Vespers (5:30 pm)</p> |
| <p>18 FORGIVENESS SUNDAY Leo the Great Romans 13:11-14;14:1-4 Matthew 6:14-21 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Pizza Party Forgiveness Vespers (6 pm)</p> | <p>19 CLEAN WEEK Philimon & Archippus Philothei of Athens Isaiah 1:1-20 Genesis 1:1-13 Proverbs 1:1-20 Great Compline (6:00 pm) Parish Council Mtg. (7 pm)</p> | <p>20 CLEAN WEEK Leo, Bp. Of Catania Agathus of Rome Isaiah 1:19-2:3 Genesis 1:14-23 Proverbs 1:20-33</p> | <p>21 CLEAN WEEK Timothy the Righteous John, Pat. Of Constant. Isaiah 2:3-11 Genesis 1:24-2:3 Proverbs 2:1-22 Presanctified Lit. (5:00 pm) Lenten Meal (6:30 pm)</p> | <p>22 CLEAN WEEK Uncovering of Relics at Eugeniis Isaiah 2:11-21 Genesis 2:4-19 Proverbs 3:1-18 Confession (12 pm - 2 pm)</p> | <p>23 CLEAN WEEK Hieromartyr Polycarp Isaiah 3:1-14 Genesis 2:20-3:20 Proverbs 3:19-34 Akathist Hymn (4:00 pm) Philoptochos Spaghetti Lenten Dinner (5-7 pm)</p> | <p>24 SATURDAY OF SOULS Miracle of the Kolyva II Corinthians 4:6-15 Matthew 11:2-15 Mt. Pleasant Liturgy (10 am) Choir Rehearsal (4:00 pm) Great Vespers (5:30 pm)</p> |
| <p>25 SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY Tarasius, Pat. of Constant. Hebrews 11:24-26;32-40 John 1:43-51 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Procession of Icons</p> | <p>26 Porphyrus, Bp. of Gaza St. Photini Isaiah 4:2-5:7 Genesis 3:21-4:7 Proverbs 3:34-4:22 Great Compline (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>27 Procopius the Confessor Raphael, Bp. of Brooklyn Isaiah 5:7-16 Genesis 4:8-15 Proverbs 5:1-15</p> | <p>28 Righteous John Cassian Basil the Confessor Isaiah 5:16-25 Genesis 4:16-26 Proverbs 5:15-6:3 Presanctified Lit. (5:00 pm) Lenten Meal (6:30 pm)</p> | | | |

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SAINT DEMETRIOS CALENDAR OF EVENTS • MARCH, 2018

