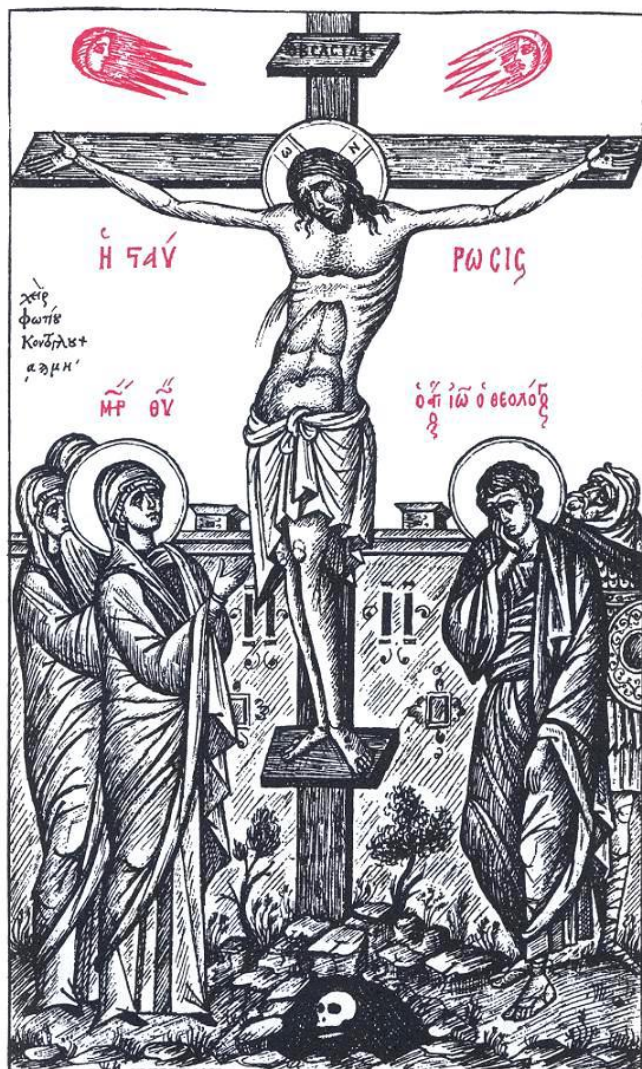




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Holy Week Schedule 2024



Saturday 27 April – Lazarus Saturday

7.30pm – Vespers & Litia

Sunday 28 April – Palm Sunday

10.10am – Hours & Festal Liturgy

2.30pm approx. – Bridegroom Matins

Monday 29 April - Great & Holy Monday

6.30pm – Bridegroom Matins

Tuesday 30 April - Great & Holy Tuesday

6.30pm – Bridegroom Matins

Wednesday 1st May – Great & Holy Wednesday

6.30pm - Matins

Thursday 2nd May – Great and Holy Thursday

10.10am – 9th Hour & Vespers Liturgy

6.30pm - Matins: The Twelve Gospels Service

Friday 3rd May – Great and Holy Friday

10.30am - Royal Hours

4.30pm - Great Vespers with the bringing out of the Shroud (*Epitaphios/plashchanitsa*)

Followed by Confessions / Light Refreshments

6.30pm – Matins: The Burial Service of Christ

Saturday 4th May – Great and Holy Saturday

10.30am – Great Vespers with 15 readings

11.30pm - Midnight Office and Procession

✠ Sunday 5th May – Radiant Feast of Pascha ✠

12 Midnight – Paschal Matins & Divine Liturgy

3pm – Paschal Vespers followed by Easter Party

Confessions & Blessing of Easter Baskets

Confessions will be heard following each service or by arrangement with Fr Mark who can be contacted on (01502 716914 / 07592482732 / marktattumsmith@gmail.com). I would ask that all parishioners try and have confession at one of the services prior to Easter night so that this slot can then be given to visitors and those who attend less regularly.

*Easter baskets will be blessed at the **end** of the Paschal Liturgy in the early morning of Sunday 5th May as well as at the end of Paschal Vespers on Sunday afternoon. A final blessing will be made on Thomas Sunday.*