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Sunday, 5 May, 2024  
Divine Liturgy Sundays at 9:30 AM  
Confessions 8:45-9:15 AM

## Pascha / Easter 2024

May, 2024

### 3 May – Holy Friday

2:00 PM Вынос Плащаницы (Vespers)

6:00PM Matins; Burial, Procession with  
Plaschanitsa (Shroud)

### 4 May – Holy Saturday

9:00 AM Divine Liturgy

10:00 PM Blessing of Paschal Baskets  
Confessions

10:30 PM Reading of Acts of Apostles  
Confessions / Исповедь

## PASCHA SUNDAY

11:30 PM Saturday 4 May: Полунощница / Compline

**12 MIDNIGHT Paschal Procession & Divine Liturgy**

10:00 AM Vespers

*Paschal flower donation for Plaschanitsa in honor/memory of:*

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**The Orthodox Paschal Service will begin at 11:30 PM Saturday night, May 4<sup>th</sup>.  
>> Blessing of Paschal food will be at 10:00 PM Saturday, May 4<sup>th</sup>. <<**

The 50 days before Pascha are the period for strengthening faith in the Lord. The means are well known to people of spiritual experience. They are repentance, which means to change from indifference to full devotion; prayer, which is considered the soul of faith, and through which faith emerges from theory into life; and self-control, which governs our relationships with our fellowman. These means are practical indicators of our vivid faith in God. With this preparation we are invited to enter the sanctuary of Holy

Week, not as spectators, but as participants in the commemoration and enactment of the divine Acts that changed the world. There is no other place where the Kingdom of God can be expanded except the heart of man; and there is no other gate whereby we can enter the Kingdom but that of "repentance". This was the proclamation of the new era of Jesus Christ, who said, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand", (*Matt. 3:2.*)

# Христос Воскресе / Christ is Risen!



This is the chosen and holy day, first of Sabbaths, king and lord of days, the feast of feasts, holy day of holy days. On this day we bless Christ forevermore.

Сей нареченный и святой день, един суббот царь и господь, праздников праздник, и торжество есть торжеств: вонже благословим Христа во веки.

(Paschal Canon, Irmos 8)

## Indeed He is Risen! / Воистину Воскресе!

*Paschal Greetings to all.*

*May the Joy and Peace of the risen Lord be always with you.*

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