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|--|
| <p>4 SUNDAY OF ST. GREGORY PALAMAS Gerasimus of the Jordan Hebrews 1:10-14:2:1-3 Mark 2:1-12 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am)</p> | <p>5 Conon the Gardener Mark the Ascetic Isaiah 8:13-9:7 Genesis 6:9-22 Proverbs 8:1-21 Great Compline (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>6 42 Martyrs of Amorion Finding of the Precious Cross by St. Helen Isaiah 9:9-10:4 Genesis 7:1-5 Proverbs 8:32-9:11</p> | <p>7 7 Hieromartyrs of Cherson Isaiah 10:12-20 Genesis 7:6-9 Proverbs 9:12-18 Festival Baking - (9:00 am) Presanctified Lit. (5:00 pm) Lenten Meal (6:30 pm)</p> | <p>1 Martyr Eudocia Andonina the New Martyr Isaiah 6:1-12 Genesis 5:1-24 Proverbs 6:3-20</p> | <p>2 Martyr Hesychius Nicholas Planas Isaiah 7:1-14 Genesis 5:32-6:8 Proverbs 6:20-7:1 Akathist Hymn (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>3 Martyrs Eutropius, Cleonicus and Basiliscus Hebrews 3:12-16 Mark 1:35-44 Confession - (1 - 3 pm) Choir Rehearsal (4:00 pm) Great Vespers (5:30 pm)</p> |
| <p>11 SUNDAY OF THE HOLY CROSS Sophronius of Jerusalem Hebrews 4:14-16:5:1-6 Mark 8:34-38: 9:1 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Philoptochos Meeting</p> | <p>12 Theophanes the Confessor Symeon the New Theologian Isaiah 14:24-32 Genesis 8:21-9:7 Proverbs 11:19-12:6 9 Great Compline (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>13 Nicephorus, Patriarch of Constantinople Isaiah 25:1-9 Genesis 9:8-17 Proverbs 12:8-22</p> | <p>14 Benedict of Nursia Euschimonus the Confessor Isaiah 26:21-27:9 Genesis 9:18-10:1 Proverbs 12:23-13:9 Presanctified Lit. (5:00 pm) Lenten Meal (6:30 pm)</p> | <p>15 Agapius & Companions Mannuel the New Martyr Isaiah 28:14-22 Genesis 10:32-11:9 Proverbs 13:19-14:6</p> | <p>16 Martyr Sabine Christodulus the Wonderworker Isaiah 29:13-23 Genesis 12:1-7 Proverbs 14:15-26 Akathist Hymn (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>17 Alexis the Man of God Patrick of Ireland Hebrews 6:9-12 Mark 7:31-37 Choir Rehearsal (4:00 pm) Great Vespers (5:30 pm)</p> |
| <p>18 SUNDAY OF ST. JOHN CLIMACUS Cyril of Jerusalem Hebrews 6:13-20 Mark 9:17-31 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am)</p> | <p>19 Chrysanthus & Daria Demetrios the New Martyr Isaiah 37:33-38:6 Genesis 13:12-18 Proverbs 14:27-15:4 Great Compline (6:00 pm) Parish Council Mtg. (7 pm)</p> | <p>20 Fathers of the Monastery of St. Savas Cuthbert the Wonderworker Isaiah 40:18-31 Genesis 15:1-15 Proverbs 15:7-19</p> | <p>21 James the Confessor Thomas, Pat. Of Constant. Isaiah 41:4-14 Genesis 17:1-9 Proverbs 15:20-16:9 Presanctified Lit. (5:00 pm) Lenten Meal (6:30 pm)</p> | <p>22 Hieromartyr Basil Kalliniki & Vassilisa Isaiah 42:5-16 Genesis 18:20-33 Proverbs 16:17-17:17</p> | <p>23 Martyr Nicon & the 199 Anatolios & Protoleon Isaiah 45:11-17 Genesis 22:1-18 Proverbs 17:17-18:5 Akathist Hymn (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>24 Bp. Artemon Hebrews 9:1-7 Luke 1:39-49: 56 Mt. Pleasant Liturgy (10 am) Choir Rehearsal (4:00 pm) Great Vespers (5:30 pm)</p> |
| <p>25 ANNUNCIATION OF THE THEOTOKOS Luke 1:39-49, 56 Hebrews 2:11-18 Luke 1:24-38 Orthros (8:50 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Independence Day Lunch</p> | <p>26 Synaxis of Archangel Gabriel 26 Martyrs in Crimea Isaiah 48:17-49:4 Genesis 27:1-41 Proverbs 19:16-25 Great Compline (6:00 pm)</p> | <p>27 Matrona of Thessalonica Paul, Bishop of Corinth Isaiah 49:6-10 Genesis 31:3-16 Proverbs 21:3-21</p> | <p>28 Hilariion the New Herodion, Apostle of the 70 Isaiah 58:1-11 Genesis 43:26-31: 45:1-16 Proverbs 21:23-22:4 Presanctified Lit. (5:00 pm) Lenten Meal (6:30 pm)</p> | <p>29 Hieromartyr Mark Martyr Cyril the Deacon & Companions Isaiah 65:8-16 Genesis 46:1-7 Proverbs 23:15-24:5</p> | <p>30 John Climacus Isaiah 66:10-24 Genesis 49:33-50:26 Proverbs 31:8-31</p> | <p>31 LAZARUS SATURDAY Hebrews 12:28-29:13:1-8 John 11:1-45 Orthros (9:00 am) Divine Liturgy (10:00 am) Breakfast/Palm Crosses Church Cleaning (1 pm) Great Vespers (5:00 pm)</p> |

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HOLY WEEK SERVICE SCHEDULE - 2018

LAZARUS SATURDAY - MARCH 31ST

Orthros & Liturgy - 9:00 am
Breakfast & Palm Crosses - 12:00 pm
Church Cleaning after Palm Crosses
Great Vespers - 5:00 pm

HOLY MONDAY - APRIL 2ND

Presanctified Liturgy - 9:00 am
Bridegroom Matins - 6:00 pm

HOLY WEDNESDAY - APRIL 4TH

Presanctified Liturgy - 9:00 am
Bridegroom Matins - 3:00 pm
Holy Unction - 6:00 pm

HOLY FRIDAY - APRIL 6TH

Royal Hours of Holy Friday - 9:00 am
Youth Retreat - 10:30 am - 3:30 pm
Unnailing Service - 2:00 pm
Lamentations Service - 6:00 pm

PALM SUNDAY - APRIL 1ST

Orthros & Liturgy - 9:00 am
Palm Sunday Luncheon - 12:00 pm
Bridegroom Matins - 6:00 pm

HOLY TUESDAY - APRIL 3RD

Presanctified Liturgy - 9:00 am
Bridegroom Matins - 6:00 pm

HOLY THURSDAY - APRIL 5TH

Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil - 9:00 am
Passion Service: Twelve Gospels - 6:00 pm

HOLY SATURDAY - APRIL 7TH

Vesperal Liturgy of St. Basil - 9:00 am
Pre-Paschal Vigil - 11:00 pm

PASCHA! - APRIL 8TH

Orthros of Pascha - 12:00 am
Divine Liturgy of Pascha - 1:00 am
Resurrection Meal
Agape Vespers - 11:00 am
Easter Egg Hunt - 12:00 pm



