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Liturgical Schedule for This Week

Saturday, March 1 All Holy Ascetical Fathers & Mothers
 2:15-2:45 PM Confessions

3 PM Great Vespers
Vigil of the Sunday of Cheesefare

4 PM +Veronica Rovira Maddox
 by Margarita Mooney Clayton

Sunday, March 2 SUNDAY OF CHEESEFARE
Sunday of Forgiveness

8:30 AM Parishioners
 11:00 AM +Jean Dolinick by Dolinick family
 +Peter/+Maria Kaniszczak by Czuchta family

12:15 PM **Fashengy!**
 in the Parish Center
 followed by
 3:15 PM **Forgiveness Vespers**
 with service of forgiveness

Monday, March 3 CLEAN MONDAY
FIRST DAY OF THE GREAT FAST

8:30 AM First Hour
 Tuesday, March 4 Our Ven Father Gerasimus
 NO SERVICES

Wednesday, March 5 Holy Martyr Conon
 7 PM Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts

Thursday, March 6 Holy 42 Martyrs of Ammorium
 7 PM Moleben

Friday, March 7 Holy Martyr Basil
 7 PM Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts

Saturday, March 8 Commemoration of the Miracle of
The Holy Great Martyr Theodore

2:15-2:45 PM Confessions
 3 PM Great Vespers

Vigil of the Sunday of Orthodoxy
 4 PM +Marge Lucas with Panachida
 by Deacon Alex and Pan'i Pat Kubik

Sunday, March 9 SUNDAY OF ORTHODOXY
First Sunday of the Great Fast

8:30 AM +Joseph Demko by Joanne Demko and family
 Icon Procession with ECF children at the end of
 Liturgy

11:00 AM +Randy Fender with Panachida
 by Mike and Betty Stano

We celebrate Great Vespers every Saturday afternoon at
3:00 PM. We pray the Holy Rosary every Sunday at 8 AM.
Everyone is welcome to come and pray with us.

GLORY TO JESUS CHRIST! GLORY FOREVER!
SLAVA ISUSU CHRISTU! SLAVA NA V'IKI!

BINGO KITCHEN TEAM 4

March 8, 2025

Leader: Jean Warren **Workers:** Eileen Rieger,
 John & Zoe O'Sullivan, Patty Bartling, Elizabeth
 Zabawa, Amber Pavlou

Bakers: Kathryn Peters, Natalie Quinn

CANDLE INTENTIONS

*The Eternal Lamp burns this week for the peaceful
 repose of the soul of +Alyssa Starrick by John
 Starrick and family.*

Our gifts and tithes to the Lord, February 22/23, 2025

	4 PM Mail	8:30 AM	11 AM	Total
Sunday	\$2,160	\$1,315	\$1,290	\$4,765
Candles	\$21	\$89	\$25	\$135
ECL	\$60	\$25	\$45	\$130
Flowers	-	-	\$20	\$20
Energy	\$10	\$15	-	\$25
R&I	\$110	\$60	\$110	\$280
Venmo	-	-	-	\$290
PayPal	-	-	-	-
Subtotal	\$2,361	\$1,504	\$1,490	\$5,645
Dioc. Miss.	\$172	\$55	\$10	\$237
Total	\$2,533	\$1,559	\$1,500	\$5,882

God is pleased by sacrifices of that kind. (Hebrews 13:16)

Weekly average needed to meet budget: \$8,500
Total weekly collection: \$5,645
Overage/shortfall* this week: -\$2,855
Running total of overage/shortfall*: -\$27,999
 *Any shortfall must be made up by transferring
 money from fundraising and/or savings (bingo, tricky
 tray, etc.)

ALMSGIVING PROJECT During the Great Fast, we
 will be collecting non-perishable food items for the
 Hillsborough Food Bank. Please place your donations in
 the large bin by the glass doors by the Fellowship Hall.

FASTING RULES The Great Fast 2025 begins
 Monday, March 3. All Byzantine Catholics must abstain
 from meat, meat products, eggs, and dairy products on
 the first day of the Fast, Monday, March 3, and on
 Great and Holy Friday, April 18. On all other
 Wednesdays and Fridays of the Great Fast, all
 Byzantine Catholics must abstain from meat and meat
 products, but the use of eggs and dairy product is
 permitted. Please speak to Father Jim if you need
 dispensation. *This is the minimum required; additional
 fasting is encouraged.* **LITURGICAL NOTES** During
 the Great Fast, we do not celebrate the Divine Liturgy
 on weekdays, except for certain feast days. *This
 includes funerals.* Instead, we celebrate the Pre-
 Sanctified Liturgy on Wednesdays and Fridays to
 receive Holy Communion.

GREAT FAST ADULT EDUCATION

On Sundays of the Great Fast, our parishioner, Brian
 Plumacher, will be offering adult education classes in
 the Bridal Room in the parish center from approximately
 10 AM to 10:45 AM.
 Sunday, March 9 Sacred Scripture Overview
 Sunday, March 16 The Gospels
 Sunday, March 23 The First Century Jewish World
 Sunday, March 30 The Early Church until Great Schism
 Sunday, April 6 Bible Difficulties; the Problem of Evil;
 Human Free Will; general discussion.