

Timetable of Services for April 2025

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| April 02 | Wednesday | <u>THE CANON OF ST ANDREW OF CRETE</u> at 5.00 pm. |
| April 03 | Thursday | Liturgy of the Presanctified Host at 8.00 am. |
| April 04 | Friday | <u>THE LAUDATION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD</u> at 5.pm. |
| April 05 | Saturday | Vespers with Matins at 5.00 pm. |
| April 06 | Sunday | <u>4th SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT</u> – St Mary of Egypt, Divine Liturgy at 8.30 am. |
| April 06 | Sunday | Vigil Service at 5.pm. |
| April 07 | Monday | <u>THE ANNUNCIATION</u> – Liturgy at 8.00 am. |
| April 09 | Wednesday | <u>THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY UNCTION</u> at 6.00 pm. |
| April 11 | Friday | Matins at 5.00 pm |
| April 12 | Saturday | <u>LAZARUS' SATURDAY</u> - Liturgy at 8.30 am. |
| April 12 | Saturday | Vigil Service at 5.00 pm. |
| April 13 | Sunday | <u>PALM SUNDAY</u> – Liturgy at 8.30 am. |
| April 16 | Wednesday | Matins at 5.00 pm. |
| April 17 | Thursday | <u>MAUNDY THURSDAY</u> - Vespers with Divine Liturgy at 8.30 am . Matins with the reading of the 12 Passion Gospels at 5.00 pm. |
| April 18 | Friday | <u>GOOD FRIDAY</u> The Royal Hours at 8.30 am. Vespers with the veneration of Our Lord's Shroud at 2.00 pm. Matins with the Procession of Our Lord's Shroud at 5.00 pm. |
| April 19 | Saturday | <u>GREAT AND HOLY SATURDAY</u> Divine Liturgy with Vespers and the Blessing of Bread and Wine at 8.30 am. After the service the blessing of Paschal food for the aged and sick. Reading of the Acts of the Apostles at 10.00 pm. Nocturne Service at 11.15 pm when the Holy Shroud will return to the Sanctuary. |
| April 20 | Sunday | <u>THE RESURRECTION OF OUR LORD – HOLY PASCHA</u> Divine Liturgy at 12.00 midnight Blessing of Easter foods. <u>Paschal Vespers at 4.00 pm.</u> |
| April 21 | Monday | <u>2nd DAY OF EASTER</u> Divine Liturgy at 8.00 am with Paschal Procession around the Church. |
| April 25 | Friday | <u>COMBINED PASCHAL SERVICE OF ALL PARISHES</u> Host: Geelong Parish Paschal Vespers at 6.00 pm followed by dinner in the hall. |
| April 26 | Saturday | Blessing of graves at Dandenong Cemetery at 11.30 noon. Followed by Blessing of graves at Springvale "The Pines" at 1.00 pm. Vespers with Matins at 5.00 pm. |
| April 27 | Sunday | <u>2nd SUNDAY AFTER EASTER - THOMAS' SUNDAY</u> Divine Liturgy at 8.30 am. Blessing of graves at Springvale Cemetery • "The Oaks" Section at 12.00 noon • "7th Road" Section at 1.00 pm. |