ITEMS NEEDED FOR GREAT LENT / HOLY WEEK / PASCHA 2018

The following items are needed for the celebration of the special services for Great Lent, Holy Week, and Pascha. If you would like to donate one or more of these items, please contact the Church Office as soon as possible. This will be on a first come first serve basis. In the event that the item in which you are interested has already been donated, please consider either another item or a general donation toward this list. Thank you!

| ITEMS | DATE | COST | DONATED BY |
|--|-----------------|----------|------------------|
| Icon of the Akathist | <i>23 Feb.</i> | \$60.00 | |
| Icon for Sunday of Orthodoxy | <i>25 Feb.</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Icon of St. Demetrios | <i>25 Feb.</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Daffodils for 3 rd Sunday of Lent | <i>11 March</i> | \$75.00 | |
| Icon of the Holy Cross | <i>11 March</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Garland for Theotokos Icon | <i>25 March</i> | \$100.00 | |
| Annunciation Icon | <i>25 March</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Icon of the Raising of Lazarus | <i>31 March</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Palms for Palm Sunday | <i>1 April</i> | \$175.00 | |
| Bay Leaves for Palm Sunday/Holy Saturday | <i>1 April</i> | \$100.00 | |
| Icon for Palm Sunday | <i>1 April</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Icon of the Bridegroom | <i>2 April</i> | \$60.00 | |
| Icon of the Holy Unmercenaries | <i>4 April</i> | \$30.00 | |
| Oil for the Sacrament of Holy Unction | <i>4 April</i> | \$20.00 | |
| Cotton for the Holy Unction Service | <i>4 April</i> | \$10.00 | |
| Icon of the Mystical Supper | <i>5 April</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Icon of the Crucifixion | <i>5 April</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Wreath for the Cross | <i>5 April</i> | \$100.00 | |
| 12 Candles for the Passion Service | <i>5 April</i> | \$60.00 | |
| Rose Water | <i>6 April</i> | \$20.00 | |
| Rose Petals | <i>6 April</i> | \$40.00 | Elaine Kimmerly |
| White Burial Shroud | <i>6 April</i> | \$15.00 | |
| Icon of the Unnailing | <i>6 April</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Icon of the Resurrection | <i>7 April</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Second Icon of Resurrection | <i>7 April</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Priest's Resurrection Candle | <i>8 April</i> | \$225.00 | Sophia Bernhardt |
| Pascha Red Eggs | <i>8 April</i> | \$35.00 | Betty Gustafson |
| Chocolate Easter Bunnies | <i>8 April</i> | \$75.00 | |
| Lilies for Pascha (each) | <i>8 April</i> | \$10.00 | |
| Icon of Holy Ascension | <i>17 May</i> | \$45.00 | |
| Icon of Pentecost | <i>27 May</i> | \$45.00 | |

*Indicates item has been paid for

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ALTAR VIGIL CANDLES



1/1 - Happy Marriage, Peace in Family and Peace of Mind for Jaeson Day by Julie Selle
1/14 - In Memory of brother Kosta and Better Health for husband Peter by Tula Brown
1/14 - Successful Operation for cousin Elaine Sellas Milnes by Megan Sarantis-Rodriguez
1/14 - Better Health for Katie Kalivas by Marge Paron & Family
1/14 - Better Health for Katie Kalivas by Soula Economou
1/14 - For George Houpis, our prayers are with you by Lou & Soula Economou
1/14 - In Memory of Helen Nikolakakos by Sophia & Johnathan Bernhart
1/21 - In Memory of Helen Nikolakakos by Gerald & Litsa Hoefling
1/21 - In Memory of my sister Dorothy Kouvelas by Elaine Kimmerly
1/28 - In Memory of Helen Nikolakakos by John & Stella Korbakis
2/4 - In Memory of Helen Nikolakakos by George & Panayiota Smiaris
2/11 - In Memory of Helen Nikolakakos by Demetri & Christina (Zahareos) Pantazi
2/18 - In Memory of Helen Nikolakakos by George Athanasoulas

FESTIVAL BAKING DATES

Sat., Feb. 10 - 9am - MELOMAKARONA

Sat., Feb. 17 - 9am - TIROPITES

March 6 & 7 - 9am - BAKLAVA - Make & Bake

March 8 - 9am - BAKLAVA - Syrup

Prosforon & Fellowship Schedule

Feb. 4 P: Rita Sous
F: Paraskivi & Andy Skoutelas
Feb. 11 P: Lenore Tsiros
F: Meatfare Lunch & Oratorical Festival
Feb. 18 P: Sandra Walker
F: Cheesefare Lunch
Feb. 25 P: Gabby Economous
F: Gladys & Dick Zubulake

Mar. 4 P: Gus Triantafillou
F: Jim & Marsha Stamas
Mar. 11 P: Virginia Ulmer
F: Jean Farrington & George Triantafillou
Mar. 18 P: Tula Brown
F: Pete & Sandy Ahejew
Mar. 25 P: Kim Gowenlock
F: AHEPA Luncheon



Many thanks to all the women who prepare the Prosforon each week. It is truly an important offering for the celebration of the Divine Liturgy. If you are unable to prepare Prosforon for your scheduled Sunday, please contact the church office promptly.